

Parish News for the Parish of St James and St John, Enmore Green, in the Shaftesbury Team

Sunday 8th September; Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

St James 9:30 a.m. Parish Communion (Revd. J. Mais)

Readings: Deuteronomy 30, 15-20, Philemon 1-21, Luke 14, 25-33

Voluntaries: In; Prelude on a theme of Orlando Gibbons-CV Stanford, Out; Prelude & Fugue in G Major BWV 541 JS Bach

St John 11:15 a.m. Parish Communion (Revd. H. Dawes)

St James 3:00 p.m. Christening Celebration Service (Revd. H. Dawes)

5:00 p.m. Revd Kirsty Clarke's Licensing Service (Bishop of Sherborne)

Voluntaries: In; Bideford Pastoral-B Ferguson, Out; Final from Symphonie no 1-Louis Vierne

Wednesday 11th September St John 10:00 a.m. D.C.C. Meeting

Thursday 12th September St James 7:00 p.m. Holy Communion (Revd. K. Clarke)

Saturday 14th September St James 2:00 p.m. Carter-Sainsbury Wedding

Sunday 15th September St James 9:30 a.m. Parish Communion (Revd. K. Clarke)

St John 11:15 a.m. Parish Communion (Revd. K. Clarke)

Please pray for Jeff Parker, Jim Knowles, Richard Lloyd, Elinor Tolfree and Christine Bryce and for all those on the prayer circle list and for the family and friends of those who died recently: Lindy Seymour, Margaret Cooper and Mary Elmes.

There will be **no Reflective prayer** in September.

New Team Vicar: The Revd. Kirsty Clarke will be licensed by the Bishop of Sherborne in a special service at 5:00 p.m. on Sunday 8th September in St James' Church.

The Pilgrim Service due on Sunday 8th September has been cancelled as it clashes with the Installation of Revd Kirsty Clarke as our new Team Vicar at 5:00 p.m. on the same day. The next Pilgrim Service is scheduled for Sunday 13th October.

A Requiem mass will be said for Lindy Seymour at St Edward's Church, Shaftesbury, on Wednesday September 11th at 11:30 a.m.. It will be followed by a private burial, family only. We are welcome to attend the service.

Study Group; John Fuller is offering a study group on Paula Gooder's excellent book *Everyday God*. There will be an initial meeting at John's house, 11 Ratcliffe Gardens, on Wednesday 11th September to discuss this, with a view to the group meeting in October/November. If you are interested in joining the group, please contact John on 850079. Tea/Coffee at 7:15 p.m. with a start at 7:30 p.m..

The Children's Society have been given the opportunity to have a collection at Tesco's on Friday 13th September. If anyone can give an hour, please speak to Rosemary. As the Society did not have house to house collections this year, the Shaftesbury committee are particularly keen to ensure we have the maximum number of collectors for this event.

P.C.C. Notice We need to change the time of the **next P.C.C. meeting** from the twelfth to the **nineteenth of September** as it is so close to Kirsty's induction. Please change your diaries.

Dorset Historic Churches - Ride & Stride. This will be on Saturday 14th September starting at 10:30 a.m. ; Anyone interested in taking part or sponsoring those doing the walk please speak with Sue Richards 851531 or Philippa 812365.

The theme of the '**Walk of Wisdom**' for September is CREATION.

Blackmore Vale Deanery Eucharist – Sunday 22nd September, 11.00am at St Mary's Church, Gillingham with guest preacher, the Archdeacon of Sherborne, Ven. Penny Sayer. All are welcome.

Blackmore Vale Deanery Quiet Day is to be held on Saturday 26th October, 10am to 4pm at the beautiful house, chapel and grounds of St Mary's School, Shaftesbury. It will be led by Gill and Alan MacIntosh TSSF (members of the Franciscan Third Order) and the theme will be Time: to pause, reflect, pray. The day will cost £10 per person. Please bring a packed lunch and a cup. To book your place or for more information please contact secretary by deanery@gmail.com