

DIARY DATES 2018

SEPTEMBER

- Wed 19th Benefice Midweek Communion**
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
- Sat 22nd First Round Astwell Benefice/
Village Quiz**
7 for 7.15pm, Syresham V Hall
- Sun 23rd Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity
Benefice Communion &
Rev'd Carole's Leaving Service,
followed by refreshments.**
10.30am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
- Wed 26th MIDWEEK BENEFICE COMMUNION
BY EXT (NB. this change of service)**
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
BPCC Finance Comm Mtg
6.30pm, Vine Cottage
- Sun 30th Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity
Village Praise & Prayer**
9.30am, St Mary & St Peter, Lois Weedon
Parish Communion
*10am, St John the Evangelist, Whitfield
(with Revd Peter Allen)*
**Parish Communion for the Feast Day of
St Mary the Virgin**
*11.15am, St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham
(with Revd Peter Allen)*
Choral Evensong
6pm, St James the Great, Syresham
- ### OCTOBER
- Wed 3rd Midweek Benefice Service of the
Word (WS)**
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
LW BRICC Mtg
2.30pm, Croft Farm
- Sat 6th Helmdon & Radstone Harvest
Festival Supper & Auction**
6pm, Reading Room, Helmdon
- Sun 7th Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity
Benefice Communion by Extension**
10.30am, St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham
- Mon 8th St Loys School Harvest Festival**
2.30pm, St Mary & St Peter, Lois Weedon
- Wed 10th Midweek Benefice Service of the
Word (WS)**
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
Bingo Evening
7.30 for 8pm, Whitfield V Hall
- Thurs 11th Benefice Fundraiser – Floral Festival**
St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham
- Sat 13th 'Equipped for the Task' Training**
9am-12.45pm, Wellingborough
**Lois Weedon & Wappenham
Joint Harvest in the Barn**
4.30pm, Venue tbc
- Sun 14th Breakfast Church**
9am, St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham
Matins
9.30am, St Mary & St Peter, Lois Weedon
Parish Communion By Extension
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
Messy Church – Preparing for Harvest
3.30pm, St James the Great, Syresham
- Mon 15th Helmdon House Group**
2.30pm, 9 Wappenham Rd, Helmdon
- Wed 17th Midweek Benefice Service of the
Word (WS)**
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon



PEWS NEWS

The Astwell Benefice

St Mary Magdalene Helmdon with Stuchbury and St Lawrence Radstone and St James the Great Syresham with St John the Evangelist Whitfield, St Mary & St Peter Lois Weedon with Weston and Plumpton and St Mary the Virgin Wappenham.

Sunday 16th September 2018 Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

Services in the Benefice today:

- 8am Prayerbook Communion**
St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
- 9 – 10am Breakfast, followed by
10am Prayer & Praise - Theme: 'Change'**
St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
- 9.30am Holy Communion**
St Mary & St Peter, Lois Weedon
- 10.30am Village Prayer & Praise**
St James the Great, Syresham
- 11.15am Parish Communion**
St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham

Today's Bible Readings:

Isaiah 50. 4-9a

James 3.1-12

Gospel: Mark 8.27-end

Please take this home with you, as everyone is welcome at any or all of our events and services.

Services in the Benefice this Week:

**Wednesday 19th September 2018
Midweek Benefice Communion**
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon

**Sunday 23rd September 2018
Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity**

**Benefice Communion &
Rev'd Carole's Leaving Service
followed by refreshments.**

10.30am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon

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To hold in your prayers this week:

We bring before our loving heavenly Father those who are unwell, recovering from illness or who are simply having a bad time and all those who need our prayers.

Please pray for the family and friends of Dennis Hackett, from Whitfield, who died suddenly this week whilst on holiday in Greece with his family. Pray especially for Angela, his wife, Jo, his daughter and Erik his son in law.

Also

From Helmdon:

Joyce Beech, Philip Gulliver, Peter Payne, Jason Holt, Emma, Jon and baby Ellouise.

From Lois Weedon:

Joan Jacobs, Lis Cockrell, Delia Jones, Judith Allen, Jeremy "Jez" Wilcox.

From Syresham:

Greg Oles and family, Derek Hollyoake, Doreen Moreland, Peter Sims.

From Wappenham:

Sue Corbishley, Judy King, Sheena Warren.

For those known to us:

Gill Goodwin, Marjorie Baxter, Pauline Collis, Christopher Carr, Evelyn Johnson, Alison Wilson, Jonnie D'Arcy, James Smillie, Roberta Estes, Peter Sheen, Dick White.

Please pray for those bereaved:

Susan & Sally, daughters of Dick Wilson; Gillian & the family & friends of David Wyness; Brenda, & the family & friends of Colin Goode; Jean Bearman; the family, friends and parishioners of the Rev'd Roger Bellamy; Ruth & the family and friends of Rex Jessett; Sue James, Colin & family; Jill Pinder and family; Julia and Malcolm and the friends & family of Celia Terrey; Robin & Jeffrey and the friends & family of Pip Dandy; Jane and the family and friends of George Beyts; Diane Hunt and family & friends of Rosemary Hinton; Kathryn and Peter Oliver; Barbara and the family & friends of Trudi Buxton; Jack, Trevor, David and Amanda and all the family and friends of Ann Harman; the family of Rev'd David Randell; Ed, Louise and the family of Barbara Rawlins; Gerald and the family of Shirley Holt; Elsie and the family of Mark Kilby; Gillian and the family of Alan Clube; Tony Wilmot and family; the family of Keith Hawkins; the family of Neil Carruthers; Sam and Simon Clarke and family; Vanessa Vicars; the family of Paul Haughton; the family of Daphne Smith; Alison Allee & family; Tricia French; Geoff and Jo Abbey.

And for the work of the Beacon Centre, The Wolverton Mission, the Hope Centre, Katharine House Hospice and Northampton Women's Aid. We also continue to pray for all refugees fleeing persecution and all victims of terror.

We are happy to add anyone to our prayer list providing they are happy to have us pray for them. You may also know someone who would prefer private prayers.

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

SEPTEMBER

Mon 17th	Helmdon Worship Team Mtg	10am, 48, Wapp Rd, Helmdon
	Helmdon House Group	2.30pm, 9 Wapp Rd, Helmdon
Tues 18th	Helmdon Café	10am – 12 noon, Reading Room
	Hope Centre Food Delivery	1pm
Wed 19th	Midweek Benefice Service of the Word	10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
	Mums & Tots	10am-noon, Syresham V Hall
Thur 20th	Helmdon Parents & Tots	9.15-11.15am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
	Syresham Café	10.30-12.30pm, V Hall
	Benefice Choir Practice	6.30-7.30pm, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
Sat 22nd	Bellringing Practice	9.30 – 10.30am, Helmdon
	Astwell Benefice Village Quiz	7 for 7.15pm, Syresham Village Hall



Astwell Inter-Parish/ Village League First Round

Saturday 22nd September 2018

7 for 7.15pm start

Syresham New Village Hall

Tickets £10 each (includes quiz & meal)

Come along and pit your wits against other people in the Benefice. Includes a Mastermind round – see Syresham's expert on 1960's pop music!

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NOTICE

**Is there something you would like to advertise?
Is there an event coming up?**

**Is there a charity you are passionate about?
Or are you part of a group or society linked to the church that you would like to tell others about?**

Now is your chance!

From October, we are opening up this spot to you as well as regular updates from your representatives and Churchwardens about the Interregnum. We would like to hear from you!

Please send all contributions to Sarah Rudkin at:

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