

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.

GLYMPTON CREAM TEAS:- Glympton Village Hall have Cream Teas this Sunday 11th August from 2.30pm. If you need transport, please speak to Olivia Fenion or Heather Nason, or see the form on the table at the back of the Church.

BENEFICE BBQ:- All are welcome on Sunday 18th August to the Vicarage garden from 1pm onwards for the Benefice BBQ. Please bring food to be cooked – accompanying salads will be provided.

THE BARFORDS CHURCH FETE – AUGUST BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY : Come and join us at The Manor House, Barford St Michael at 2:00pm for our annual Fete. Lots of new ideas join the old favourites! Wonderful teas by the moat, a huge raffle, chance to win a family ticket to a London pantomime and much, much more!

RIDE & STRIDE 2019:- will take place on Saturday, 14 September. If you would like to take part in this event to raise money for the Oxfordshire Historic Churches Trust and for own church please contact Jane Green for details on 01869 337837 or green-jane@btconnect.com

IMPERIAL WAR MUSEUM: We are planning a trip, with the RBL to visit the Imperial War Museum in London on Wednesday 9th 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.

PARISH PIXELS - PART II:- We are looking for a single photo showing what makes our churches special, whether taken by a professional photographer or someone using a smart phone. It could be anything related to the church from the volunteers who help in and around the church, to the children at family service. We will select the photo to submit in early October. Contact Tony Elvidge for the Barfords and Meriel Flux for Deddington and Hempton.

'I have had enough of burnt offerings' says the Lord, through Isaiah, and also of religious assemblies (haven't we all?). Instead the instruction is clear: 'Do good, seek justice, rescue the oppressed. 'The psalm, too, cautions against distractions of religious posturing and material wealth, and Paul cites the example of Abraham's faithfulness despite no tangible reward. Jesus also pulls no punches in telling his followers to relinquish worldly possessions and to live generously, with eyes and hearts towards heaven.

SERVICES THIS SUNDAY

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

HYMNS AT DEDDINGTON CHURCH

CP: 4 Lord, as the day begins, 386 Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart, 375 Amazing grace (how sweet the sound), 622 Will you come and follow me

DEDDINGTON CHURCH THIS WEEK

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

BARFORD ST MICHAEL CHURCH

Saturday	15.00	Wedding – Alice Murray and Thomas Best
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SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY (18th August)

Hempton	09.00 Holy Communion
Deddington	10.30 Holy Communion
Barford St Michael	10.30 Family Service

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

First Reading	Jeremiah 23: 23-29
Second Reading	Hebrews 11: 29-12:2
Gospel	Luke 12: 49-56

Churchwardens:

Deddington	Iain Gillespie	338367
	Meriel Flux	338901
Barfords	Tony Elvidge	338214
	Sue Addison	338017

Vicar:

Rev'd Annie Goldthorp	(01869) 336880
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Curate:

Rev'd Paula Smith	(01869) 337884
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Anyone with an enquiry about Weddings or Baptisms should speak to the Vicar after a service.

For all other church bookings please contact:

Judy Ward, Parish Administrator (bookings@deddingtonchurch.org)

Items for inclusion in this weekly news sheet should be sent to Judy by 12 noon on Wednesdays.