

The United Benefice of Bengeworth, Hampton, Sedgeberrow and Hinton-on-the-Green

Welcome  **ST. PETER'S BENGEWORTH** 
EVESHAM



Worshipping Jesus in a Growing Community - www.bengeworthchurch.co.uk



Welcome: We extend a warm welcome to everyone attending our services and events, especially if you are new to the area or visiting us for the first time. Please stay for coffee/tea afterwards so we can meet together.

Today's Services - 9th December - Advent 2

8.00 am	Holy Communion (said) <i>Julian Bomyer</i>
10.00 am	Parish Eucharist <i>Mark Binney</i>
Readings	Lucy Vincent-Daviss & Dave Cockram
Intercessions	John Gordon
Eucharist Ministers	Wendy Coles & Sandra Cockram
Hymns: Old & New	49, 196, 434, 428, 372
4.00 pm	Candlelit Memorial Service <i>Mark Binney and Elaine Major</i>
6.00 pm	Soul Food at All Saints', Evesham

Church Diary for this coming week

Mon 10th	9.00 am	Bengeworth Academy Rehearsal
	10.00am	Bible Study - The Vicarage
	6.30pm	Avon Singers Concert
Tue 11th	10.00am	Holy Communion
	2.00pm	Funeral - Lionel Young
	2.00 pm	Communion - The Hawthorns
Wed 12th	10.00am	Holy Communion - Hampton
Thur 13th	9.00am	Bengeworth Academy Rehearsal
	7.00 pm	Youth Group
Fri 14th	7.00 pm	Choir Practice in the Bostock Room
Sat 15th		

Sunday 16th December - 3rd Sunday of Advent

8.00am	Holy Communion (said) <i>Julian Bomyer</i>	
10.00am	Parish Eucharist <i>Michael Grylls and Julian Bomyer</i>	Readings (Year C) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Zephaniah 3: 14-20 ◆ Psalm 146: 4-10 or Canticle Isaiah 12: 2-6 ◆ Philippians 4: 4-7 ◆ Luke 3: 7-18
6.00pm	Soul Food at All Saints', Evesham	

For our Prayers this week

- ◆ All those in Parliament working on the draft exit deal that they will be able to come together and take decisions in the best interest of the whole United Kingdom.
- ◆ All those who seeking to end the war in Yemen and to help the millions on the brink of starvation.
- ◆ All those who have lost loved ones during the last year who are finding Advent and the Christmas season difficult.
- ◆ The family of Grace Millane, that she may be found safe and well. For the families of all the missing that they are returned to them.

For those who are sick, in special need or housebound:

Janet Bailey; Beattie Ballard; Daniel Crockford; Richard Emson; Sylvia Emson; Hazel James; Barbara Lines; Judith Smart; Ken Smith.

For those who have died, and all who mourn them:

Rene Abbott, Alexander (Lee) Pointon, Ann Stafford, Derrick Haines, Edna Brown and Lionel Young.

Christmas Raffle

Thank you to everyone who has provided items for the prizes.

The draw will be made on **Monday, 10th December.**

Calendar

Between now and Christmas there are many bookings in church. If you are planning to come in to work on the flowers or cleaning, you can check the calendar at www.bengeworthchurch.co.uk

St. Peter's Key

We need to find someone to deliver the parish magazine to Broadway Road, Digby Road, Sycamore Avenue, Allerdene and The Hawthorns.

Please contact Marie Bomyer if you might be able to help.

The Avon Singers and Evesham Abbey Trust present

A Celebration of Christmas

Monday, 10th December 2018 7.30 pm

St Peter's Church, Bengeworth

Tickets are £10 each from:

tickets@avonsingers.com



CHURCH CONTACTS

Benefice Office, normally staffed
9.15am to 1.15pm Mon-Fri.

Call Elaine or Caryl on **01386 446381**
or email: asumsouth.office@hamptonchurch.org.uk



This church has an audio loop system



Our Benefice is part of the Asum Group of Parishes

Large print service and hymn books are available at the back of Church. Please ask the welcomers - or help yourself!

News Extra - Sunday 9th December 2018

from around and beyond our Churches

Forthcoming Events

A telling of
The Christmas Story
By the Caramba Theatre Company



Saturday 15th December 3pm All Saints Church

Suitable for all the family
Free Admission

CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER

St Andrews Church, Thursdays 9.30am

A weekly contemplative service

for morning prayer, with seasonal reflections and one hour of silent contemplation.



Mission shaped Ministry 2019-20 Course

A part-time learning journey in a supportive community

Equipping you for a lifetime of good practice and learning in planting and sustaining fresh expressions of church.

The course will be held on 12 January, 30 March and 18 May 2019 with a residential in November 19. 2020 dates to be advised.

For more information contact: Sarah Hewitt on
01386 429122 or 07456549969

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Christmas Services

Christmas Services in our Benefice

Sunday 16th December

9 am	Tree & Memorial Service	Sedgeberrow
4 pm	Carol and Christingle	Hampton
4 pm	Carol and Crib	Hinton

Sunday 23rd December

11.15 am	Christmas Holy Communion	Hinton
4 pm	Carol Service	Bengeworth

Monday 24th December Christmas Eve

3 pm	Crib Service	Hampton
4 pm	Crib Service	Bengeworth
6 pm	Crib Service	Sedgeberrow
11.30 pm	Christmas Eucharist	Hampton
11.30 pm	Christmas Eucharist	Bengeworth

Tuesday 25th December Christmas Day

8 am	Holy Communion	Hampton
8 am	Holy Communion	Bengeworth
9 am	Christmas Communion	Sedgeberrow
9.30 am	Family Christmas Communion	Bengeworth
10 am	All Age Worship	Hampton

Sunday 30th December

10 am	Asum Group Eucharist	Bengeworth
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Opportunity

Vacancies on the DAC

The Diocesan Advisory Committee for the Care of Churches (DAC) has two vacancies to represent parishes on the committee. The role of the DAC is to advise the Diocesan Chancellor and parishes on matters relating to the care and conservation of church buildings. The committee meets 8 times in the year with further site meetings at churches as-and-when required. If you wish to be considered please submit a cv (or a suitable document) and a covering letter to the DAC Secretary, Mark Carter, by email to mcarter@cofe-worcester.org.uk or call 01905 732809. No qualifications or specialisms are required.

Coffee Morning

Saturday, 15th December at the Vicarage

10.30 - 12.30

With display of Lemax Village



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Please Note: If you would like an item included in the News Extra Sheet, please email it to asumsouth.office@hamptonchurch.org.uk or telephone 01386 446381