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

## Today's Services - 6th January - The Epiphany

8.00 am	Holy Communion (said) Julian Bomyer	
10.00 am	Morning Praise Elaine Major	
Readings	Marian Grylls and David Daniels	
Intercessions	John Gordon	
Eucharist Ministers	N/R	
Hymns: Old & New	394, 477, 41, 71	
10.00 am	Communion Service - Fairfield	
6.00 pm	Soul Food at All Saints', Evesham	

Church Diary for this coming week			
Mon 7th	10.00 am	Bible Study - The Vicarage	
	10.00 am	Reflect Prayer Group - Bengeworth	
Tue 8th	8.00am	Holy Communion	
	3.00 pm	Holy Communion - Austen Court	
Wed 9th	10.00am	Holy Communion - Hampton	
Thur 10th	7.00 pm	Youthie Group	
Fri 11th	7.00 pm	Choir Practice in the Bostock Room	
Sat 12th			

Sunday 13th January - Baptism of Christ			
8.00am	Holy Communion (said) Julian Bomyer		
10.00am	Parish Eucharist Mark Binney	Readings (Year C)  ◆ Isaiah 43: 1-7  ◆ Psalm 29  ◆ Acts 8: 14-17  ◆ Luke 3: 15-17, 21-22	
3.00pm	Baptism - Jake Gurney		
6.00pm	Soul Food at All Saints', Evesham		

### Reflect

Starting on 7th January 2019 (during term time) is a new prayer group led by Margaret Wade. Please come and join in on the first Monday of each month between 10.00 and 11.00 am in St. Peter's - a chance to pause and spend an hour of reflective prayer.



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!

#### For our Prayers this week

- ♦ All those people working in retail who are worried about their jobs due to changes on the high street,
- ♦ All those who have been affected by environmental events and changes and all those who are helping them adapt,
- All those affected by knife crime and those who are working to stop people carrying weapons,
- Please pray for Pat, who has suffered a recent family bereavement.

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:

Jean Moss, Pearl Scragg, Tracey Meadows, Robert Gurney, Thomas Hill, Pennie Kemp, William Davies, Sonia Richards, Patricia Douse, Marjorie Hancox, Betty Keane.

Margaret Wade & Jane Richards would like to say a huge THANK YOU to Nick Wright, Keith Biggin, Mark Binney, the readers, the choir (and extra voices), the welcomers, refreshment providers and others who helped us to make our first attempt at writing a Carol Service into such a joyful, moving celebration of the birth of Jesus.

It is time to renew subscriptions to St. Peter's Key. The cost remains £5 for twelve issues. If you would like a monthly copy, please collect a form and hand it to Marie, with £5. Thank you.

**Used Stamps for Charity** 

Judith Smart will collect your used stamps, please leave them in the box at the back of the Church. It is essential to leave a border around the stamps.

## **Cleaning Rota 2019**

The new cleaning rota for next year is available from the back of the church.

#### **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

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# News Extra - Sunday 6th January 2019

from around and beyond our Churches

## **Forthcoming Events**

Evesham Festival of Words

'Ringing the Changes: Bellringing in English history and literature'

Talk with Tim Keyes

Friday 18th January 2019, arrive 12.30 Lunch prompt at 1.00 pm

Venue: Holland House, Cropthorne, WR10

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Tickets: £16 pp to include a 2 course lunch

Tickets available from Holland House

01386 860330 or

www.hollandhouse.org



## Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 18th - 25th January 2019

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> 1 pm Salvation Army

Followed by light lunch

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> tbc Elim

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> 6 pm SoulFood at All Saints **Monday 21<sup>st</sup> 12 noon St Andrews, Hampton** 

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Tuesday 22nd 12 noon Evesham Baptist Wednesday 23rd 12 noon Evesham Methodist

Thursday 24th 10 am All Saints

## **MPower Training**

Saturday 2nd February 2019 10 am - 4 pm

A one day training course resourcing Christian people-helpers trying to help people with lifecontrolling issues such as additions.

Hosted by Vale of Evesham Christian Centre

Cost: £25 if booked by 10th January

Tel: 01386 765946 or email vofecc@hotmailco.uk

A **Large Print** version of the Sunday Readings sheet is normally available each week - please ask the welcomers for your copy.

#### **Around the Benefice**

#### **CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER**

St Andrews Church, Thursdays 9.30am
A weekly contemplative service

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



### <sup>I</sup> Reflect

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## Can you help?

#### **Food Banks**

Due to increased demand the Food Banks at Caring Hands and All Saints need additional supplies. Please look out for their collection points and for further details on requirements their websites are www.eveshamparish.com/foodbank.html and www.chands.org.uk

A local group are looking for musicians to form a group or groups to lead the music in their worship on Friday and Saturday evenings. If you know of anyone who may be interested in joining this group then please ask them to contact Revd Brenda Moreton at brendamorton92@yahoo.co.uk

**SoulFood** - help required. If you are able to help with this work to provide a place where people who do not attend church can be welcomed then please contact Sarah Hewitt on 07456549969 or John Darby on 07747842192.

Evesham Street Pastors are seeking team members praying for the Street Pastors whilst they are out on patrol. Call John Darby on 07747842192

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