

# KINGSBURY/BAXTERLEY GROUP OF PARISHES

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



Merevale



Hurley



Kingsbury



Baxterley



Wood End



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10/09/2023 —  
Trinity 14 (P18)

### SUNDAY SERVICES

**This Sunday—10th Sept.**  
**Trinity 14 (P18)**

#### HURLEY

9.30am Holy Communion

#### KINGSBURY

11.00am Holy Communion

*(Readings: Ezekiel 33. 7-11;  
Psalm 119. 33-40; Romans 13.  
8-end; Matthew 18. 15-20)*

**Next Sunday—17th Sept.**  
**Trinity 15 (P19)**

#### MEREVALE

11.00am Holy Communion

#### BAXTERLEY

4.30pm Evening Prayer

*(Readings: Genesis 50. 15-21;  
Psalm 103. 8-13; Romans 14.  
1-12; Matthew 18. 21-35)*

**Sunday 24th September**  
**Trinity 16 (P20)**

#### HURLEY

9.30am Holy Communion

#### KINGSBURY

11.00am Holy Communion

*(Readings: Jonah 3. 10-end of  
4; Psalm 145. 1-8; Philippians  
1. 21-end; Matthew 20. 1-16)*

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### Forthcoming Events

Monday 11th September

- 7.00pm Wedding Rehearsal at Kingsbury

Tuesday 12th September

- 10.00am Morning Prayer at Kingsbury
- 11.00-1.00pm Puzzle Library Open in The Old Stables
- 8.00pm Compline via zoom (and online via Facebook)

Wednesday 13th September

- 9.30am Holy Communion at Wood End
- 3.00pm Wedding of Paul & Julie at Kingsbury

Thursday 14th September

- 3.00-6.00pm Visiting Ringers at Kingsbury
- 4.30pm Evening Prayer at Baxterley
- 7.30pm Deanery Readers' Annual HC Service at Marston Green

Saturday 16th September

- 10.00-12.00 Baxterley Church Clean-Up

Monday 18th September

- 10.30-12.30pm Knit & Natter at Jubilee Court including **Mothers' Union meeting at 12noon. All Welcome.**

Tuesday 19th September

- 10.00am Morning Prayer at Kingsbury
- 8.00pm Compline via zoom (and online via Facebook)

Wednesday 20th September

- 9.30am Morning Worship at Wood End
- 4.00pm Wedding Rehearsal at Baxterley

- 7.00pm Wedding Rehearsal at Kingsbury

Thursday 21st September

- 12.30pm Wedding of Matthew & Sarah at Baxterley

- 4.30pm Evening Prayer at Baxterley

Friday 22nd September

- 1.30pm Wedding of John & Rachel at Kingsbury

Saturday 23rd September

- 6.30pm Harvest Supper & Quiz at Hurley Village Hall - see overleaf for more details.

### Please Pray for:

#### Those who are ill:

Rachel : Carol Makepeace

Lauren : Samuel : Hope

Kieran : Bethen : Sean

Kay : Rose Stubbs : Monica Paton

Patrick : Glenys : Ruth Rogers

Carole Haines : Sandra Priddey

Diane : Fred : Joan : 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

Maureen Morris : John Parkes

**To be married on Wednesday**

Paul & Julie

**Those preparing for Marriage**

Matthew & Sarah

John & Rachel : Luke & Sally

**Those who have died**

John Cross

**Please also pray for.....**

Revd Dr Michael Volland,

Bishop of Birmingham

Designate..... and

any concerns you may have on your hearts this week.....



**SEE OVERLEAF FOR READINGS & FURTHER NOTICES**

**Roads in our communities to pray for this week:**

Lichfield Cottages & Maple Drive in Kingsbury; Wakefield Close in Hurley; Whateley Lane in Wood End; and Bentley Common in Merevale w. Bentley

### Collect for Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

Merciful God, your Son came to save us and bore our sins on the cross:

may we trust in your mercy

and know your love, rejoicing in the

righteousness that is ours through Jesus

Christ our Lord. **Amen**



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## Readings for the Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

### Ezekiel 33. 7-11

7 So you, mortal, I have made a sentinel for the house of Israel; whenever you hear a word from my mouth, you shall give them warning from me. 8 If I say to the wicked, 'O wicked ones, you shall surely die', and you do not speak to warn the wicked to turn from their ways, the wicked shall die in their iniquity, but their blood I will require at your hand. 9 But if you warn the wicked to turn from their ways, and they do not turn from their ways, the wicked shall die in their iniquity, but you will have saved your life. 10 Now you, mortal, say to the house of Israel, Thus you have said: 'Our transgressions and our sins weigh upon us, and we waste away because of them; how then can we live?' 11 Say to them, As I live, says the Lord GOD, I have no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but that the wicked turn from their ways and live; turn back, turn back from your evil ways; for why will you die, O house of Israel?

### Psalm 119. 33-40

33 Teach me, O LORD, the way of your statutes, and I will observe it to the end.  
34 Give me understanding, that I may keep your law and observe it with my whole heart.  
35 Lead me in the path of your commandments, for I delight in it.  
36 Turn my heart to your decrees, and not to selfish gain.  
37 Turn my eyes from looking at vanities; give me life in your ways.  
38 Confirm to your servant your promise, which is for those who fear you.  
39 Turn away the disgrace that I dread, for your ordinances are good.  
40 See, I have longed for your precepts; in your righteousness give me life.

### Matthew 18. 15-20

15 'If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. 16 But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. 17 If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax-collector. 18 Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. 19 Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. 20 For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.'

### Romans 13. 8-end

8 Owe no one anything, except to love one another; for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. 9 The commandments, 'You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet'; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, 'Love your neighbour as yourself.' 10 Love does no wrong to a neighbour; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law. 11 Besides this, you know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; 12 the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armour of light; 13 let us live honourably as in the day, not in revelling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarrelling and jealousy. 14 Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

#### AN 'APPEAL FOR A PEAL' -

We're raising £4,000 for an 'Appeal for a Peal' - to refurbish the Bells at St Peter & St Paul's Church, Kingsbury. You can donate directly by scanning the QR code:



#### AN APPEAL FOR HURLEY CHURCHYARD

We're raising £5,000 for repairs to Hurley Churchyard Steps and Wall. There is a 'GoFundMe' page here <https://gofundme.com/5503e96d> for you to donate online or give direct to either of the Church Wardens.

#### AN APPEAL FOR BAXTERLEY 'COMFORT' FUND

We're raising a huge amount to get a toilet installed by the school room at Baxterley. All donations gratefully received. You can give online by scanning the QR code here, or give direct to the Church Wardens.



**Please keep giving to/sharing these Appeals!**

## Being With

*A new course to explore the meaning of life together - Discovering Christian faith in a positive and inclusive group. No special knowledge or religious language needed, just what you have learned in life so far.*

A 5-week course starting Thursday **12th October**, via zoom to begin with, at 7.00pm each week. Places are limited, but do speak to Revd. Carole if you are interested and want more information.

### Harvest Supper and Quiz

**A fundraising event for Kingsbury's "Appeal for a Peal," "Baxterley's "Comfort Fund" and Hurley's Churchyard wall.**

On, **Saturday 23rd September** at Hurley Village Hall.  
**Doors open at 6pm, supper at 6.30pm and quiz at 7.30pm.**

**Teams of 4 or less for the quiz.**

Parking is difficult so please leave enough time to park the car in local side streets.

Please bring your own alcohol and glasses if required. Tea and Coffee will be provided.

**Ticket price £10.00 per person.** Tickets available from Hilarie Samson on - 01827 713705

#### 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**

#### Dates for your Diary:

**Thurs. 28th Sept.** - Funeral of John Cross, 12noon at All Saints, Shard End, then Woodlands Crem at 2pm.

**Sat. 30th Sept.** - 2.00pm Wedding of Luke & Sally at Kingsbury

**Sun. 1st Oct.** - **Harvest Octave Begins**

#### Jigsaw Puzzle Lending Library...

Free jigsaw puzzle lending library on **Tuesday 12th September at The Old Stables**, Kingsbury Church—between **11am-1.00pm**. Open every **2nd & 4th Tuesday!**

