

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

Newsletter for Sunday 30th July 2017 - 7th Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to the first Benefice Celebration in our Summer Sunday Worship Trail!

It is good to be sharing a service all together in Sedgeberrow, thanks to Ann and Roger, the Wardens.

Services and events for Today & the coming week

| Sunday 30 th July | | |
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| 8am | Holy Communion | Hampton |
| 8am | Holy Communion | Bengeworth |
| 10am | Benefice Eucharist | Sedgeberrow |
| 10am | Fairfield Lite | Fairfield |
| Mon 31 st | 10am No Bible Study | The Vicarage |
| | 7pm Baptism Preparation | Bengeworth |
| Tue 1 st | 9am No Tot's Group | |
| | 10am No Holy Communion at Bengeworth | |
| Wed 2 nd | 10am No Holy Communion at Hampton | |
| Thu 3 rd | 7pm No Youth Group | |
| Sunday 6 th July – The Transfiguration | | |
| 8am | Holy Communion | Hampton |
| 8am | Holy Communion | Bengeworth |
| 10am | Benefice Eucharist | Bengeworth |
| 10am | Fairfield Lite | Fairfield |

FOR YOUR PRAYERS FROM OUR CHURCHES

Please pray for the safety of those travelling and on holiday; remember the families who can't afford a holiday. Pray for the leaders and governments of the world, especially in their responses to the refugees crisis and climate change.

For those who are housebound, sick and elderly:

Mabel Bailey, Andrew Banks, Leon Banks Sarah Clements, Gloria Cross, Roseanna Denning, Grace Dolphin, Andrew Dyke, Margaret Goodman, Terry Grinnell, Olivia Hancock, Jess Hawkins, Girlie Humphries, Sue Jones, Joyce Lampitt, Lewis Langstone, Clifford Lewis, Jenny Perkins, Ken Smith, Tim Russell, Janice Sinclair, Cyril Westwood Jessie Webb, Graham Williams, Joan Wood, Michael Wood. Janet Bailey, Beattie Ballard, Pearl Bradley, Freda Durose, Richard Emson, Sylvia Emson, Barbara Line, Patrick Newbury Canon David Rogers & Ken Smith.

For all who mourn at this time and for those who have died: Rhoda Fryer, Marika Parisotto, Martine Iorns, Beryl Smith, Peter Spires, Brian Nottage & Shirley Boon.

General Information

Gluten free Communion breads are now available in all of our churches. If you require one please mention this to the 'welcomers' or one of the Churchwardens.

Basket at back of Church for Caring Hands donations.

If you are writing a cheque to one of our churches, please make them payable to the appropriate PCC, eg Sedgeberrow PCC

Pew-sheet Notices: Please send these to the office by 9.00am the preceding Thursday **Tel** (01386) 446381 **Email** office@hamptonchurch.org.uk

Notices & News

Stay, Play and Pray- St. Andrew's Church

Tuesday 8th 15th 22nd and 29th August
10am – 11am... All ages welcome. Spread the word!

Summer Outings with Small Saints

Wed 9th – Top Barn Farm, Worcester
Wed 16th - Malvern Splash
Wed 23rd – Weston Super Mare
£8.00 per seat (entrance charges included in price)
To book call Rosie 4422111 or email office@evesham.church

Summer Worship Trail 2017 –

The **8am Sunday Services** will continue (but not 13th Aug @ Bengeworth); but there will be **NO** midweek Communion services in August.

6th August 10am Benefice Eucharist **Bengeworth**
13th August 10am Benefice Eucharist **Hampton**
20th August 10am Benefice Eucharist **Hinton**
27th August 10am ASUM Group Eucharist **All Saints**

One Lord, One Faith, One Benefice!

Our four parishes are now officially united in one 'benefice' (= under the care of one incumbent). Later this year, we shall hold a celebration to mark this 'joining of forces'. Watch this space 😊

A Call to Care Home Ministry

Our Benefice is being asked to provide services of worship at our new local Care Home, **Austen Court** (on Cheltenham Road). The Hawthorns in Bengeworth have made a similar request, and a new home is being built on Offenham Road. **So** we are calling together a team of people from our churches to work together in offering regular services and pastoral care. If you feel this is something you could help with, please have a word with Elaine Major or drop a line to the office and/or come to the first exploratory meeting on **Monday 4th September, 2pm at the Benefice Office**, Hampton Vicarage. Thanks.

Deanery Pilgrimage – Saturday 12th August 2017

Pilgrimage from Winchcombe (starting 10am) to Buckland (near Broadway) via Hailes Abbey, Didbrook, Stanway & Stanton – stopping for prayer at the 'holy places' & churches along the route Evensong at the end. Lunch would be at Hailes Abbey – only £1 each. Contact Rosemary Roberts for details or to book lunches: 01386 792568; rjroberts1066@btinternet.com

Items needed, please, for the **Tombola** we will be holding at the **Hampton Flower Show**. Please give any donations to Elaine, Carolyn or Margaret.



Our Benefice is part of the Asum Group

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



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