

DIARY

Mon 11th JUNE	6.30pm Support Group meeting in St Ben's Church. 7.30pm Air Cadets in St Ben's Church.	
Tues 12th 	9.00am Morning Prayer in St Ben's Church. 10.30am Holy Communion at St Patrick's Chapel, the Abbey. 11.00am Christian Aid Brunch at the URC. 11.00am St John's Churchwardens' meeting in Adams' Vestry. 1.30pm St Ben's School Collective Worship in St Ben's Church.	
Wed 13th 	9.00am Morning Prayer in St John's Church. 10.00am Holy Communion in St John's Church. 10.15am Glastonbury Voices Choir in St Ben's Church. 12.30pm Funeral of Michael Seery at Mendip Crematorium. 7.00pm Deanery Synod meeting at Butleigh.	
Thurs 14th 	8.45am Pilates Group in St Ben's Church. 9.00am Morning Prayer at St Mary's Church, Meare. 10.30am Holy Communion Service in St Ben's Church. 3.00pm 'StF' full-house meeting in the Adams Vestry. 7.00pm Air Cadets in St Ben's Church. 7.45pm Bell-ringing practice in St. John's Church.	
Fri 15th	<i>Music Festival [15th-24th June] in St John's Church</i> 9.00am Morning Prayer at Abbey House. 12noon Soup Lunches in St Ben's Church. 7.00pm Anup Biswas: (Cello) " <i>Back to Bengal</i> " - performance by International Cellist in St John's Church.	
Sat 16th	3.30pm Setting up/rehearsals in St John's Church. 7.30pm Concert in St John's Church by Glastonbury Brass .	
Sun 17th 	The Third Sunday After Trinity 8.00am: Holy Communion in St John's Church. 9.30am: Family Communion in St John's church. 11.00am: Café Style Service in Ben's Church. 11.00am: Matins in St Mary's Church, Meare. 7.00pm: 'Music for Dad' : Concert in St John's Church. Readings: 2 Cor.5:6-10 [11-13],14-17; Mark 4:26-34	



We are pleased that you are here in our church and we pray that your visit may bring you closer to God's Love.

Welcome to the Benefice of Glastonbury with Meare



St John's Church



St Benedict's Church



St Mary's Church,
Meare

Sunday 10th June 2018 The Second Sunday After Trinity

<p><u>St John's</u> 8.00am: Holy Communion Celebrant: The Vicar 11.30am: Mayor's Service Led by : The Vicar Preacher: Dr. Tim Hopkinson-Ball 1.30pm: Baptism The Revd. Andrea Harwood 5.00pm: Healing Service Led by: The Revd. Diana Greenfield & Mrs. Margaret Wynn</p>	<p><u>St Benedict's</u> 10.30am: Shared Service at the URC</p> <p><u>St Mary's</u> 11.00am: Parish Communion Celebrant & Preacher: The Revd. Andrea Harwood</p>
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Collect

**Lord, you have taught us
that all our doings without love are nothing worth:
send your Holy Spirit
and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love,
the true bond of peace and of all virtues,
without which whoever lives is counted dead before you.
Grant this for your only Son Jesus Christ's sake,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

Bible Readings for today:
2 Cor.4:13-5.1; Mark 3:20-end

A Message from Phil Wynter-Crofts...

Following on from Arthur Way's message last week, now it's my turn! Certain members of the clergy and St Ben's congregation put plans into place and I was elected onto their PCC at the APCM. Subsequently, I was officially elected as David Chapman's Deputy Treasurer with the intention of prising the management of St Ben's finances from his hands after more years than he wishes to remember. This is not going to be an easy transition as our financial state appears to be parlous. We will have to see, so watch this space. As for me personally, I am probably better known to you as Annie's husband or, colloquially, "Genghis". If you want to know why, ask her! We moved to Street 6 years ago and have been regular attendees at St Ben's for a little over two years. We were initially seduced by Diana Greenfield's Maundy Thursday service/meal which is such an emotional event but, like Arthur said last week, the subsequent welcome we received was fabulous. I am retired, love cricket but now only as a spectator or, more likely, as an umpire. Rugby Union is also of great interest. I was born in Cheshire on the Wirral peninsular and have two children, one of each. Annie and I have been together for 10 years and married for 8 and, her 4 children in addition to mine, are spread out all over the country. I realise I have a major task ahead of me so please be patient, and I look forward to working with you all to keep St Ben's reputation as a friendly, vibrant and welcoming, place of worship. **Phil**

St. John's Church ~ Music Festival:

St John's will be holding a Music Festival for ten days from **Friday 15th June**, culminating in a Patronal Festival Evensong **at 5pm on Sunday 24th June 2018**.

We have a diverse programme of musical delights for everyone to enjoy! Refreshments served.

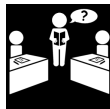
Tickets for some Events can be pre-purchased &/or bought on the door.

Date for your Diary!

Fundraising quiz at St. Ben's Church, **Saturday 30th June at 7pm**.

Tickets £5 per person, to include ploughman's Supper.

Teams of up to six people.



FOODBANK: More food is urgently needed for the foodbank. Please can you leave in a box under the pew near the notice boards; there is a list of food on the board. Money donations are also accepted which can be given to me or put in an envelope (there are some on the notice board). We would also be grateful for any bags that you have, especially long life ones, and those which are made of material. Thank you.

Jessie Henderson



FOR YOUR PRAYERS:

Those who have asked for prayer: Liz Affleck-Edwards, Janet Allen, Joseph Badman-Outram, Paul Branson, Kenneth Burton, Sophie Contaris, Bruce Cooper, Glenys Difford, Muriel Ferris, Roger Forsey, Bill Goldstone, Linda & Joan Green, Martin Grist, Marie Harris, Rachel Low (*& her family: Father & Mother-in-law Eve & Brian Low, Husband Julien & Children Milly, Isaac & Toby*), Valerie Moreton, Rick Pudner (*Peggy Hext's son-in-law*), Jean Rooney, Andrew & Sheila Scott-Evans, Mary Sibson, Christopher Stringer (*Joy Taylor's son-in-law*), Rosemary Turnbull, Rebecca Whitehead, Nicky Wilkins, Brian & Freda Williams and Steve (*Wife Frances & Mother-in-Law Joyce Canning*).

FOR THOSE TO BE BAPTISED: **JASMINE HAGG**

[in St John's Church, Sunday 10th June at 1.30pm]

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED: **MICHAEL SEERY**

[Funeral at Mendip Crematorium, Wednesday 13th June at 12.30pm]

JOHN PACKER

[Funeral at Mendip Crematorium, Tuesday 19th June, at 2.30pm]

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St Ben's: **www.stbens.ukpc.net**

St Mary's, Meare: **is.gd/stmarymeare**

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