



**SUNDAY 20th AUGUST
2017**

**TENTH SUNDAY
AFTER TRINITY**

**8.00am Holy Communion
9.45am Parish Eucharist
11.15am Informal Service
3.00pm Dedication of new
British Legion Standard
6.30pm Evening Prayer**

We welcome everyone at our services. Families, please make use of children's corner at the back of the church. Sunday School meets in Church House during the Eucharist in term time. Morning Prayer is said Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays at 8.30am (entry by St. George's door).

THIS WEEK

Monday	12.30-1.15pm	Lunchtime Recital – Sarah Abbott - Saxophone
Tuesday	8.00am	Holy Communion
Wednesday	1.30pm	Christian Meditation Group – Crypt
	7.45pm	Prayer Group – Lounge
Thursday	9.30am	Holy Communion
	10.00am – 5pm	Happy Patchers' Quilting Exhibition – Hall (until Saturday 19 th August)
	2.30pm	Thanksgiving Service for Shirley Harrocks
Friday	11.00am	Holy Communion - St. Margaret's
Saturday	9.30am	New Horizons Prayers
	12.30pm	Kimbolton School Chamber Choir Recital

NEXT SUNDAY

SUNDAY 27th AUGUST 2017

ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8.00am	Holy Communion
9.45am	Parish Eucharist with healing
11.30am	Baptism of Jacob Crook and Riley Stephen
6.30pm	Evening Prayer

MINSTER MATTERS

THE SICK: *We pray for those known to us who are sick and suffering: Jane Davidson, Anne Norman, Jean Dawson, Eleanor Dunningham, Andrew Burn. Also, recently departed: Maurice Whitaker, Shirley Harrocks, Edna Carter.*

A copy of Vanessa's farewell sermon is available on the website or from the office.

Suzie is at Witchampton this morning.

A service will be held **this afternoon at 3.00pm** to dedicate the **new Standard of The Royal British Legion**, Wimborne Branch. The service will last for around 30 minutes and will be attended by dignitaries from other branches in Dorset. Refreshments in the RBL clubhouse will follow.

Today – Minster Strollers: A 2 to 3 mile walk on Martin Down, a national nature reserve, an area of chalk grassland, which is a good habitat for wildflowers and butterflies, and with beautiful views over Cranborne Chase. The walk is largely level and there are no stiles. We start at 2.30pm from the car park on the A354. (OS Landranger 184 Grid Ref: 037 202). If you would like to share a car, meet in the Minster car park at 2.00pm. **Alison Francis 01202 886938.**

We welcome Sarah Abbott (Saxophone) to give our last Summer 2017 Monday Lunchtime Recital tomorrow.

We are also looking forward to welcoming The Kimbolton School Chamber Choir to give a recital next Saturday, 26th August, at 12.30pm.

We thank all our visiting recitalists for a splendid summer of music.

Alternative Choir: School Summer Holidays:

Members of the Alternative Choir are asked to help lead the singing at the Parish Eucharist today and next Sunday 27th August. Do come along with any friends or relatives who enjoy singing, to meet promptly at 9.15am in the choir vestry to practise. Many thanks. Liz Watson

Members of the Friends are asked to check the letter rack for the latest Newsletter and, if already booked, tickets for the Dean's Court Tea.

A Christian Meditation Group is now meeting in the Crypt each Wednesday lunchtime at 1.30pm.

A coach has been arranged for **Vanessa's Collation and Installation at Chelmsford Cathedral on 24th September.** The coach will leave Wimborne at 9am - there will be just one service at the Minster at 8am on that day. The cost of the coach is £16 per person. Please sign the appropriate list.

Kevin Martin's ordination is to take place on 27th September at St. Peter's. Shaftesbury at 7pm. Kevin's last Sunday at the Minster will be 3rd

September. Donations for a gift for Kevin can be made to the churchwardens or parish office.

Harvest Supper and Ceilidh: An entertaining night out, full of fun and good cheer, with your friends and relatives on **Saturday, 16th September at QE School at 7 for 7.30pm**. Tickets are **now on sale** from the Minster Shop, the Parish Office and Square Records. Tickets bought in advance are just £10 each (£5 for accompanied children aged 5 to 15, and £25 for a family ticket for two adults and two children) to include a delicious supper, and access to a bar selling liquid refreshments at very modest prices. Why sit at home complaining about the endless repeats on the TV or the radio, when you can enjoy the fellowship of members of the congregation of the Minster and the Northern Villages, and only if you wish, join in the country-dancing master-minded by the Swing your Partner band. Places at tables can be reserved, see the tickets for details so you can be certain of sitting with your family and friends.

Lifts to and from QE will be organised via a list in the Minster. Please offer a lift of you can. We look forward to seeing you there. **Barry Glazier 01202 885128**

Minster Shop – new stock includes books of the poetry of Malcolm Guite (recently featured in The Revd Dr Brenda Gibson's sermon and Church Times).

Calling all jam and chutney makers! Tricia Orchard has a large quantity of jars which may be of use. Please ring her on **01202 881327**.

Home Insurance: Ecclesiastical Insurance is celebrating its 130th anniversary by offering to give £130 to the PCC for every home insurance policy taken out by members of the PCC and Minster congregation before 31st July next year. The PCC cannot offer advice as to the appropriateness of the policy on offer, and, as always, it would be prudent to seek at least one alternative quotation. If you do decide to ask Ecclesiastical to quote, please call 0800 783 0130 and quote TRUST130. If you decide to take out a policy with them, please advise the Parish Office so that we can check the receipt of the £130. A flyer is included with this week's newsletter.

WIMBORNE AND AROUND THE AREA

Samaritans of Bournemouth and District will be serving **Cream Teas at the Old School Sturminster Marshall today from 2.30 – 5pm**. There is also a Tombola with some fantastic prizes. Please come and enjoy delicious scones and cakes whilst raising funds for this very worthwhile charity.

Wimborne in Bloom's Annual Duck Race takes place on **Saturday**. The 'ducks' will be launched beside the **Riverside Mews Café at 4pm**. The finishing line is at the back of the **Rising Sun in East Street**. **Tickets, £1** will be on sale **Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 24th, 25th and 26th August** outside both the **Co-Operative** and **Waitrose** stores. All proceeds to Wimborne in Bloom's funds.

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