

DIARY DATES 2019

SEPTEMBER

- Mon 23rd** **BPCC Worship Comm Mtg**
7pm, 48 Wappenham Rd, Helmdon
- Wed 25th** **Benefice Midweek Communion by Ext (WS)**
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
- Sun 29th** **Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity**
Prayer & Praise
9.30am, St Mary & St Peter, Lois Weedon
Parish Communion (Revd Ann Slater)
10am, St John the Evangelist, Whitfield
Parish Communion (Revd Ann Slater)
11.15am, St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham
Harvest Evensong (followed by Supper and Auction)
5pm, St James the Great, Syresham

OCTOBER

- Wed 2nd** **Benefice Midweek Communion by Ext (WS)**
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
- Sun 6th** **Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity**
Benefice Communion (Revd David Painter)
10.30am, St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham
- Wed 9th** **Benefice Midweek Service (WS)**
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
Benefice Bingo
7.30 for 8pm, Whitfield Village Hall
- Thurs 10th** **Deanery Synod (inc Holy Communion with Archdeacon Richard Ormston and Bring & Share Supper)**
7 for 7.15pm, St John the Evangelist, Whitfield
- Sat 12th** **Wappenham BRICC Mtg**
9am, Astwell Mill
- Sun 13th** **Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity**
Breakfast Church
9am, St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham
Matins
9.30am, St Mary & St Peter, Lois Weedon
Parish Communion by Ext (WS)
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
Parish Communion by Ext (WS)
11.15am, St James the Great, Syresham
Harvest Service & Supper (Paul Stothard)
6pm, St John the Evangelist, Whitfield
- Mon 14th** **BPCC Pastoral Care Meeting**
10.30am, 48 Wappenham Rd, Helmdon
Syresham BRICC Meeting
7.30pm, The Priory
- Wed 16th** **Benefice Midweek Service (WS)**
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
- Fri 18th** **Benefice Quiz Night**
7.30pm, Syresham Sports & Social Club
- Sat 19th** **Baptism of Teddy Armstrong (Revd Will Adams)**
3.30pm, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
- Sun 20th** **Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity**
Prayerbook Communion (Revd W Adams)
8am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
9-10am Breakfast, followed by ...
Prayer & Praise
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
Holy Communion (Bishop Ed Condry)
9.30am, St Mary & St Peter, Lois Weedon
Village Prayer & Praise
10.30am, St James the Great, Syresham
Parish Communion (Bishop Ed Condry)
11.15am, St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham
- Wed 23rd** **Benefice Midweek Service (WS)**
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
- Thurs 24th** **SCHOOLS BREAK UP FOR HALF TERM**
- Sat 26th** **Helmdon Craft Day**
10am-4pm, 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.

Services in the Benefice today:

Sunday 15th September 2019 Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity

8am **Prayerbook Communion (Revd J Roberts)**
St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon

NB: NO BREAKFAST AT HELMDON

11.15am **Harvest Service followed by Lunch & Auction (Tickets - £5 for adults)**
St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon

9.30am **Holy Communion by Extension (WS)**
St Mary & St Peter, Lois Weedon

10.30am **Village Prayer & Praise**
St James the Great, Syresham

11.15am **Parish Communion by Extension (WS)**
St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham

Today's Readings:

Jeremiah 4. 11-12, 22-28
1 Timothy 1. 12-17
Gospel: Luke 15. 1-10

SERVICES IN THE BENEFICE NEXT WEEK

Wednesday 18th September 2019
Benefice Midweek Service (WS)
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon

Sunday 22nd September 2019
Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

10am **Holy Communion (Revd J Roberts)**
St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon

11.15am **All Age Service**
St James the Great, Syresham

6pm **Harvest Festival Service (Revd David Painter)**
followed by a Hot Supper and Sale of Produce
St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham

6pm **Evensong**
St Mary & St Peter, Lois Weedon

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:

From Helmdon:

Joyce Beech, Philip Gulliver, Emma, Jon & Ellouise, Claire & Freya, Barbara Buxton, Joyce Wiggins, Diane Thorpe & Vanessa Vicars.

From Lois Weedon:

Joan Jacobs, Lis Cockrell, Delia Jones, Judith Allen, Jeremy "Jez" Wilcox, Ernie Wheeler, Elsie Hatton & David Jones.

From Syresham:

Derek Hollyoake, Peter Sims & Ann Widdowson.

From Wappenham:

Judy King and Claire Kennett

For those known to us:

Gill Goodwin, Marjorie Baxter, Pauline Collis, Christopher Carr, Evelyn Johnson, Jonnie D'Arcy, James Smillie, Peter Sheen, Dick White, June Brereton, Roger Cane, Penny Bonnymede and Matthew Smith.

Please pray for those bereaved, and the family & friends of: Greg Oles, Mike Durant, Stewart Gundle, Ian Kidd, Una Tucker, Richard Tims, Peter Payne, Ivan Hathaway, Robin Oliver, Doreen Moreland, Sue Corbishley, Jason Holt & Shirley Holt, Dennis Hackett, Dick Wilson, David Wyness, Rev'd Roger Bellamy, Rex Jessett, Celia Terrey, George Beyts, Ann Harman, Rev'd David Randell, Mark Kilby, Alan Clube, Keith Hawkins and Neil Carruthers. And also for the Bearman family, Susan Clarke & family, Kathryn and Peter Oliver, & Geoff and Jo Abbey.

Also, please pray 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.

Recent Baptism

Please pray for **Grace Charlotte Watson** and her family, after her baptism on Sunday 8th September at St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

SEPTEMBER

Mon 16th	BPCC Finance Comm Mtg	6.30pm
	Vine Cottage, Syresham	
	BPCC Social & Fundraising Comm Mtg	7pm
	Manor Farm, Wappenham	
Tues 17th	Helmdon Café	10am -12 noon, Reading Rm
	Hope Centre Food Delivery	1pm
	Lois Weedon BRICC Mtg	2.30pm, Croft Farm
Wed 18th	Benefice Midweek Service (WS)	10am
	St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon	
	Mums & Tots	10am-noon, Syresham V Hall
Thurs 19th	Helmdon Parents & Tots	10am-noon
	St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon	
	Syresham Coffee Morning	10.30-12.30pm, V Hall
	Special BPCC Meeting	7.45pm
	Wappenham Village Hall	
Sat 21st	Bell ringing Practice	9.30 – 10.30am, Helmdon



St Loys Primary Academy & Pre-School Open Morning

**You are warmly invited to our Open Morning
on Thursday 10th October 2019, 9.30 – 11.30am**

- Meet the Head teacher, Teachers & Pupils
- Visit classes & view our Creative Curriculum Displays
- See our 'Outstanding' Pre-School Provision

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