



Grapevine



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Services & events this week

Sunday 21st

8.30 am Holy Communion – Penton
10 am All Age Service – Charlton
10 am Family Service – Hatherden
10 am Family Service – Vernham
10 am Sung Eucharist – HBT
10 am Family Service - Enham
10.30 am All Age with Communion – Weyhill
6 pm Reflection Service – Tanglely
6 pm Evening Prayer with Communion – Linkenholt

Wednesday 24th

Holy Communion 9.30 am HBT & 10 am Tanglely

Readings This Week

The Fifth Sunday after Trinity

Amos 8 1 – 12
Psalm 52
Colossians 1 15 – 28
Luke 10 38 - end

Next Week

The Sixth Sunday after Trinity

Hosea 1 2 – 10
Psalm 85
Colossians 2 6 – 15 [16 – 19]
Luke 11 1 - 13

In your Prayers please pray for.....

All those who we know who are suffering serious health issues, and their families who are supporting them.

As schools come to the end of term may all those who are off on travels be safe.

All the farmers and the associate trades as harvest starts may they gather in abundant crops, and the weather stays fair for them.

Services & events next week

Sunday 28th

9 am Holy Communion - Charlton
10 am Benefice Holy Communion - Hurstbourne
10 am Holy Communion – Smannell
10 am All Age Communion – Penton
10 am Morning Praise – Hatherden
10.30 am Village Service – Weyhill
6.30 pm Encounters with Jesus – Charlton

Wednesday 31st

Holy Communion 9.30 am HBT & 10 am Tanglely

Friday 2nd

Holy Communion 1.30 pm Weyhill &
2.30 pm Charlton

Pastrow & Community Diary Dates

Hurstbourne Tarrant Village Show Saturday 20th
July 1 pm for more info visit
www.hbtvillageshow.org.uk

Please let me know about you events so we can advertise them here, we reach over 180 people every week. Email eventsadmin@pastrowbenefice.org.uk with the information.

Words of Encouragement

By Ian Smale

Why did she die so young when she had so much more to give?

That's the question several friends have asked me about Sue. It's a question that could be asked of many who have died 'before their time'. George Herbert died at 39. Keith Green, a brilliant singer, songwriter and evangelist at 28. I could list many more.

One answer that helps me is at the beginning of 1 Peter.

Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, ⁴ and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade... In all this you greatly rejoice, though now for a little while you may have had to suffer grief in all kinds of trials.

Once upon a time we thought that the Earth was the centre of the universe and that everything revolved around us. Because that is how it seemed to us until the reality was discovered. Likewise, we live as if this life is all there is, or at least, it's what matters most. So when someone is taken from this life it feels wrong. But when we see things from the eternal perspective everything looks different. What matters most is eternity and our temporary life (and our temporary grief) should revolve around this great reality.

What we have to look forward to is 'an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade' Jesus and his resurrection is our gateway and is what gives us new birth into a living hope. Hallelujah.

Collect

Almighty and everlasting God,
by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church is governed
and sanctified:
hear our prayer which we offer for all your faithful people,
that in their vocation and ministry
they may serve you in holiness and truth
to the glory of your name;
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Welcome to our church family

Louanne Christopher
Riley Hibberd
Kyrie Hawkins

Wedding Congratulations to



In memory of



Notes from Pastrow Admin

Email PRAYER to Jude to be signed up to the new
Pastrow Prayer Topics newsletter.

Notes from Pastrow Admin

Do you have family visiting this summer? I hold free passes for Winchester Cathedral if you wish to make a visit, please contact me to collect. Jude 07999 352585

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