

## DIARY DATES 2019

### OCTOBER

- Wed 2<sup>nd</sup>** **Benefice Midweek Service (WS)**  
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
- Sun 6<sup>th</sup>** **Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity**  
**Benefice Communion**  
**(Revd David Painter)**  
10.30am, St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham
- Wed 9<sup>th</sup>** **Benefice Midweek Service (WS)**  
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon  
**Benefice Bingo**  
7.30 for 8pm, Whitfield Village Hall
- Thurs 10<sup>th</sup>** **Deanery Synod (inc Holy Communion with Archdeacon Richard Ormston and Bring & Share Supper)**  
7 for 7.15pm, St John the Evangelist, Whitfield
- Sat 12<sup>th</sup>** **Wappenham BRICC Mtg**  
9am, Astwell Mill
- Sun 13<sup>th</sup>** **Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity**  
**Breakfast Church**  
9am, St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham  
**Matins**  
9.30am, St Mary & St Peter, Lois Weedon  
**Parish Communion by Ext (WS)**  
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon  
**Parish Communion by Ext (WS)**  
11.15am, St James the Great, Syresham  
**Harvest Service & Supper (Paul Stothard)**  
6pm, St John the Evangelist, Whitfield
- Mon 14<sup>th</sup>** **BPC Pastoral Care Meeting**  
10.30am, 48 Wappenham Rd, Helmdon  
**Syresham BRICC Meeting**  
7.30pm, The Priory
- Wed 16<sup>th</sup>** **Benefice Midweek Service (WS)**  
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
- Fri 18<sup>th</sup>** **Benefice Quiz Night**  
7.30pm, Syresham Sports & Social Club
- Sat 19<sup>th</sup>** **Baptism of Teddy Armstrong (Revd Will Adams)**  
3.30pm, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
- Sun 20<sup>th</sup>** **Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity**  
**Prayerbook Communion (Revd W Adams)**  
8am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon  
**9-10am Breakfast, followed by ...**  
**Prayer & Praise**  
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon  
**Holy Communion (Bishop Ed Condry)**  
9.30am, St Mary & St Peter, Lois Weedon  
**Village Prayer & Praise**  
10.30am, St James the Great, Syresham  
**Parish Communion (Bishop Ed Condry)**  
11.15am, St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham
- Wed 23<sup>rd</sup>** **Benefice Midweek Service (WS)**  
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
- Thurs 24<sup>th</sup>** **SCHOOLS BREAK UP FOR HALF TERM**
- Sat 26<sup>th</sup>** **Helmdon Craft Day**  
10am-4pm, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
- Sun 27<sup>th</sup>** **Last Sunday after Trinity**  
**Holy Communion (Revd W Adams)**  
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon  
**All Age Service**  
11.15am, St James the Great, Syresham  
**Prayer & Praise**  
11.15am, St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham  
**Baptism of Dilly Rose Creed**  
**(Revd W Adams)**  
3pm, St James the Great, Syresham  
**Evensong**  
6pm, St Mary & St Peter, Lois Weedon
- Wed 30<sup>th</sup>** **Benefice Midweek Communion by Ext (WS)**  
10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon

### NOVEMBER

- Sat 2<sup>nd</sup>** **Benefice All Souls Service**  
4pm, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon



## PEWS NEWS

### The Astwell Benefice

St Mary Magdalene Helmdon with Stuchbury and St Lawrence Radstone and St James the Great Syresham with St John the Evangelist Whitfield, St Mary & St Peter Lois Weedon with Weston and Plumpton and St Mary the Virgin Wappenham.

### *Services in the Benefice today:*

## Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2019 Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

- 10am** **Holy Communion (Revd J Roberts)**  
*St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon*
- 11.15am** **All Age Service**  
*St James the Great, Syresham*
- 6pm** **Harvest Festival Service**  
**(Revd David Painter)**  
**followed by a Hot Supper and Sale of Produce**  
*St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham*
- 6pm** **Evensong**  
*St Mary & St Peter, Lois Weedon*

**Today's Readings:**  
Jeremiah 8.18- 9.1  
1 Timothy 2. 1-7  
*Gospel: Luke 16. 1-13*

### SERVICES IN THE BENEFICE NEXT WEEK

## Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2019 Benefice Midweek Communion by Ext (WS)

*10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon*

## Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2019 Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

- 9.30am** **Prayer & Praise**  
*St Mary & St Peter, Lois Weedon*
- 10am** **Parish Communion (Revd Ann Slater)**  
*St John the Evangelist, Whitfield*
- 11.15am** **Parish Communion (Revd Ann Slater)**  
*St Mary the Virgin, Wappenham*
- 5pm** **Harvest Evensong (followed by Supper and Auction)**  
*St James the Great, Syresham*

## To hold in your prayers this week:

We bring before our loving heavenly Father those who are unwell, recovering from illness or who are simply having a bad time, and all those who need our prayers:

### *From Helmdon:*

Joyce Beech, Philip Gulliver, Emma, Jon & Ellouise, Claire & Freya, Barbara Buxton, Joyce Wiggins, Diane Thorpe & Vanessa Vicars.

### *From Lois Weedon:*

Joan Jacobs, Lis Cockrell, Delia Jones, Judith Allen, Jeremy "Jez" Wilcox, Ernie Wheeler, Elsie Hatton & David Jones.

### *From Syresham:*

Derek Hollyoake, Peter Sims & Ann Widdowson.

### *From Wappenham:*

Judy King and Claire Kennett

### *For those known to us:*

Gill Goodwin, Marjorie Baxter, Pauline Collis, Christopher Carr, Evelyn Johnson, Jonnie D'Arcy, James Smillie, Peter Sheen, Dick White, June Brereton, Roger Cane, Penny Bonnymeade and Matthew Smith.

*Please pray for those bereaved, and the family & friends of:* Greg Oles, Mike Durant, Stewart Gundle, Ian Kidd, Una Tucker, Richard Tims, Peter Payne, Ivan Hathaway, Robin Oliver, Doreen Moreland, Sue Corbishley, Jason Holt & Shirley Holt, Dennis Hackett, Dick Wilson, David Wyness, Rev'd Roger Bellamy, Rex Jessett, Celia Terrey, George Beyts, Ann Harman, Rev'd David Randell, Mark Kilby, Alan Clube, Keith Hawkins and Neil Carruthers. And also for the Bearman family, Susan Clarke & family, Kathryn and Peter Oliver, & Geoff and Jo Abbey.

Also, please pray for the work of the Beacon Centre, The Wolverton Mission, the Hope Centre, Katharine House Hospice and Northampton Women's Aid. We also continue to pray for all refugees fleeing persecution and all victims of terror.

*We are happy to add anyone to our prayer list providing they are happy to have us pray for them. You may also know someone who would prefer private prayers.*

## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

### SEPTEMBER

<b>Mon 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	BPCC Worship Comm Mtg	7pm
		48 Wappenham Rd, Helmdon
<b>Tues 24<sup>th</sup></b>	Helmdon Café	10am -12 noon, Reading Rm
	Hope Centre Food Delivery	1pm
<b>Wed 25<sup>th</sup></b>	Benefice Midweek Communion Service by Ext (WS)	10am, St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
	Mums & Tots	10am-noon, Syresham V Hall
<b>Thurs 26<sup>th</sup></b>	Helmdon Parents & Tots	10am-noon
		St Mary Magdalene, Helmdon
	Syresham Coffee Morning	10.30-12.30pm, V Hall
<b>Sat 28<sup>th</sup></b>	Bell ringing Practice	9.30 - 10.30am, Helmdon



## *St Loys Primary Academy & Pre-School Open Morning*

***You are warmly invited to our Open Morning  
on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October 2019, 9.30 - 11.30am***

- Meet the Head teacher, Teachers & Pupils
- Visit classes & view our Creative Curriculum Displays
- See our 'Outstanding' Pre-School Provision

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