

FORTNIGHTLY NEWSLETTER

Committed to God - through worship, prayer and learning

Committed to Growth - through knowing God and one another

Committed to Community - through service and support

Welcome

If you are visiting us for the first time, we hope you enjoy the service and feel welcome. If you would like to find out more about The Church in the Woottons, please ask anyone in church or contact us by phone 01553 673742 or email rectoryoffice@churchinthewoottons.net

Sunday 21st September

Trinity 14
10.30am

Jeremiah 8.18-9.1
1 Timothy 2.1-7.
Holy Communion

Psalm 79.1-9
Luke 16.1-13

St Mary's

Prayer of the Week

Merciful God, your Son came to save us and bore our sins on the cross: may we trust in your mercy and know your love, rejoicing in the righteousness that is ours through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Sunday 28th September

Trinity 15
9.00am
10.30am

Jeremiah 32.1-3a, 6-15
1 Timothy 6.6-19
Breakfast Church
Morning Worship

Psalm 91.1-6
Luke 16.19

All Saints
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Prayer of the Week

Lord God, defend your Church from all false teaching and give to your people knowledge of your truth, that we may enjoy eternal life in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Sunday 5th October

Trinity 16
10.30am

Lamentations 1.1-6
2 Timothy 1.1-14.
Holy Communion

Psalm 137
Luke 17.5-10

St Mary's

Holy Communion with The Church in the Woottons

During Holy Communion we offer bread in the form of wafers and wine by the chalice. For reasons of hygiene, we do not allow wafers to be dipped into the chalice. If you are concerned about drinking from the chalice, please receive only the wafer.

Diary

Monday 22nd	10.00am	Monday House Group
Tuesday 23 rd		
Wednesday 24 th	9.00am to 12 noon 2.15pm	Dropin NW Village Hall Mothers' Union Holy Communion St Mary's
Thursday 25 th	10.30am	Holy Communion, St Mary's
Friday 26 th	11.00am 7.30pm	Funeral of Carole Flatt St Mary's Church Quiz Night SW Village Hall
Monday 29th	10.00am 7.00pm	Monday House Group House Group, Halfacre, Nursery Lane
Tuesday 30 th	2.00pm	House Group 2 Willow Rd
Wednesday 1 st	9.00am to 12 noon	Dropin NW Village Hall
Thursday 2 nd	10.30am	Holy Communion St Mary's
Friday 3 rd		
Monday 6th	10.00am 7.00pm	Monday House Group House Group Halfacre, Nursery Lane
Tuesday 7 th	2.00pm	House Group 2 Willow Rd
Wednesday 8 th	9.00am to 12 noon	Dropin NW Village Hall
Thursday 9 th	10.30am 10.30am	Holy Communion St Mary's Friendship Coffee Morning TBC
Friday 10 th		

FRIENDSHIP COFFEE MORNING: We had a most enjoyable morning at Jasmine's home in September. There were 17 people enjoying Jasmine's homemade shortbread whilst catching up with old friends and making new acquaintances. The idea for these mornings is just to relax and enjoy being with other people. Anyone is welcome, so please come along if you think it might be something which would interest you. Alternatively, if you know of someone who might benefit from coming, just let me know.

We are meeting at Thaxter's Coffee Shop, Dersingham at 10.30 on **Thursday, 9th October**. There will be the opportunity to stay for lunch and also to look for plants or do some early Christmas shopping at the adjacent garden centre.

Please contact me if you would like to know more, have a lift or someone to go with.

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PARISH QUIZ: This is advance notice that a Quiz evening will be held at South Wootton Village Hall on 26th September. This is a fundraising event and it is hoped for 16 teams of 6 people at £7.50 per person. You may want to start thinking about possible team members - it doesn't matter if you don't consider yourself a quiz expert and if you're on your own we can always help you make up a team! Snacks will be provided, but quizzers will need to bring their own drinks. A raffle will be held in the interval so offers of prizes will be most welcome. If you can help in any way with this event, please contact Alison Miller.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Mathew Bason Concert: There will be a Matthew Bason concert on 17th October at St Mary's Church with doors opening at 7.00pm.

MONDAY EVENING HOUSEGROUP: The Monday evening House Group will not be meeting this coming Monday (22nd September) and will resume from its summer break on the following week; Monday 29th September at 1900.

Harvest Festival Event 11th October: Come and see All Saints Church decorated for Harvest Festival. Refreshments served between **2.30pm and 5.00pm**. Donations to be shared between TCITW and Y.A.N.A (Charity supporting Farmers).

Harvest Festival Service 12th October: The Harvest Festival Service will be held 10.30am. Your food gifts are welcome (please donate tins, dry/packet foods). All food donations will be given to the Kings Lynn Food Bank.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- The people affected by the fires, earthquakes and floods
- Peace in the Middle East
- The people of Ukraine, the desperate humanitarian crisis in Gaza, the return of the Israeli hostages, peace in the West Bank, Lebanon, Yemen, Sudan, South Sudan and Burkina Faso.
- Our Wardens and Ministry Team.
- Bishops Graham, Jane and Ian, and Archdeacon Catherine.
- Our Treasurers, Glenis and David, and our musicians.
- All those connected with the parish who are sick.
- Those who are lonely and have no one to pray for them.
- Those that are mourning lost ones.
- Those who go hungry and homeless.
- King's Lynn Foodbank, Debt Centre, and Winter Night Shelter.
- The development of the Homegrown Network which fosters collaboration between churches and community regarding work with children, young people and families.

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Please notify Catherine of any new Diary Events by email or telephone.

Church website	www.churchinthewoottons.net
All Saints Church	Manor Road, North Wootton PE30 3PZ
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