

PEWS NEWS

Committed to God – through worship, prayer and scripture
Committed to Community – within our congregations and reaching out
Committed to Growth – in discipleship, service and numbers

One welcoming and inclusive
 Church family
 Gathering in
 Three meeting places
 Around the Woottons
 Near to King's Lynn

25th June 2017
Trinity 2

Jeremiah 20:7-13	p 780
Psalms 69:8-17	p 583
Romans 6:1b-11	p 1132
Matthew 10:24-39	p 975

8.30am
 10.00am

Holy Communion
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All Saints Church
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2nd July 2017
Trinity 3

Jeremiah 28:5-9	p 789
Psalms 89 1-18	p 597
Romans 6:12-end	p 1133
Matthew 10:40-end	p 976

10.00am

Holy Communion

St Mary's Church

During which The Revd. Dan Tansey and his family will be welcomed
Followed by shared celebratory lunch in the Rectory Garden

3.00pm

Holy Baptism

St. Mary's Church

The Collect for the 2nd Sunday after Trinity

Faithful Creator, whose mercy never fails: deepen our faithfulness to you and to your living Word, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

WELCOME TO THE CHURCH IN THE WOOTTONS– *If you are visiting us for the first time we hope you enjoy your time with us. If you would like to find out more about any aspect of church life or what we do please ask one of the clergy or churchwardens or visit our website www.churchinthewoottons.net and do take this newsletter home with you. In church, you should also be able to find a copy of Contact, our monthly magazine and a triptych leaflet on coloured paper currently called "The Church in the Woottons Summer 2017."*

THIS WEEK

Monday 26 th June	10.00am	Women's house group at the Rectory
	3.00pm	Holy Communion at Woodlands
Tuesday 27 th June	7.30pm	Mid Week Church at the Rectory
Wed 28 th	All day	Royal Norfolk Show
	2.15pm	Mothers Union at South Wootton Village Hall
	7.30pm	Homelessness meeting at London Road Methodist Church - see below
Thursday 29 th June	All day	Royal Norfolk Show
	8.45 – 12	Drop-in at St. Mary's Church
	7.00pm	Choir practice at St. Mary's Church
Sunday 2 nd July	10.00am	Service to Welcome the Revd. Dan Tansey and his family to the Woottons followed by Shared lunch in the Rectory garden
	3.00pm	Baptism of Arthur Wood-Davis at St. Mary's Church

FURTHER AHEAD

Monday 3 rd July	10.00am	Women's house group at the Rectory
	3.15pm	Funeral of Connie Isherwood at the Crematorium
	8.00pm	Baptism preparation evening at the Rectory
Tuesday 4 th July	7.30pm	Mid Week Church at the Rectory
	10.00am	Clergy meeting at the Rectory
Thursday 6 th July	7.00pm	Music group practice at St. Mary's Church

NAKWERO SUPPER PARTY FRIDAY 14th JULY – Tickets price at £10 are available now for this event from Sue Neil (673970) and Tony Kendall (631539). Each ticket will have a menu choice form attached which should be returned please by 3 July. It includes 4 curry options from strong to very mild and includes one vegetarian curry. A further option for those who do not enjoy curry is cottage pie. There will also be a dessert choice on the night. Sales are limited to 50 tickets, so please act now if you wish to come.

A NOTE FROM THE NASHES – We gather there is a little confusion about what is going on at the Rectory on the evening of 14th July. Please let us explain. Linda is closely involved with the Norwich Diocesan Cursillo and in June 2016 she invited the local organisers to the Rectory for a special event on 14th July, and she asked James to help run it. We are sorry the date clashes with the Nakwero Supper Party.

TCITW TEA TENT AT SOUTH WOOTTON FETE – Thank you to: Those of you who provided cakes and other provisions; those who loaned equipment – especially to North Wootton Guides for their wonderful and wonderfully large tent! And thanks to the teams of people who set up and stripped down the Tea Tent; and to all of you who supported us during the day. We raised a magnificent total of £531.73!

PARISH AMBLE TODAY - SUNDAY 25 JUNE – Please join us to walk at Pentney at 1.45pm. Turn Right off A47 at West Bilney to Pentney church where there is parking. Everyone welcome, to walk along field boundaries and beside the river. Phone R and J Watts 673820 for lifts or information.

PRAYER DURING THE WEEK IN CHURCH – A NEW PATTERN – If you would like a few minutes of quiet space for prayer, reflection and peace why not join us from 4.30pm each weekday in St. Mary's Church? James and Dan will usually take a lead, and any of you are welcome to join us and join in. During the colder months of the year we will move to either the Rectory or no. 34 Castle Rising Road (the Tansey's house) to keep warm and save money. Beginning on Monday 3rd July.

JUST ONE EVENT SATURDAY JULY 8TH - at Emirates Football Stadium London. Tickets are now on sale for this fun celebratory afternoon of praise and worship. Hosted by J. John, guests include Matt Redman, Hillsong, London Gospel Choir and many more. To buy your tickets simply speak to Janet Keir (07708121691) or put your name on the sheets that will be available in all 3 churches and 'Drop in' from today. Tickets are £10 each. There will be an option to travel by coach at an extra cost. For more information about the event go to <https://justone.co.uk>

AN INVITATION TO THE CATHEDRAL – James will be preaching at the Cathedral again on Sunday 16th July at the 3.30pm Evensong. James would be pleased of some company and support and after the service, hospitality in the form of tea and cake will be offered to us by the Cathedral Chapter. Please let us know if you would like to go and we can share lifts.

CARING FOR ONE ANOTHER IN THE WOOTTONS - We are aware that some people who live alone may sometimes need help and support. If this applies to you, or may do in the future, we would find it very helpful to have contact details of your close relatives or friends to use if we ever need to get in touch with them on your behalf. The list will be kept in the Rectory and only used in situations where we are concerned about your well-being and wish to offer support. In the coming weeks you may be invited to share this contact information with us, or you could email it directly to James at jamemash8@talktalk.net

HOMELESSNESS IN KING'S LYNN – Special Meeting at London Road Methodist Church on Wednesday 28th June at 7.30pm. With the rising levels of homelessness locally and nationally, Andrew Frere-Smith (the 'Imagine Norfolk Together' development worker) has organised a public meeting on homelessness. In addition to Andrew, speakers will include Paula Hall from the Purfleet Trust, Revd Susan Carne from 'House of Genesis' and Darryl Smith from the YMCA. **Please note:** The number of homeless people in King's Lynn currently exceeds that of Norwich, Thetford, and Great Yarmouth; there are plans developing to provide a new shelter in town. We are intending to invite Andrew to speak to us at TCITW specifically to explore how we might be able to support this vital project. And connected to all this:

SPRING INTO SUMMER FASHION SHOW IN AID OF THE PURFLEET TRUST - The Purfleet Trust is holding a charity fashion show on Thursday 29th June from 7-9 pm at the Kings Centre, Wellesley Street. Staff and volunteers will be modelling clothes from the Trust's charity shop on the Fairstead estate and there will also be a raffle with some fantastic prizes. Tickets at £5 include a welcome drink and refreshments and are available from Penny Dossetor (674022) until the 25th June, the Purfleet Trust at 5 St Ann's Fort, King's Lynn PE30 1QS, or the shop at Centre Point, Fairstead. For more information please contact Joy Wylie on 01553 767829 or joywylie@purfleettrust.org.uk.

DAN TANSEY –The Tansey's have moved into their new home in the Woottons. Please respect their privacy for the time being and their need to settle into their new home and area. Those of you who lead church based, or community organisations or groups will doubtless be itching to invite Dan and Beti to meet you and take part. Please may we ask that you hold back from these sorts of things for the time being until Dan actually begins work at the beginning of July. Thank you very much.

DAN TANSEY'S ORDINATION – Dan will be ordained Deacon at Norwich Cathedral on Saturday 1st July at 10.30am. If you would like to attend, please let us know at the Rectory so that we can arrange shared lifts. We will welcome Dan and his family to The Church in the Woottons on Sunday 2nd July at the 10am Holy Communion Service at St. Mary's Church, followed by **a shared lunch at the Rectory**. We will not be running Breakfast at 10 on that day although activities for children and young people will be available in the Village Hall. Please bring food to share for the lunch at the Rectory and, if possible a garden chair to sit on!

CAP KING'S LYNN DEBT CENTRE – There is to be a sponsored walk the King's Lynn Debt Centre at Sandringham on Saturday 22nd July. A family walk at 10.30am and a distance walk at 11.15am will be followed by picnic and summer activities. Please let us know if anyone is interested in taking part, organizing, being a Marshall, or a walk welcomer.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: -

- Daphne Petts, Andrew Fielding, Gordon Bracey, Margot Hayward, Karen Tripp, Pat Bowles, Ron Butcher, Lorraine Ismay, Roger Sams, Liz Sams, Christian Tansey and Katie Nash.
- The Purfleet trust and their need for more income
- Plans to establish a new homeless shelter in King's Lynn
- The families and friends of Connie Isherwood who died recently
- Everyone affected by the tower block fire in west London and people being re-housed elsewhere because of fire safety risks.
- The Alpha Course, giving thanks to God for the recently completed course and seeking his wisdom as we plan for the next one
- Our newly elected Government and Prime Minister, and all UK parliamentarians
- Dan, Beti, Christian and Sera as they settle in to the Woottons. Dan as he prepares for his ordination on 1st July and his curacy beginning then.
- Audrey Steven as she settles in to her new home in Northern Ireland

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