

ORDINARY TIME

BENEFACTICE WORSHIP AND NEWS

St Peter and St Paul, Deddington

St Michael and St John, Barford

St John the Evangelist Hempton

BARFORDS – SERVICES IN FEBRUARY

Sunday 5th - No service

Sunday 12th- 9am Holy Communion St Michael

Sunday 19th - 10.30am Family Service St Michael

Sunday 26th - 9am Holy Communion St John



REGULAR EVENTS IN DEDDINGTON CHURCH

TUESDAYS and THURSDAYS – 5.30-6.30 Reducing food waste stall

THURSDAYS – 9.30-11.30 am – Tea and Toast and **Squiggles and Wriggles**

FRIDAYS 10am-1200 noon – Katharine House coffee morning

4th SATURDAY of the month - 9am-1230pm – Farmers' Market, **craft stalls** and refreshments in the church with a pause for a short prayer at 11am.

Some areas of the church woodwork were cleaned and polished during last week, but there are still parts awaiting attention. See Christine if you can offer half an hour, or more.

ECO CHURCH "Net zero (carbon emissions) is the end of excuses and exceptions, it brings repentance and acceptance of responsibility for damage to Earth's life, both past and urgently present."

(David Coleman, Iona Community member)

A Rocha, the organisation behind Eco Church, is offering the chance to watch a film online as part of its **Wild Christian** project.

THE ANTS AND THE GRASSHOPPER is a remarkable documentary by Raj Patel and Zak Piper. It tells the story of two Malawian women whose first-hand experience of climate-induced loss, coupled with their personal faith, inspired them to challenge climate injustice - not just at home, but around the world. Go to [The Ants and the Grasshopper - online screening week. Tickets, Mon, Feb 13, 2023 at 12:00 AM | Eventbrite](#) for further information and see the poster at the back of church.

Save the Date - ECO-Fair - Saturday 18th March

For church bookings please use bookings@deddingtonchurch.org
please send any items for the newsheet by 5pm on Wednesdays to
newsheet@deddingtonchurch.org

3rd SUNDAY before LENT

5 FEBRUARY 2023



According to the prophet Isaiah, God's chosen people were to be a light to the nations (Isaiah 49.6). Our individual call to shine like lights in the darkness echoes that same vocation. Personally and communally, we are still charged to live lives that reveal God's glory by making a difference in the world. In this way, holding together love of God and love of neighbour, as enshrined in both the law and the prophets, the transformative kingdom of God starts to take hold, not just in our own hearts but in the life of the world.

RSCM, Sunday by Sunday

SERVICES 5-10 FEBRUARY - Deddington services online at <http://bit.ly/DCOLS>

Sunday	1030	Holy Communion	Deddington
	1500	Family Service	Deddington
	1800	Choral Evensong	Deddington
Monday to Friday	0845	Morning Prayer	Deddington
Wednesday	1000	Holy Communion	Deddington

Readings:

Sunday – Isaiah 58.1-9a[9b-12], **1 Corinthians 2.1-12[13-end]**, Matthew 5.13-20

Monday – 2 Chronicles 2.1-16, **John 17.1-5**

Tuesday – 2 Chronicles 3, **John 17.6-19**

Wednesday – 2 Chronicles 5, **John 17.20-end**

Holy Communion – Genesis 2.4b-9, 15-17, **Mark 7.14-23**

Thursday – 2 Chronicles 6.1-21, **John 18.1-11**

Friday – 2 Chronicles 6.22-end, **John 18.12-27**

Saturday – 2 Chronicles 7, **John 18.28-end**

Sunday – Genesis 1.1–2.3, **Romans 8.18-25**, Matthew 6.25-end

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

For enquiries about weddings or baptisms – please contact the vicar

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