

September

Farewell Paula

Today is Paula's last service as curate with us. Sadly, we cannot gather to celebrate her time with us. Paula, we thank God for you and for your ministry with us and send you with our prayers and love to your new ministry.



Ordination of David Benskin at Dorchester Abbey

Sunday 27 September at 3pm Streamed live

<https://www.oxford.anglican.org/coronavirus-covid-19-2/livestream>

The Daily Hope free phone service offers daily prayer, reflection and hymns for everyone. The line - which is available 24 hours a day on 0800 804 8044 - has been set up especially for those who might not be able to join online church services or come to church in person.



DEDDINGTON FAIR TRADERS - Autumn 2020 catalogue now available from Viviane Hall 338225 vmhall1990@gmail.com

From last week - Matthew was a tax collector. The name Matthew, means 'gift of God'. Matthew is NOT patron of IT consultants! {Question- so who is?}



Food Bank: Volunteers wanted to assist in running a food bank in Deddington. Please talk to the vicar, wardens or any member of the PCC.

Deddington APCM: after the Sunday service on 11 October 2020. We need more members for the PCC, including Deanery Synod representatives. Please consider putting yourself forward for these essential tasks in helping to run our church. Also, Jain has been the treasurer (as well as Churchwarden) for over thirteen years and would be very grateful if a replacement would step forward.

For church bookings please contact: bookings@deddingtonchurch.org
please send any items for the newsheet by 1200 noon on Wednesdays to
newsheet@deddingtonchurch.org

BENEFICE WORSHIP AND NEWS

St Peter and St Paul, Deddington

St Michael and St John, Barford

St John the Evangelist Hempton

16th SUNDAY after Trinity

27 SEPTEMBER 2020

This Sunday's readings reflect a debate about authority - about who has it, and about who it comes from. The chief priests and elders of the people challenge Jesus' authority in the temple, and the prophet Ezekiel rebukes the people for not recognizing God's authority above their own will and desires. We are left pondering the authority we give to God in our own lives, and wondering about the authority the church has to speak in our time - an authority which presumably has to be earned as we demonstrate the character of God at work in relationship with one another.

Sunday by Sunday, RSCM

FAREWELL PAULA

SERVICES 27 SEPTEMBER - 2 OCTOBER

(also streamed live at www.deddingtonchurch.org)

SUNDAY	1030	Holy Communion
MONDAY TO FRIDAY	0845	Morning Prayer
WEDNESDAY	1000	Holy Communion

Readings:

Sunday - Ezekiel 18.1-4, 25-end, **Phillipians 2.1-13**, Matthew 21.23-32

Monday - 1 Kings 12.25-13.10, **Acts 19.8-20**

Tuesday - Tobit 12.6-end OR Daniel 12.1-4, **Acts 12.1-11**

[Michael and All Angels]

Wednesday - 1 Kings 17, **Acts 20.1-16**

Thursday - 1 Kings 18.1-20, **Acts 20.17-end**

Friday - 1 Kings 18.21-end, **Acts 21.1-16**

Saturday - 1 Kings 19, **Acts 21.17-36**

Sunday - Isaiah 5.1-7, **Phillipians 3.4b-14**, Matthew 21.33-46

Vicar: Rev'd Annie Goldthorp - 01869 336880/vicar@deddingtonchurch.org

Curate: Rev'd Paula Smith - 01869 337884/curate@deddingtonchurch.org

For enquiries about weddings or baptisms - please contact the vicar

Churchwardens: Deddington Iain Gillespie 338367; Meriel Flux 338901

Barfords Tony Elvidge 338214; Sue Addison 338017



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