

PARISH SHOW – DEDDINGTON CHURCH: The Show is next Saturday, 7th September. The Show committee would be very grateful to have donations of bottles and homemade cakes etc for the stalls. If you can help in this way, please give them to Wendy or bring them to the church by 1-00pm on the day of the Show. Thank you.
Stan, Wendy, Joan, Sue, Terry, Bev and Angela.

LES CHAPPELL: has devoted much of his time to keeping the church open as deputy warden at St. John the Evangelist Church, Hempton. For many years he prepared the church for Sunday worship, has overseen the general upkeep of the building and managed OSR bookings amongst other things. Sadly the time has come for Les to step down - he will be sorely missed. There is a collection being organised for Les to show our gratitude and thanks for all he has done. If you wish to contribute please contact Heather Nason.

WELCOMERS NEEDED: in Deddington church on Ride and Stride day Saturday, 14th September. Please sign up on the list on the table at the back of the church. We also need more Riders and Striders. Contact Jane Green for further information on 337837 or green-jane@btconnect.com

HARVEST SUPPER SATURDAY 5TH OCTOBER AT DEDDINGTON CHURCH 6.30pm to 9.00pm – TICKETS NOW ON SALE! Please join us to celebrate this wonderful time of year with locally harvested produce. Tickets cost £12 per person (£6 for children) for a 2-course meal, entertainment and drinks on arrival. To purchase tickets please put your name down on the list at the back of the church or speak to one of the social committee. All money raised will go towards paying for the Christmas Lunch which the church will be providing on Christmas Day for anyone who will be on their own over Christmas. *Please tell us when booking if you are vegetarian or have any dietary requirements.*
Caroline, Heather, Wendy, John, Hillarie, Meriel and Angela.

IMPERIAL WAR MUSEUM TRIP - PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DATE: We are planning a trip, with the RBL to visit the Imperial War Museum in London on **Thursday 10th October 2019**, there will be a cost for the hire of the coach and we will let you know the amount nearer the time. If you would like to join us, please sign up on the sheet at the back of Deddington Church.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY: Monday 15 September starting at 9.15am, one of our big church clean-ups is planned, please come and help, bringing your own mop, bucket or vacuum cleaner if possible.

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It is a brave guest who criticizes his host's hospitality. In the context of dinner with a Pharisee Jesus enjoins hospitality to the marginalized and the outcast precisely because they cannot return the favour. It's not clear what had motivated his host to invite him but the encouragement in Hebrews to show hospitality to strangers and thereby maybe 'entertain angels unawares' provides ironic commentary on the incident. Careful as many Christian communities are to demarcate belonging and non-belonging, the challenge to show radical and altruistic hospitality is salutary.

SERVICES THIS SUNDAY

Hempton	09.00 Holy Communion
Barford St Michael	10.30 Prayer & Praise
Deddington	10.30 Family Service
	18.00 Sung Evensong

HYMNS AT DEDDINGTON CHURCH

CP: 591 The kingdom of God is justice and joy,
140 Christ is alive! Let Christians sing, 21 Sun of my soul, thou Saviour dear.

DEDDINGTON CHURCH THIS WEEK

Monday – Friday	08.45	Morning Prayer
Wednesday	10.00	Holy Communion
Thursday	10.30	Thursday's Squiggles & Wiggles to 12noon
Saturday	14.00	Parish Show

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY (8th September)

Deddington	08.00 BCP Communion
	10.30 Holy Communion
Barford St John	09.00 Holy Communion

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

First Reading	Deuteronomy 30: 15-20
Second Reading	Philemon 1-21
Gospel	Luke 14: 25-33

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BENEFICE WORSHIP AND NEWS**1st September 2019**

The Parish Church of St Peter and St Paul, Deddington
The Barford Churches of St Michael and St John
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