BENEFICE WORSHIP AND NEWS **28th JANUARY 2018**

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

NEW SERVICE TIMES IN THE BARFORDS

This year the service schedule is as follows

1st Sunday	10.30am, BSM - Holy Communion
2nd Sunday	09.00am, BSJ - Holy Communion
3rd Sunday	10.30am, BSM - Family Service
	16.00pm, BSM - Evening Prayer
4th Sunday	09.00am, BSM - Holy Communion
5th Sunday	09.00am, BSJ - Holy Communion

FAMILY SERVICES

We now have two family services in the Benefice, both at 10.30am. The 1st Sunday of the month is in Deddington and the 3rd Sunday of the month is in Barford St Michael. All are welcome to join in with craft, prayer and celebration.

DEDDINGTON CHURCH - Are you able to help, we are looking for a work force of volunteers to help clean the Church on Monday 5th February. The usual suspects will be glad to see new people with cobweb brushes, mops and buckets and dusters at the ready. We start as soon as possible after morning prayer ie 9.15am with a refreshing cup of coffee at about 10.30am.

The Presentation of Christ in the Temple places a tiny child at the heart of the vast arc of salvation history. It looks back at the emerging purposes of God over centuries of change and challenge, conflict and turmoil, and finds a touchstone in the hope that let the chosen people look to a future that was in God's hands. It points forward to the reality of life and death, pain and healing that will find their focus in Christ's passion and death and resurrection, and opens the story of salvation to include all the world.

DEDDINGTON CHURCH THIS WEEK

Monday – Friday	08.45	Morning Prayer
Wednesday	10.00	Holy Communion Service
Thursday	14.00	Bumps & Bundles and tiny tots – A great place to meet for parents, carers and babies, from bump to 3 years old

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY (4th February)

Hempton	09.00 Holy communion
Deddington	10.30 Family Service
	18.00 Choral Evensong
Barford St Michael	10.30 Holy Communion

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Old Testament	Proverbs 8: 1. 22-31
New Testament	Colossians 1: 15-20
Gospel	John 1: 1-14

Church Website: www.deddingtonchurch.org
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.

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