

The United Benefice of Hampton, Sedgeberrow with Hinton-on-the-Green Newsletter for Sunday 5 February 2012

Services and events for the coming week

5	Today	3 before Lent
8am	Holy Communion	Hampton
9am	Holy Communion	Sedgeberrow
11am	Family Service (coffee after)	Hampton
6pm	Holy Communion with prayers for healing	Hampton
6	Monday	Accession of Queen Elizabeth
11.30am	Funeral (Thacker)	Hampton
8	Wednesday	
10am	Holy Communion	Hampton
9	Thursday	
7.30pm	Working on Welcome	
10	Friday	
9am	St Andrew's Tots	Community Hall
11	Saturday	
10am	Church Open Morning	Hampton
10am	Community Church Gardening Day	Hinton
12	Next Sunday	2 before Lent
8am	Holy Communion	Hampton
9.30am	Eucharist	Hampton
11am	Family Service	Sedgeberrow
2pm	Baptism (Webster)	Hampton
4pm	Evensong	Hinton

In the Benefice we include in our prayers

Baptisms...

Elizabeth Gillian Calland who was baptised last Sunday; and Violet Winnifred May Webster who will be baptised next Sunday and their parents and godparents.

Those who are ill:

Maggie Bailey, Pat Bayliss, David Brasher, David Canning, Pamela Collins, Pam Eustace, Monica Garston, Ella Hampton, Sue Jones, Clifford Lewis, Beryl Lord, Elaine Major, Brian Palmer, Iris Pinkstone, Rosie Rencher, Alan Roberts, Phillippa Shepherd, Celia Sheward, Joan Simpson, Pat Smith, Margaret Thomas, Doug Thompson, and Clive Thomson.

Those who have died...

Cynthia Thacker and those who mourn.

Notices

Lent Course and Talks

Details of the Lent Course are on the flier available today. Make sure you pick up your copy.

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Hinton Community Church Gardening Day

On Saturday Hinton Church will be holding their Community Church Gardening Day. Everybody is invited to join in with activities to target high priority tasks such as de-mossing the pathway to the church.

Women's World Day of Prayer

Each year women from one country plan this event which is held on the first Friday of March in countries in all corners of the globe. This year the service is being held at Evesham Methodist Church on Friday 2nd March at 2pm. The ecumenical service has the theme '**Let Justice Prevail**' and has been organised by the Christian women of Malaysia. Although the service is planned by women it is open to all – men and women of any age. It is always an uplifting service and there will be refreshments afterwards. Please make every effort to attend if you can.

Hampton Fund Raising

We are holding another Ladies Only Pamper Evening on Saturday 24 March in the Community Hall. Tickets will be available in due course. We would be most grateful to receive any unwanted Christmas Gifts or suitable items for a Raffle or Tombola.

Authorised Lay Ministry

Next autumn the Diocese is running more training on Authorised Lay Ministry. Details are available in the February Herald. It is not too early to start thinking about this, as applications need to be submitted in May. Please talk to Mark if you are interested in finding out more.

Accession of Queen Elizabeth II

Tomorrow is the 60th anniversary of the Queen's Accession. Here is the prayer written at The Queen's direction by the Chapter of St Paul's Cathedral.

*God of time and eternity,
whose Son reigns as servant, not master;
we give you thanks and praise
that you have blessed this Nation, the Realms
and Territories
with ELIZABETH,
our beloved and glorious Queen.
In this year of Jubilee,
grant her your gifts of love and joy and peace
as she continues in faithful obedience to you, her
Lord and God
and in devoted service to her lands and peoples,
and those of the Commonwealth,
now and all the days of her life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.*



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Large print hymn books are
available at St Andrew's and can be
found on the bookshelf by the font.



St Andrew's is fitted with a loop
system. To use this please
switch hearing aids to 'T'

Please email contributions to pewsheets@hamptonchurch.org.uk no later than 10am on Friday.