

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 PARISH GIVING SCHEME FOR DEDDINGTON: The Parish Giving Scheme is a new, free way to help you plan your giving and, if you are a taxpayer, to do so tax efficiently. Please read the leaflet that you have been given. In the near future the vicar will preach on giving, and we hope to arrange a presentation about the scheme. We plan to start it for Deddington in conjunction with our change of bank account from Barclays to the Charities Aid Foundation in six to eight weeks' time. The replacement direct debit forms will be available when the new account is up and running.

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

LENT LUNCHESES 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!

The Father's words of approval and trust at Jesus' baptism are now repeated at the Transfiguration as Jesus begins the journey to Jerusalem and to death. Jesus receives the seal of approval from Moses the Lawgiver and Elijah the prophet, and Peter, James and John are given the tools that will enable them to interpret Jesus' death as fulfilment, not disaster.

SERVICES THIS SUNDAY

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

HYMNS AT DEDDINGTON CHURCH

CP: 2 Christ, whose glory fills the skies, 248 Tis good, Lord, to be here, 396 Christ is the world's true light

DEDDINGTON CHURCH THIS WEEK

Monday – Friday	08.45	Morning Prayer
Tuesday	18.00	Pancakes and Plonk
Wednesday	10.00	Holy Communion with the Imposition of Ashes
	19.00	Holy Communion with the Imposition of Ashes
Thursday	12.00	Lent Lunches
	19.00	Lent Film – The King's Speech

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY (10th March)

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

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

First Reading	Deuteronomy 26: 1-11
Second Reading	Romans 10: 8b-13
Gospel	Luke 4: 1-13

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.