

NOTICES 22 AUGUST – 6 SEPTEMBER 2026



23 August 08.00 Said Communion. All Saints, Harnham Road

10.00 Sung Communion. All Saints, Harnham Road

30 August 10.00 Sung Communion. St Georges, Lower Street

Please note that All Saints will be closed during the day for the next few weeks - you are welcome to pray in St Georges.

PARISH DIARY		
Sat 22	10.00-12.00 10.00-12.00 17.00-17.30	Harnham Harvest Table. HCN. <i>Recreation Ground.</i> Coffee and Chat. HCN. <i>Field View.</i> Peace Vigil for permanent ceasefire in the Middle East. <i>Outside Salisbury Library.</i>
Sun 23 All Saints	08.00 10.00 12.30	Said Communion. Sunday Sermon Series 'What place does Christian discipleship have in a modern democratic society?' Revd Becky. Matt Stone LLM preaching. Sung Communion. Revd Becky. Matt Stone LLM preaching (<i>1 Corinthians 12:12-16 Matthew 10:29-31</i>) Christening. Emily H. St Georges.
Tues 25	09.00 12.30	Morning prayer. <i>All Saints Churchyard.</i> Magazine Collation. <i>Field View.</i>
Weds 26	09.00 10.00-12.00 19.30	Morning prayer. <i>St Georges.</i> Coffee and Chat. <i>Field View.</i> Pause for Thought, with Matt Stone LLM. <i>Rose and Crown</i>
Fri 28	12.00	Midday Meditation and Taizé. <i>St Georges side chapel.</i>
Sat 29	10.00-12.00 10.00-12.00 17.00-17.30	Coffee and Chat. HCN. <i>Field View.</i> Harnham Harvest Table. HCN. <i>Parish Hall Field.</i> Peace Vigil for permanent ceasefire in the Middle East. <i>Outside Salisbury Library.</i>
Sun 30 St Georges	10.00	Sung Communion. A reflective service on the theme of 'Rest, Holidays and Psalm 23' Revd Sophie. Katy Carter. (<i>Psalm 23</i>) <i>This service will be slightly shorter than normal as we will be spending some time in conversation reflecting on the Summer Sermon Series over coffee. We will also prepare for a part of Revd Becky's leaving gift through a creative activity to thank Revd Becky. Please bring some personal memories of Becky and Neil's time in the Parish, including a photo or two to share.</i>
Tues 1 Sept	09.00	Morning prayer. <i>All Saints Churchyard.</i>
Weds 2	09.00 10.00-12.00 10.00 19.30	Morning prayer. <i>St Georges.</i> Coffee and Chat. HCN. <i>Field View.</i> Wellbeing Walk. <i>From Parish Hall.</i> Pause for Thought, with Matt Stone LLM. <i>Rose and Crown.</i>
Fri 4	12.00	Midday Meditation and Taizé. <i>St Georges side chapel.</i>
Sat 5	10.00-12.00 10.00-12.00	Harnham Harvest Table. HCN. <i>Recreation Ground.</i> Coffee and Chat. HCN. <i>Field View.</i>
Sun 6 St Georges	10.00	Sung Communion. 'Creationtide – the Feast of Christ in Creation'. Revd Becky. Lay Deacon Neil. Debbie Musselwhite reflection. (<i>Matthew 8:23-27</i>)

A word from Revd Becky...

When considering the role of Christianity and politics, I always refer to Archbishop Desmond Tutu's statement, "When people say that religion and politics don't mix, I wonder which Bible it is they are reading." John Bell, hymn writer and known for his work in the Iona Community, states "The life of the Iona community revolves around integrating work and worship, prayer and politics, the sacred and the secular." This is true for all worshipping communities.

One of the Affirmations of Faith, from the Iona Community, includes: "We affirm a faith that takes us beyond the safe place: into action, into vulnerability and into the streets. We commit ourselves to work for change and put ourselves on the line; to bear responsibility, take risks, live powerfully and face humiliation; to stand with those on the edge; to choose life and be used by the Spirit for God's new community of hope - a challenge for us all to keep heeding" *Revd Becky*

In our prayers, please pray for...

Global:	Peace and reconciliation amongst all peoples. Ceasefire between nations. All of Creation. Welcoming people of all faiths.
Church:	23/8: The Church of the Province of West Africa 30/8: The Church in the Province of the West Indies.

Diocese:	Summer and Holiday Play Schemes. The whole of Calne and Marlborough Deaneries and all who minister, worship, work and live there.
Harnham:	23/8: The businesses and all who work on Harnham Trading Estate and adjacent trading areas. St Michaels and St Andrews churches. Richards Way and Stephens Close. 30/8: Harnham Infant and Junior Schools – teachers, ancillary staff, pupils and governors, especially as they prepare to return to school after the Summer break. Turner Close and Middle Street. The PCC and all members of the Parish for God's loving support during this time of change. Revd Becky and Neil for guidance, wisdom, rest and peace at this time of transition.
Growing in Faith and Action:	Church members active engagement in the political decisions of the world.
Our shared home the earth:	Creationtide including the harvest. For the fair sharing of the fruits of the Earth amongst all people and creatures.
Wholeness:	Chris W, Revd Simon, Margaret R, Mary C, William A, Tracey G, Anne P, Sandra P, David & Ann P, Andrew, Jenny C, Jennifer, David Bl.
RIP:	Michael T

A very BIG thank you to...

Revd Sophie, Katy, Jacqui and all who helped with Bubble fest outside the Social Club in early August. It was a huge success with bubbles, stories, play and prayer. At one point 150 people were counted! AMAZING! *Revd Becky*

Charles Woodd and Richard Scott as incoming Churchwardens, for coming forward and being sworn in on Sunday 16 August. We welcome them and wish them well in their new ministry. *Revd Becky and the PCC*

Revd Sophie and everyone involved in our new Accessibility project, who continue advising, having input regarding needs, drawing up plans for adaptations, getting quotes, applying for grants and more. *If you'd like to contribute your skills, time or money towards making our facilities and services more accessible please let the PCC know. The PCC*

Keep the dates August and September...

2 Sept	First Wednesday Talk: An Evening with Sarum Morris - all about Morris Dancing, 7.30 pm, Parish Hall. No charge, donations invited, interval refreshments.
6 Sept	'Hymns and Pimms' is back - an old time sing along. 15.00-17.00 in the Parish Hall. Forms to request your favourite hymns are in both churches or email david.baker1204@outlook.com An opportunity to invite friends and neighbours along.
7 Sept	Michael Turner RIP. Revd Michael Turner's funeral service will be held on Monday 7 September at 14.00 in St Georges Church. Please be aware that there is limited seating and come prepared to stand! For those unable to attend, the service may be streamed. There will be an opportunity to gather with family and friends in the Parish Hall afterwards in gratitude for his life. More details to follow.
12 Sept	Ride and Stride Wiltshire Churches Open Day – please consider helping make our churches wonderful for visitors, and sponsoring. Forms are in the churches. Contact Robert Salkeld.
13 Sept	Revd Becky's last Sunday worship – please come to All Saints 8.00 and Sung Communion at 10.00, Messy Church at 15.00 at the Parish Hall, and at 16.30 at the Old Mill to celebrate and thank Revd Becky for her years of ministry for our Parish. There will be refreshments at All Saints after the 10.00 service and a presentation. At the Old Mill later in the afternoon there will be an informal party – with music and light refreshments. If you would like to Donate towards a leaving gift, please either bring it to the Parish Office/Post it through the letterbox marked 'Revd Becky Gift' or give it to Revd Sophie. Thank you! Please contact Revd Sophie if any questions.
13 Sept	Messy Church is back after the Summer, from 15-16.30 in the Parish Hall, with outdoor fun, games and craft. All are Welcome! Please join us – an adult must stay with children.

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