



BIRTH OF JOHN THE BAPTIST 24th JUNE 2018

8.00am Holy Communion BCP
9.45 am Parish Eucharist with
Ministry of Healing
11.30am Baptisms of Lewis Jones,
Bonnie and Elsa Hall
6.30pm Choral Evensong BCP

We welcome all to our services. Families, please make use of children's corner at the back of the church. Sunday school takes place in church house during the Parish Eucharist in term time. Evening Prayer is said in the Crypt on Mondays, Thursdays, Saturdays at 5pm.

THIS WEEK

Monday	12.00pm	Midday Music Box –Dumpton School
Tuesday	8.00am	Holy Communion
	12.00pm	Midday Music Box – St. Michael's S.
Wednesday	12.00pm	Midday Music Box – Queen Elizabeth's S.
	1.30pm	Meditation Group - Crypt
	7.45pm	Prayer Group meets – Lounge
Thursday	9.30 -11.00am	Two by Two meets – Hall
	11.00am	Holy Communion – Streets Meadow
	12.00pm	Midday Music Box – Kate Carpenter S.
Friday	11.00am	Holy Communion – St. Margaret's
	12.00pm	Midday Music Box – St. John's First S.
	12 – 1.30pm	Lunch and Chat – Lounge
Saturday	9.15am	New Horizons Prayers – Minster

NEXT SUNDAY 1st JULY 2018 FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8.00am	Holy Communion	BCP
9.45am	Parish Eucharist	
11.15am	Informal Service with Communion	
12.30pm	Baptism of Elodie Preece	
6.30pm	Choral Evensong	BCP

MINSTER MATTERS

THE SICK: We pray for those who are sick and suffering: Edward, Michael Harding, Vera Dean, Pauline Wheeler, Norman Dance, Mildred Coombs, Elizabeth Holbrook, Brenda Gibson, Minna Harvey. Recently departed: Margaret Tambling, Rodger Coakes.

Bill is at Holt this morning.

Midday Music Box begins tomorrow at 12 noon with a welcome visit by musicians from Dumpton School, replacing the scheduled visit by Wimborne First School. St. Michael's Middle School appears on Tuesday, Queen Elizabeth's School, Wednesday, the Kate Carpenter Music School, Thursday, St. John's C of E First School, Friday.

Kevin Martin is to be ordained priest at **Salisbury Cathedral** this **Saturday, 30th June**, at **4.30pm**, and invites all who would like to do so to attend. His **first Eucharist** is at **St. Peter's Shaftesbury** next **Sunday 1st July** at **4pm**.

Our summer lunchtime recital series begins on Monday 2nd July at 12.30pm with Christchurch U3A Vintage Brass playing for us.

Greenbelt Group Meeting next Sunday 1st July 7.30 – 9pm Church House Lounge. For this last meeting before our break, we are '**Breaking out of our Echo Chamber**', considering how to widen the range of what we absorb from the media and better understand people with different view, based on a recording of last year's lively Greenbelt panel discussion with Jack Munroe, Peter Osborne of the Daily Mail and Vanessa Baird of New Internationalist. **All are welcome.**

Robert Pearce is taking part in the British Heart Foundation's Pier to Pier Swim on Sunday 15th July – Bournemouth to Boscombe – a distance of 1.4 miles. He will be in the 12 noon 'wave' – red hat number 364! If you'd like to sponsor him, you can do so through his Just Giving page <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/robert-pearce5> or contact him on **01202 886651**.

New Bible Society Resource, including material suitable for home groups, available from Anne King 01202 881019.

Pam Adams thanks all who contributed plants and pots for the Minster Green Fair.
All much appreciated.

The Friends of Wimborne Minster held their Annual Meeting last Sunday, 17th June. Fifty members, friends and trustees attended, including the Vice Chair of East Dorset Council, Cllr Barry Goringe and his wife Margaret, and our Rural Dean. The Revd Canon David Price led Evensong in the absence of Brenda Gibson, and in his sermon paid tribute to the late Stephen Batty, a former curate at the Minster. The Friends' Secretary would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who contributed to the success of the day, including the Director of Music, Organist, Bell Ringers, Vergers, Trustees and Events Team.

GDPR – a gentle reminder! If you have not completed and returned your form – with all the relevant information included – please hand it to a Churchwarden or deliver it to the Parish Office!

AND IN THE VILLAGES

Fete next Sunday 1st July at Horton and Chalbury Village Hall

Entertainment includes the Skittle Alley Strummers, a ukulele band from Wimborne, Mr. Merlin, a children's entertainer, and St. James Hand-bell Group. Light lunches, BBQ, teas, a variety of stalls, including professional craft ones. Fun for all the family!

Witchampton Fete on Saturday 7th July – 1.30pm onwards.

Holt is sharing a Songs of Praise service with the members of Holtwood Methodist Church at 6pm outdoors on Holt Green.

Everyone welcome at all events!

WIMBORNE AND AROUND THE AREA

Wimborne in Bloom Open Gardens Day – today: 18 gardens in and around the town will be open from **11.00am to 5.00pm** in aid of Wimborne in Bloom. **Pay £6.00** at the first garden visited for entry to all. Refreshments will be available at some venues and the gardens will be signposted throughout the town. There will also be an information table in The Town Square today.

Dorset Police Male Voice Choir will be in concert at Wimborne St. Giles during the annual flower festival on **Saturday 7th July at 7.30pm**. Tickets are **£10 each** (to include a glass of wine on the green during the interval) and will be available at the door. Alternatively contact ncbarnes@btinternet.com or ring 01202 882802. The proceeds from the concert will go towards the upkeep of the parish church.

On Saturday 14th July, at 7 for 7.30pm, 'The Greatest Story Ever Toured', with Paul Karenza, comes to The Lantern Church at Merley. Tickets are £6 each and are available from Canford Parish Office.

Food Bank: we are low on tinned tomatoes, tinned fruit, rice, pasta sauce, tinned rice pudding, tinned spaghetti, coffee, squash, jam, long-life milk, long-life fruit juice, shampoo and soap. Thank you for your continued generosity.

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