

KINGSBURY/BAXTERLEY GROUP OF CHURCHES WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



Merevale



Hurley



Kingsbury



Baxterley



Wood End



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18/08/2024 —
Trinity 12 (Proper 15)

SUNDAY SERVICES

This Sunday - 18th August
Trinity 12 (Proper 15)

GROUP SERVICE
in
MEREVALE ABBEY RUINS
11.00am Holy Communion
(or Merevale Church if weather too inclement)
(Readings: Proverbs 9. 1-6;
Psalm 34. 9-14; Ephesians 5.
15-20; John 6. 51-58)

Next Sunday - 25th August
Trinity 13 (Proper 16)

HURLEY
9.30am Holy Communion
KINGSBURY
11.00am Holy Communion
1.00pm Holy Baptism

(Readings: Joshua 24. 1-2a,
14-18; Psalm 34. 15-end;
Ephesians 6. 10-20;
John 6. 56-69)

Sunday 1st September
Trinity 14 (Proper 17)

MEREVALE
11.00am Holy Communion

BAXTERLEY
4.30pm Holy Communion

(Readings: Deut, 4. 1-2, 6-9;
Psalm 15; James 1. 17-end;
Mark 7. 1-8, 14-15, 21-23)

You'll find any important updates on our Facebook page

<https://www.facebook.com/kingbaxgroup.org.uk>
or on our Website
<http://www.kingbaxgroup.org.uk>

Forthcoming Events

Monday 19th August

- 12.30pm Church Fellowship meet at Jubilee Court Community Room - Speaker: Carolyn Baker, Reader at Dosthill - Theme: 'Oberammergau'

Tuesday 20th August

- 10.00am Morning Prayer @ Kingsbury
- 8.00pm Compline via Zoom (and online via Facebook)

Wednesday 21st August

- 9.30am Holy Communion at Wood End

Thursday 22nd August

- 4.30pm Evening Prayer at Baxterley
- 7.00pm Worship Cttee meet at Hurley House

Saturday 24th August

- 2.00-4.00 Baxterley Church Open

Tuesday 27th August

- 10.00am Morning Prayer at Kingsbury
- 1.30-3.30pm Jigsaw Puzzle Library open
- 8.00pm Compline via Zoom (and online via Facebook)

Wednesday 28th August

- 9.30am Morning Prayer at Wood End

Thursday 29th August

- 9.30am Treasurers/Wardens meeting at Hurley
- 4.30pm Evening Prayer at Baxterley

Friday 30th August

- 1.00pm Funeral & burial of Kenneth Wright at Hurley

Saturday 31st August

- 2.00-4.00pm Baxterley Church Open - **last chance this summer!**

Please Pray for:

Those who are ill:

Rachel : Carol Makepeace
Lauren : Samuel : Hope
Kieran : Bethen : Sean
Kay : Rose Stubbs : Glenys
Ruth Rogers : Carole Haines
Diane : Fred : Sandra : Bill : Millie
Abi Coulson : Martha
Trevor : Margaret Pallett
Baby Hugo : Hannah & Olivia
Carole Round : Chris Martin
Louise : Brian Moss
Ann Gallagher : Marjorie Nunan
Helen de Renzy : Jane Pratt
John Parkes : John Skeldon
Felicity Cawthra : Lionel
Rose Lubbock

Preparing for Marriage

Matthew & Katerina
Ian & Kristy

Those who have died

Tony Wilcox
Raymond Trevis
Kenneth Wright



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SEE OVERLEAF FOR READINGS & FURTHER NOTICES

Roads in our communities to pray for this week:

Ralph Crescent & Range Way in Kingsbury; Lime Grove in Hurley; Oakwood in Wood End; and Windmill Lane in Baxterley

Safeguarding Support: If you have a safeguarding matter you need to discuss, speak to our **Parish Safeguarding Officer - Dr. Pru Allington-Smith on 01827 825701** or **Rev. John** or in emergency **the Bishop's Safeguarding Adviser, Steph Haynes on 07342 993844**
StephH@cofebirmingham.com

Collect for Trinity 12

God of constant mercy, who sent your Son to save us: remind us of your goodness, increase your grace within us, that our thankfulness may grow, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**



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Readings for the Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

Proverbs 9. 1-6

Wisdom has built her house,
she has hewn her seven pillars.
² She has slaughtered her animals, she has mixed her wine, she has also set her table.
³ She has sent out her servant-girls, she calls from the highest places in the town,
⁴ 'You that are simple, turn in here!'
To those without sense she says,
⁵ 'Come, eat of my bread
and drink of the wine I have mixed.'
⁶ Lay aside immaturity, and live,
and walk in the way of insight.'

Ephesians 5. 15-20

¹⁵ Be careful then how you live, not as unwise people but as wise, ¹⁶making the most of the time, because the days are evil. ¹⁷So do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. ¹⁸Do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery; but be filled with the Spirit, ¹⁹as you sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs among yourselves, singing and making melody to the Lord in your hearts, ²⁰giving thanks to God the Father at all times and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Psalms 34. 9-14

⁹ O fear the Lord, you his holy ones,
for those who fear him have no want.
¹⁰ The young lions suffer want and hunger,
but those who seek the Lord lack no good thing.
¹¹ Come, O children, listen to me;
I will teach you the fear of the Lord.
¹² Which of you desires life,
and covets many days to enjoy good?
¹³ Keep your tongue from evil,
and your lips from speaking deceit.
¹⁴ Depart from evil, and do good;
seek peace, and pursue it.

John 6. 51-58

⁵¹ I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.'
⁵² The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, 'How can this man give us his flesh to eat?' ⁵³ So Jesus said to them, 'Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. ⁵⁴ Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; ⁵⁵ for my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. ⁵⁶ Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. ⁵⁷ Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. ⁵⁸ This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live for ever.'

'Last Night of the Proms' Charity Concert

presented by Amington Band at
Hurley Village Hall on

Saturday 5th October, 7.00pm

Tickets: Adults £10 - Under 18s £5

Available from Jenny Pearson on 07748636708
or Hurley Post Office

Refreshments Available : Bottle Raffle

New Kingsbury & Baxterley Group of Churches Page on Facebook

You can find and follow the new FB page here:
<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61563036555109> - this is where you will find the links to Compline each Tuesday, the roads we pray for each week, and Event Advertising. Do follow us if you are on FaceBook, and spread the word. *Thank you.*

Merevale Afternoon Tea & Talk

Rita Poulson will be giving a talk on
"Merevale Abbey" on
Saturday 7th September, at 2.30pm,
in Merevale Church.

After the talk, tea will be served with
sweet/savoury nibbles.

Ticket price £8.00. Please contact Hilarie Samson
for tickets, telephone number 01827 713705.

'FARM CHURCH' COMING SOON!

Starting Sunday 22nd September, 2.30pm
on a corner of Waste Farm in Wood End.
A time for families to engage with God's Creation
in the great outdoors. More details later.

Save the date!

IMPORTANT - Safeguarding Training for all Church Wardens and PCC Members

Many thanks to those who have already responded to the email sent and have completed the Basic Awareness, Foundations and Domestic Abuse training online.

If you have yet to complete this training, please could you do so sooner rather than later and send your certificates as requested. **If you are struggling with the technology, please let Revd Carole know so she can help by setting up appointments with you to do this training.**

Baxterley Church Open Afternoons

CHURCH WILL BE OPEN EVERY SATURDAY IN
AUGUST FROM 2pm to 4pm FOR
VISITORS WITH REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE –
WE'D LOVE TO SEE YOU :-)
ALL WELCOME - WELL BEHAVED DOGS TOO!

Dates for your Diary

Mon 19th Aug - 12.30-2.30pm

Church Fellowship at Jubilee Court

Thur 22nd Aug - 7.00pm Worship
Committee meet

Thur 29th Aug - 9.30am Treasurers
meeting

Fri 30th Aug - 1.00pm Funeral of
Kenneth Wright at Hurley

Jigsaw Puzzle Lending Library...

Free jigsaw puzzle lending library on

**Tuesdays 13th & 27th Aug. at
The Old Stables, Kingsbury
Church—between 1.30-3.30pm -
note the new times. Open every
2nd & 4th Tuesday!**

Joining Details for most Online Zoom Services & Meetings

Meeting ID: **999 516 9418**

Passcode: **Twigster3**

You can also join by telephone on number:
0203 481 5237 and entering the
ID: 999 516 9418 and Code: **570910568**