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

Newsletter for Sunday 3rd May 2015

We extend a very warm welcome to all at our worship today! Our prayer is that you will have a helpful encounter with the living God in the services here.

Services and events for the coming week Fifth Sunday of Easter

Sunday 3rd May 2015

For the housebound, the sick and the elderly:

Maureen Cauldwell, Sarah Clements, Pamela Collins, Grace Dolphin, Andrew Dyke, Ron Gardiner, Monica Garston, Rosie Goodwin, Brian and Gwyneth Holliday, Peter Hanagan, Girlie Humphries, Sue Jones, Clifford Lewis, Barbara Lines, Nina Lippett, Janice Sinclair and Tony Townsend as well as others known to us personally

For those who have died & all who mourn at this time:-,

Mr. Norman Fairfax, Mrs Ivy Curwen, Mrs Sheila Hawkins, Mr. John Lamb and Mr. Donald Gisbourne

Please pray for all children and young people in our community, especially those involved in our Church groups and schools.

For those who were baptised last week:-

Sophia Mary Pitts and Emily Sophia Philpott at Hampton Church For those being baptised today:-

Sienna Lily Mae Gardner at Hampton Church

For those being baptised next week:-

Lola June, Maria Anne and Lucy Lily Hoskins at Bengeworth Church

NOTICES

Today's loose collection will be for the people of Nepal.

Bat Walks

May 8th 2015 - St Peter's Hinton on the Green Meet just inside the church gates shortly after 8.30pm- no fixed charge but donations appreciated to cover costs of batteries and new detectors etc

May 22nd 2015 - Abbey Park, Evesham. Meet on the park side of the Bell Tower shortly after 8.45pm- no fixed charge but suggested donation of £2 per person. * please book a space by emailing <u>eveshambatwalk@gmail.com</u> as we need to bring enough detectors!

Christian Aid Week 10th - 16th May

On Friday 15th May we shall be collecting for Christian Aid at Morrisons, Evesham. If you can spare an hour of your time to do this please contact Ray Edwards on 01386 443683.

Sunday May 17th Car Treasure Hunt

£5 per person plus £5 if food required at finish. Form on font for participants.

As you are aware, work is about to start on the restoration of the Bell Tower. The ringers from Evesham Bell Tower will join us in Sunday morning ringing probably up until the Christmas period.

<u>Please note</u> that after all the 10.00am Sunday services Traidcraft will be available to purchase.

<u>Collection of Food (Tins and dry foods)</u> As part of our support for the Homeless in Evesham there is a box in Bengeworth, Hampton, Hinton & Sedgeberrow churches for your donations of tins, etc to support the work of Caring Hands <u>www.chands.org.uk</u>

Notices for next week's pew sheet

Please send notices or information for inclusion in next week's pew sheet to the Parish Office **no later than 9.00am the preceding Thursday.**

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