

# The United Benefice of Hampton, Sedgeberrow with Hinton-on-the-Green Newsletter for Sunday 14 August 2011

## Services and events for the coming week

**14 Today Trinity 8**  
8am Holy Communion Hampton  
10am Benefice Eucharist Sedgeberrow

16 Tuesday  
2pm Funeral (Best) Hampton  
19 Friday  
7.30pm Summer Concert Bengeworth

**21 Next Sunday Trinity 9**  
8am Holy Communion Hampton  
10am Benefice Eucharist Hinton

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## In the Benefice we include in our prayers

### *Baptisms...*

Lilith Olivia Thomas Gwillam, Zac Jay Withers and Bella Rose Reen-Withers who were baptised last Sunday.

### *Those who are ill...*

Pamela Collins, Ann Fletcher, Monica Garston, Lilian Haughtey, Sue Jones, Harriet Leach, Clifford Lewis, Iris Pinkstone, Rosie Rencher, Alan Roberts, Celia Sheward, Joan Simpson, Pat Smith, Margaret Thomas, Doug Thompson, Clive Thomson, Barbara Williams.

### *Those who have died...*

Sheila Ann Best and those who mourn.

The Church of England has published A Prayer for Peace in Our Communities:

*Gracious God,*

*We pray for peace in our communities this day.*

*We commit to you all who work for peace and an end to tensions,*

*And those who work to uphold law and justice.*

*We pray for an end to fear,*

*For comfort and support to those who suffer.*

*For calm in our streets and cities,*

*That people may go about their lives in safety and peace.*

*In your mercy, hear our prayers,  
now and always.*

**Amen**

## Notices

### August Service Times

August is a time for holidays and to recharge one's batteries so the normal pattern of services changes.

Each Sunday there will be an 8am Communion at Hampton and a 10am Benefice Eucharist in one of the churches.

21 August Benefice Eucharist Hinton

28 August Benefice Eucharist Hampton

There will be no Wednesday Communion Services during August.

### Gloria

Gloria will run today and next Sunday to the Benefice Services at Sedgeberrow and Hinton picking up at 9.30am at the Community Hall.

### St Andrew's Community Survey

The survey is underway. If you have not got your briefing pack please speak to Michael Hunter or Bill Wakefield and they can give you one.

The target is for each member of the congregation to speak to just five people. As you complete them please return the completed forms to the box in church or give them to Michael Hunter.

### Summer Concert

The Quiristers Chorus Summer Concert will be held on Friday at 7.30pm in St Peter's Church, Bengeworth. The concert includes pieces by Elgar, Britten, Stanford and Arne.

Entry is free and refreshments will be provided.

There will be a retiring collection for Chernobyl Children's Project and the St Peter's Organ Fund.

For more information contact Keith Biggin on 01386 710599.

### Pilgrimage to Iona

We are considering taking a Pilgrimage Group to stay in the Abbey on Iona next year. We now have the programme and costs, but dates are not yet decided.

If anyone is interested would they please contact Shirley or John Lynch in church or on 553392 by the 28th August at the latest so that we can discuss it.

Our application has to be in by the 31st August.



Our Benefice is part of the Asum Group

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