

Parish Church of Barbourne St. Stephen

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Welcome to our church, especially if you are a visitor or a newcomer

Sunday 10th July 2022

Trinity 4

Opening Hymn: 217 God is working his purpose out

Readings: Deuteronomy 30:9-14 N. Wake
Colossians 1:1-14 K. Maltby

Gradual Hymn: 800 When I needed a neighbour

Gospel Reading: Luke 10:25-37

Sermon

Intercessions: D. Anwyll-Hughes

Offertory Hymn: 813 Will you let me be your servant

Communion Hymns:

478 Make me a channel of your peace

359 Let us break bread together

Final Hymn: 118 Colours of day



Next Sunday - Trinity 5

8.00am - Said Holy Communion

Readings: Genesis 18:1-10a D. Fulbrook
Colossians 1:15-28 D. Fulbrook

Gospel: Luke 10:38-41

Intercessions: Clergy

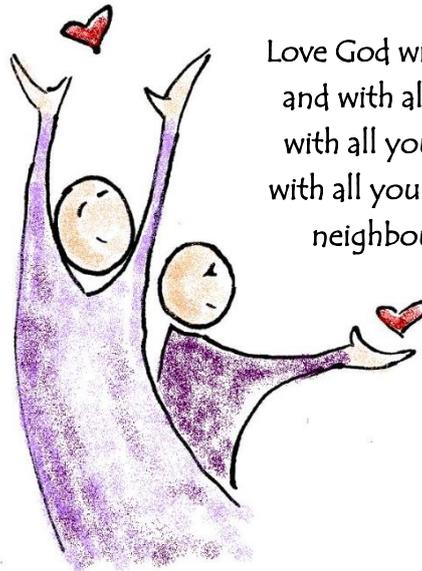


10.00am - Family Service

Readings: Genesis 18:1-10a N. Humphries
Colossians 1:15-28 R. Goddard

Gospel: Luke 10:38-41

Intercessions: Clergy (or Volunteer)



Love God with all your heart,
and with all your soul, and
with all your strength, and
with all your mind, and your
neighbour as yourself.

Luke 10.27

Tea, coffee, squash and biscuits are served in church following the service. Why not stay for a drink and a chat. It's a chance to get to know everyone.



GOOD COMPANIONS

Next meetings:

AUGUST - No meetings

5th September - Social with quiz (In church)

19th September - Marguerite Collins - the true Brideshead - Madresfield (In church)

A Better Way to Give Regularly to Church

The Church of England has introduced a new Parish Giving Scheme (PGS), administered by a charity controlled by various Dioceses and based in Gloucester. The new scheme should be a win-win situation - better for givers, and better for the church. There is a small supply of booklets at the back of Church. If you want to know more, speak to Andy or Richard Hemmings, or look at PGS's website:

www.parishgivingscheme.org.uk



Church Services this coming week.

Thursday 10.00am Holy Communion

Zoom only services:

Monday & Wednesday 8.20am Morning Prayer

Tuesday & Thursday 5.30pm Evening Prayer

LITTLE STARS ★ For babies to pre-schoolers and their parents/carers meets in church every Thursday ★ afternoon in term time from 1.30pm to 3.00pm. Further details from Viv Todd. ★

Open Church

Thursdays 10.30am - 12.30pm

Saturdays 10.30am - 12.30pm



If you have any items for the pew sheet please e-mail them to: mwalsh.ststephens@outlook.com

Please send prior to Thursday - 10.00am if you wish it to be included in the following Sunday's pew sheet.

For church hall bookings contact Michelle Walsh at mwalsh.ststephens@outlook.com or 07961 097497

NEWS FROM THE PEWS



Our shopping list is longer than usual as soaring referrals continue to put a huge strain on our stock levels. Here's a list of some items we urgently need if you're able to help us.

SUPERMARKET GIFT CARDS, CEREAL, HOT CHOCOLATE, TINNED POTATOES, TINNED VEGETABLES, TINNED FRUIT, TINNED RICE PUDDING, TINNED CUSTARD, MUG SHOTS, NOODLE POTS, TREATS AND CRISPS, LONG-LIFE APPLE/ORANGE JUICE, LONG-LIFE MILK, CHOCOLATE BARS, CREAM CRACKERS, MIXED HERBS, SALT, MAYONNAISE, INSTANT COFFEE, SUGAR, COOKING OIL, TOMATO PUREE. PACKET SEASONING, TOMATO/BROWN SAUCE, WET AND DRY DOG/CAT FOOD, SMALL BOTTLES OF WASHING UP LIQUID, FAMILY SIZE SHOWER GEL, WOMEN'S DEODORANT, WASHING POWDER, ANTI-BAC SPRAY, KITCHEN ROLL, ADULT TOOTHBRUSHES (SINGLE), SHAVING FOAM, FAMILY SIZE SHAMPOO, HAIR CONDITIONER, TOILET ROLL, TAMPONS, WASHING CLOTHS, SOAP

Thank you for your continued support of local people in crisis.

Churchwardens' Admission Service - Wednesday 13th July at the Cathedral

This year, churchwardens will be admitted to office at Worcester Cathedral on Wednesday 13th July at 7.30pm by the Bishop along with the Archdeacons. Any members of the congregation who would like to attend in support of Kevin & Ruth would be more than welcome.

A Massive Thank you! - Strawberries & Wine

A Massive thank you to Meriel and all those who were involved at the Strawberries & Wine event last Sunday. The event raised a fantastic £300 for the church, it was a wonderful afternoon enjoyed by all who attended. 

Funeral - Jean Glover

The funeral for Jean Glover will be held at St Stephen's on Wednesday 20th July, 1.15pm, followed by a Committal at Hallow.

Open Air Service - Next Sunday - 17th July

It is our plan to hold next Sunday's 10.00am service outdoors – Sunshine is guaranteed (but maybe of the other variety!) Please dress for the weather.

Care Assistant work over the summer

Pat and Andy have asked whether you know of someone who might be interested in assisting with care for Rosie over the summer. The position is paid, and will require a DBS check, although no prior experience is necessary. The assistant would need to be a female over 17 years old. If you know anyone, please direct them to Andy or Lindsey, or to Pat and Andy directly.

Return to a Shared Chalice

A number of churches, including the cathedral have now returned to a shared chalice during Holy Communion. In view of responses received so far we have decided to defer making this transition for the time being at St Stephens's.

At Home Service

Many people have said how helpful they found the 'At Home Service' during the pandemic, but our sense is that most people are now receiving what they need from either in-person services or Zoom. As it takes time to produce, **we have now stopped circulating the At Home Service' via email. If there is still a demand for it, please let us know.** You can still access each week's readings, reflection and prayers on our website under the 'At Home' tab.

Dates for your diary.....

- Worcester Show
Sunday 14th August
- Autumn Fete Day
Saturday 24th September

