

THE ELECTORAL ROLL: for the Parish of Deddington with Clifton and Hempton and the Barford Parishes needs to be totally revised this year. So, if you wish your name to be on it, please fill in an application form to be found on the table at the back of the church and then put it in the folder for Completed Forms.

THE BARFORDS' LAUNCH OF THE PARISH GIVING SCHEME: You are cordially invited to the launch of our Parish Giving Scheme on Sunday 3rd March at 10:30am in St Michaels Church. Many of you give very generously to the church for its upkeep and its mission to spread the love of God throughout The Barfords and beyond. The Parish Giving Scheme is a simple way to give regularly to the churches here in The Barfords. Please come along to the launch and hear more about how you can help keep the church going and enable its mission.

PANCAKES AND PLONK: Come and join us for pancakes and plonk in Deddington Church on Shrove Tuesday 5th March from 6pm. Everyone welcome!

LENT COURSE: For those who have signed up for our Lent course this year "FINDING A VOICE" which is based on the film The King's Speech. The film will be shown on Thursday 7 March at 7pm in Deddington Church, and then the course will run every Thursday evening from the 14th March until 11th April at 7.30pm in the church.

LENT LUNCHES 2019: Please come and join us at Deddington Church on Thursdays at 12noon throughout Lent (starting on the 7th March) for a simple lunch of homemade soup, bread and cheese. Donations will go directly to UNICEF's Yemen appeal where malnutrition is at an all-time high with over 400,000 children suffering from acute malnutrition and in urgent need of life-saving food. We would be very grateful of offers to make soup, setting up on the day and helping to clear away. If you are able to help, please could you put your name on the rota at the back on church. Thank you. Caroline, Wendy, Heather, Angela, Meriel and John.

HEATING TRIAL IN ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH, BARFORD: We have installed some CoolTouch heaters and Adax under pew heaters into some of the short pews in St Michael's church. The trial will run for a couple of months. Please let the churchwardens know what you think of them!

When the disciples wake Jesus, they are not expecting him to do anything. No wonder they are 'afraid and amazed' when Jesus hushes the storm. Jesus is able to sleep peacefully as the waters batter the boat because he knows the One who created life out of nothing, and made dry land out of the turbulent oceans.

SERVICES THIS SUNDAY

Barford St Michael	09.00 Holy Communion
Deddington	10.30 Holy Communion
Hempton	18.00 Evening Prayer

HYMNS AT DEDDINGTON CHURCH

CP: 267 Thou, whose almighty word, 496 Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us, 278 Alleluia, sing to Jesus!, 202 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God almighty!

DEDDINGTON CHURCH THIS WEEK

Monday – Friday	08.45	Morning Prayer
Wednesday	10.00	Holy Communion Service
	13.00	Funeral – Joy Drake
Saturday	08.45	Prayers
	19.30	North Cotswold Chamber Choir Choral Concert

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY (3rd March)

Hempton	09.00	Holy Communion
Barford St Michael	10.30	Parish Giving Scheme Launch
Deddington	10.30	Family Service
	18.00	Choral Evensong

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

First Reading	Exodus 34: 29-35
Second Reading	2 Corinthians 3: 12-4:2
Gospel	Luke 9: 28-43a

We welcome Harriet who is being baptised at Deddington Church today. We pray for her, her parents, godparents, family and friends, as she begins her Christian journey

Churchwardens:

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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.