

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

13 th August 2017 Trinity 9		1 Kings 19:9-18 Psalm 85:8-13 Romans 10:5-15 Matt. 14:22-33	p361 p596 p1137 p981
8.30am	Holy Communion	All Saints Church	
10.00am	Morning Service	All Saints Church	
20 th August 2017 Trinity 10		Isaiah 56:1,6-8 Psalm 67 Romans 11,1-2, 29-32 Matthew 15:10-28	p744 p581 p1138 p982
8.30am	Holy Communion	St. Mary's Church	Hall
10.00am	Holy Communion	St. Mary's Church	
10.00am	Breakfast at 10	South Wootton Village	
3.00pm	Holy Baptism	St. Mary's Church	

The Collect for the 9th Sunday after Trinity

Gracious Father, revive your Church in our day, and make her holy, strong and faithful, for your glory's sake in 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 please do take this newsletter home with you.

THIS WEEK

Monday 14 th August	11.30am	Funeral of Rosemary Le Gallez at Mintlyn Crematorium
	4.30pm	Prayer at St. Mary's Church
Tuesday 15th August	4.30pm	No prayer service
	7.30pm	No Midweek Church
Wed 16th August	9.15am	Funeral of Brian Krill at Mintlyn Crematorium
	9.15am	Clergy meeting at the Rectory
	4.30pm	Prayer at St. Mary's Church
Thursday 17th	8.45 - 12	Drop-in at St Mary's Church
	2.00pm	Funeral of June Hannant at St. Mary's Church
	4.30pm	Prayer at St. Mary's Church
Friday 18 th	4.30pm	No prayer service

FURTHER AHEAD

Sunday 20 th	3.00pm	Baptism of Charlie Parsons and Jacob Rothwell at St. Mary's
Monday 21st	4.30pm	Prayer at St. Mary's Church
Tuesday 22 nd	4.30pm	Prayer at St. Mary's Church
·	7.30pm	Midweek Church at The Rectory
Wednesday 23 rd	11.30am	Funeral of Richard Hurrell at Mintlyn
		Crematorium.
	4.30pm	Prayer at St. Mary's Church
Thursday 24 th	8.45-12	Drop-in at St. Mary's Church
	3.00pm	Memorial Service for Daphne Earley at St. Mary's
	4.30pm	Prayer at St. Mary's Church
Friday 25 th	4.30pm	Prayer at St. Mary's Church
Saturday 26 th	1.00pm	Wedding of Joseph Binney and Adella Plummer
		at St. Mary's Church

NEW PCC TREASURER AND SECRETARY - Due to work and other pressures Richard Goodwin has resigned as PCC Treasurer and Nigel Day has resigned as PCC Secretary. We are very grateful to Richard and Nigel for the important contributions they have made to the work of the PCC and the Church at large. We are very pleased to announce that Glenis Lee is our new Treasurer and Laurence Morlaas is our new Secretary.

PCC MEETING - We have set a new date for our next meeting – Thursday 7th September 7pm at the Parish Meeting Room in South Wootton. Please change the date in your diaries.

PARISH AMBLE ON 27 AUGUST - Could anyone volunteer to organise this month's walk please? If you are willing to, please contact Jennifer on 673820.

DAN TANSEY – Dan is on holiday until Monday 21st August. While he is away there will no 4.30pm prayer service at St. Mary's on Friday.

BOOKS TO BORROW AND BOOKS TO LEND – At the back of All Saints Church there is a new bookshelf with some Christian books for you to borrow and read. What about checking your own bookshelves for good Christian books that you would be prepared to donate to our library? We read a good book, put it on a shelf at home and leave it to gather dust, deteriorate and eventually become out of date and fit only for disposal. How much better to share our good reads with others? We have a small library at St. Mary's too, again at the back of the Church. Do feel free to borrow and lend just as many books as you like and do please tell others of any good books you have read lately.

CREAM TEAS AT ALL SAINTS CHURCH – On Sunday 3rd September we will be serving Cream Teas at All Saints Church from 3.00pm onwards. This will be a fund raising occasion and there will be an opportunity to give a donation for your tea. Last year this turned out to be a lovely gathering and time to catch up with one another as we returned from our long and dreamy summer holidays.... Please let Linda Nash or Laurence Morlaas know if you would be happy to bake scones or cakes for this event. We would also like to borrow tea sets with teapots, milk jugs and sugar bowls, and cake stands please. Do put this date, and another date in your diary.....

LAST OF THE SUMMER WINE BARBECUE AT THE RECTORY – As long as we are enjoying something of an Indian summer, we will be holding a Barbecue at the Rectory on Saturday 9th September. Please arrive at 12 midday for lunch. James and Dan will be cooking and comparing their barbecuing skills – however Dan will easily win the "who has got the biggest barbecue?" competition as he and Beti were at one time professional caterers. Games for the energetic – including our lovely big and colourful parachute - will be provided during the afternoon.

CHURCHES TOGETHER AGM – Wednesday 20TH September 2017 at 7pm at the London Rd Methodist Church in King's Lynn. If anybody would be prepared to speak for 5 minutes about an aspect of what we do at TCITW please let James know – he will be unable to attend.

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 james@churchinthewoottons.net

4.30PM PRAYER IN CHURCH – DAILY MEDITATION AND PRAYER – 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. At the moment we are using some excellent daily meditations produce by Richard Rohr.

IMPORTANT - THE OLD TELEPHONE NUMBER FOR THE RECTORY NO LONGER WORKS – The new landline number for James and the Rectory office is 01553 673742. James's email is now: james@churchinthewoottons.net Dan's email is: dan@churchinthewoottons.net and the new Rectory Office email is: rectoryoffice@churchinthewoottons.net Please note that Linda Nash's email address remains the same. Please change your address books now. Thank you very much.

NAKWERO SUPPER – A big thank you to everyone who contributed in any way to the success of the fundraising supper held on 14th July, especially the hosts Ian and Sue Neil, organiser Tony Kendall, and those who provided, cooked and served the food - and of course everyone who attended. The event raised the magnificent sum of £550 for the registered charity Friends of Nakwero to complete the new workshop for electrical and mechanical students at the Norfolk Vocational Institute in Uganda which is being financed by The Church in the Woottons.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: -

- Daphne Petts, Andrew Fielding, Margaret Murray, Jack Thorne, Gordon Bracey, Karen Tripp, Pat Bowles, Roger Sams, Liz Sams, Katie Nash, Audrey Steven, Tony Kendall, Colin Steed, Sally Steed, Maisy Bracey, and Roger Symes.
- Plans to establish a new homeless shelter in King's Lynn.
- The King's Lynn Debt Centre and its manager Emily Hart
- Glenis Lee and Laurence Morlaas has they take on their new roles as PCC Treasurer and PCC Secretary respectively.
- The families and friends of Daphne Earley, Rosemary Le Gallez, Brian Krill and June Hannant who died recently.
- Charlie Parsons, Jacob Rothwell and their families as their baptisms service approaches.
- Joseph Binney and Adella Plummer as they prepare for their wedding day.

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