

LENT 2

Wait for the Lord; be strong and he shall comfort your heart. Psalm 27.17

Church Electoral Roll: Every 6 years we are required to prepare a completely new roll of those who are baptised members of the Church of England and who live in the parish, or have habitually worshipped in the parish during the last 6 months, and who wish to sign up as members of our congregation. **THIS IS THE YEAR!** There are forms on the table opposite the kitchen. Please take one, complete it and put it in the plastic folder on the table. You have until Easter, but why wait? Do it today! And encourage others to do so too. Any questions? Just ask Viviane Hall. Thank you!

Churchwarden needed: Deddington Church is looking for a new churchwarden to join the current churchwarden and the church's team of helpers to supervise, run and care for the day-to-day needs of running a busy church. This is a rewarding and responsible position for anyone willing to help. If interested, or to find out more, please speak to Nick, Caroline or Stan

Lent course: 'Come and See: Earth, Water, Wind and Fire – understanding Baptism'. Oxford Diocese Lent course. Register here <https://oxford.anglican.org/campaigns/come-and-see/> to receive a short daily email and weekly video from Bishop Steven exploring the themes.

We will be also running weekly follow up discussion groups on Tuesday evenings at 7:30pm at Deddington church, continuing on 18th March. We hope to see you there!

Wednesday 19th March at 7:30pm: Barford PCC meeting at The Vicarage

Tuesday 1st April - Volunteers needed for School Easter Experience Day: The primary school classes will be coming into church on Tues 1st April for an 'Easter Experience Day' (KS1 morning, KS2 afternoon). We need two or three volunteers to help run the stations that the children will be visiting to learn about Palm Sunday, the Last Supper, Good Friday and Easter Sunday. School staff will be present at all times with each class to manage any issues, leaving volunteers free to tell the story – scripts provided! This is a wonderful and rewarding opportunity for Church members to engage with our local school children and help enrich their faith journeys! Please speak to Nick to find out more if interested!

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BENEFACTORY WORSHIP AND NEWS

St Peter and St Paul, Deddington

St Michael and St John, Barford

St John the Evangelist, Hempton

SUNDAY 16th MARCH 2025



WELCOME

SERVICES 16th-21st March Deddington services online at <http://bit.ly/DCOLS>
3rd Sunday of the Month

Sunday	09:00	Holy Communion	Hempton
	10:30	Family Service	Barford St Michael
	10:30	Holy Communion	Deddington
Wednesday	10:00	Holy Communion	Deddington

DAILY PRAYER IN THE BENEFACTORY

Monday	08:45	Morning Prayer	Deddington
Tuesday	08:15	Morning Prayer	Deddington
	17:15	Evening Prayer	Barford St John
Wednesday	17:15	Evening Prayer	Barford St Michael
Thursday	08:15	Morning Prayer	Barford St Michael
Friday	08:15	Morning Prayer	Barford St John
	08:45	Morning Prayer	Deddington
	17:15	Evening Prayer	Deddington

Readings Sunday: Genesis 15.1-12, 17-18; Philippians 3.17-4.1; Luke 13.31-end

Next Sunday: Isaiah 55.1-9; 1 Corinthians 10.1-13; Luke 13.1-9

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MONDAY is the Vicar's day off; for urgent matters please contact the wardens.

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