

The Wimborne Villages, with Kingston Lacy & Shapwick

VILLAGES' NEWS SHEET

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19TH AND 26TH MAY 2024

Pentecost and Trinity Sunday

SERVICES

Sunday 19th May

9.15am Holy Communion at Shapwick
10am Holy Communion at Witchampton

Sunday 26th May

9.15am Family Service at Kingston Lacy
10am Holy Communion at Chalbury



8.30am Morning Prayers at Hinton Martell Church – Every Wednesday and Friday. All are welcome.

PLEASE NOTE CHURCH SERVICES IN WIMBORNE VILLAGES NOW START AT 10am

UPCOMING EVENTS



United Breakfast Church – After a brilliant start to this venture the next service is at **9am on Saturday 18th May at St James School**, Gaunts Common. All are welcome. There are many Methodists helping put this on but only a small handful of us Anglicans! If anyone can help in any way, please get in touch with Rev Nick (nick@nickthevic.co.uk). They are especially looking for someone to work in the background co-ordinating it but help in activity stations (craft etc), music or Open the Book are very welcome!



Cream Teas will be held next on Sunday 2nd June in Horton & Chalbury Village Hall 2.30pm – 4.30pm. Bring friends and family for a lovely, sociable event.



Pub Lunch – for parishioners of our churches and communities is next on Wednesday 22nd May at The Barley Mow for parishioners of our churches and communities. Please contact Gillian Lovett to book (or arrange transport if needed) on 01258 840062. All are welcome.



Witchampton Open Gardens – taking place on Spring bank holiday weekend Sunday 26th May and Monday 27th May 11am – 4pm (last entry). This event only takes place every two years and is always a big success due to the work put in by all the gardeners and volunteers who work so hard behind the scenes. This year Witchampton church will be putting on a display too so please do come along and support this wonderful event. Please see poster attached for more details.

OTHER NEWS & INFORMATION

Kingston Lacy & Shapwick APCM will take place at St Stephens Church on Tuesday 21st May at 7pm at St Stephens Church.

The future of Horton and Chalbury churches - BEETLE PROJECT Update

After a very well attended and constructive open meeting held in Horton and Chalbury Village Hall on Sunday March 3rd here is a short informal report by Marilyn Sadler (acting Church Warden and acting as co-ordinator):

A very helpful and successful site meeting was held by the Buildings Project Team on Monday 15th April at 4 pm.

The volunteer team (which included several professionals) spent at least an hour in each Church. The new highly recommended young Architect Marcus Chantrey's initial opinion was that:

- *Work needs to be done on the Horton Bell tower but not the main body of the Church.*
- *Chalbury needs more investigation and work, but this need NOT include taking the roof off*

A fuller report was made to the PCC at the meeting on 30th April.

If you are interested in helping to ensure that these two very ancient churches are restored so that they survive for the next generation, please e-mail or phone:

robmar.sadler@gmail.com : 01258 840357



Food Bank – The following are the items we really need help with - long life milk, tinned potatoes, tinned rice pudding, tinned hotdogs, tinned peas, tinned tuna, tinned meatballs, tinned ham, coffee, and size 7 nappies. Thank you so much for your continued generosity - Sue Slydel

Please deliver these items locally to Witchampton Shop or Furzhill Stores. Alternatively, donations can be made by BACS: A/C: Faithworks Wessex Sort: 40-52-40 Acc No: 00015300; Ref: Wimborne.

PRAYERS

We pray:

- For all people suffering because of the conflict between Israel and Gaza and for other war-torn countries - Ukraine, Sudan and Yemen.
- The crisis in The Middle East, for calm and considered decisions by Israel regarding retaliation after Iran's drone attacks.
- For those refugees who are suffering as a result of unscrupulous people and world politics.
- For those suffering from the effects of climate change or disaster, particularly Japan, Afghanistan, Morocco, Libya and Baltimore USA.
- For the continued recovery of King Charles as he starts to resume his royal engagements and for Catherine, The Princess of Wales after their recent hospital procedures and diagnoses.
- For Charles and Aminta as they prepare for their wedding next month.
- For public support regarding the issue of the beetle infestation in Horton and Chalbury churches.
- For families struggling with the high cost of living and poor housing.
- For a good and positive outcome for Anne from her hospital stay.
- For Rebecca and Seb (mother and son) – for a blessed future in their new home.
- For Tazmin and baby Theodore (prayer for his health and for the doctors to know how to help Theo).
- Giving thanks for our PCCs and all who serve our churches, especially our Church Wardens.
- For Revd Suzie and Clint as they begin a new phase of their lives in Salisbury.
- For the conversations that will be had about the future of our clergy provision now and in the future.
- For families - especially those that have experienced relationship breakdowns recently.
- For our Archdeacons Penny and Antony, and Bishop Karen.

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Village Church Calendar: <https://teamup.com/ksyiqvvz2h9ubhb629>

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News Bulletins – Published for 1st & 3rd Sundays of the month.

For an email of this news sheet, please contact Judith Lane - villageadmin@wimborneminster.org.uk

See also:

Village Voices - available in local shop.

The Bridge - www.mackrellcharity.org.uk

Wimborne Minster Parish Magazine - www.wimborneminster.org.uk