

KINGSBURY/BAXTERLEY GROUP OF PARISHES WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



Merevale



Hurley



Kingsbury



Baxterley



Wood End



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17/10/2021—
Trinity 20 (Proper 24)

SUNDAY SERVICES

This Sunday - 17th Oct
Trinity 20 (Proper 24)

MEREVALE

11.00am Holy Communion

BAXTERLEY

4.30pm Evening Prayer

(Readings: Isaiah 53. 4-end;
Psalm 91. 9-end; Hebrews 5.
1-10; Mark 10. 35-45)

Next Sunday—24th Oct
Last after Trinity (P25)

HURLEY

9.30am Holy Communion

KINGSBURY

11.00am Holy Communion

(Readings: Jeremiah 31. 7-9;
Psalm 126; Hebrews 7. 23-
end; Mark 10. 46-end)

Sunday 31st October
All Saints Day

(Clocks go back 1 hour)

GROUP SERVICE at

MEREVALE

11.00am Holy Communion

BAXTERLEY

4.30pm Commemoration of
the Departed

(Readings: Isaiah 25. 6-9;
Psalm 24. 1-6; Revelation 21.
1-6a; John 11. 32-44)

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dates on our FaceBook page**

<https://www.facebook.com/kingbaxgroup.org.uk>

or on our Website

http://www.kingbaxgroup.org.uk/html/covid_19_coronavirus_updates.html

Forthcoming Events

Monday 18th October

- 7.00pm Baptism Prep. at Kingsbury (CJY)

Tuesday 19th October

- 7.00pm Bible Reflections via zoom
- 8.00pm Zoom Compline (and online via FaceBook)

Wednesday 20th October

- 9.30am Morning Service at Wood End
- 2.00pm Mothers' Union Deanery Festival Service at Kingsbury—All Welcome!

Thursday 21st October

- Hurley School Harvest Assembly
- 10.30am Funeral of Alison Southcombe at Merevale
- 4.15pm Funeral of Nora Stephens at Nuneaton Crem
- 4.30pm Evening Prayer at Baxterley

Saturday 23rd October

- 4.00pm Visit to Merevale by the Church Monuments Society

Monday 25th October

- 2.30pm Funeral & burial of Allen Jeffrey 'Jeff' Lennon at Kingsbury

Tuesday 26th October

- 7.00pm Bible Reflections via zoom
- 8.00pm Zoom Compline (and online via FaceBook)

Wednesday 27th October

- 9.30am Morning Service at Wood End
- 7.00pm Deanery Wardens' Meeting at Chelmsley Wood

Thursday 28th October

- 3.30pm Funeral of Charles Cormack at Merevale (after 2.45pm private committal at Nuneaton)

- 4.30pm Evening Prayer at Baxterley

Friday 29th October

- 11.30am Funeral of Peter Lloyd at Baxterley
- 2.15pm Funeral of George Glew at Kingsbury followed by cremation at Lichfield

- 7.00pm Commemoration of the Departed at Wood End

Saturday 30th October

- 4.00pm Commemoration of the Departed at Kingsbury

Collect for Trinity 20

God, our light and our salvation: illuminate our lives, that we may see your goodness in the land of the living, and looking on your beauty may be changed into the likeness of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**



SEE OVERLEAF FOR READINGS & FURTHER NOTICES

Please Pray for:

Those who are ill:

Bill Thompson : Rachel
Carol Makepeace : Lauren
June Arnold : Samuel : Hope
Kieran : Bethen : Sean : Doris
Kay : Vera : Rose Stubbs
Monica Paton : Patrick : Glenys
Ruth Rogers : Wilma Berry
Carole Haines : Sandra Priddey
Muriel Wright : Pearl : Jackie
Betty Jones : Pam Bayliss
Diane : Fred : Joan : Sandra : Bill
Margaret Hewetson : Priscilla
Ann : Abi Coulson : Martha
Margaret Pallett : Baby Hugo
Hannah & Olivia : Allan Morris
Chris & Mick Martin : Tony Carter
Trevor

Those preparing for Marriage

James & Laura
Christopher & Karen

Those who have died

Alison Southcombe
Nora Stephens : Jeff Lennon
Peter Lloyd : Charles Cormack
George Glew

Please also pray for.....

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



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Roads in our communities to pray for this week:

Piccadilly & Pit Hill in
Kingsbury; Princes Road in
Hurley; Wood Street in
Wood End; and Smithy 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

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Readings for the Twentieth Sunday after Trinity

Hebrews 5. 1-10

Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. And one does not presume to take this honour, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was.

So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him,

'You are my Son,
today I have begotten you';
as he says also in another place,
'You are a priest for ever,
according to the order of Melchizedek.'

In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

Mark 10. 35-45

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, 'Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.' And he said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' And they said to him, 'Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory.' But Jesus said to them, 'You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?' They replied, 'We are able.' Then Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared.'

When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, 'You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.'

CHOIR SINGING MORNINGS! 10.00am to 12 noon

6th November at Merevale

4th December at Hurley

Getting ready for Christmas - a general sing. **All Welcome!**

Joining Details for all Online Zoom Services & Meetings

Meeting ID: **999 516 9418** Passcode: **Twigster 3**

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

Bible Reflections

Our Bible Reflections series via zoom, has now restarted on Tuesday evenings, 7pm. This time we are looking at some of your favourite Psalms.

Lifting of Coronavirus restrictions

Social distancing and the wearing of face coverings is no longer a legal requirement in places of worship. However, we do ask all those attending church to continue to exercise care and responsibility towards one another. Wearing face coverings inside the church buildings is recommended for those who are able to do so. Please continue to use the hand sanitiser available and to avoid close contact with those outside your household.

Isaiah 53. 4-end

Surely he has borne our infirmities
and carried our diseases;
yet we accounted him stricken,
struck down by God, and afflicted.
But he was wounded for our transgressions,
crushed for our iniquities;
upon him was the punishment that made us whole,
and by his bruises we are healed.
All we like sheep have gone astray;
we have all turned to our own way,
and the LORD has laid on him
the iniquity of us all.

He was oppressed, and he was afflicted,
yet he did not open his mouth;
like a lamb that is led to the slaughter,
and like a sheep that before its shearers is silent,
so he did not open his mouth.
By a perversion of justice he was taken away.
Who could have imagined his future?
For he was cut off from the land of the living,
stricken for the transgression of my people.
They made his grave with the wicked
and his tomb with the rich,
although he had done no violence,
and there was no deceit in his mouth.

Yet it was the will of the LORD to crush him with pain.
When you make his life an offering for sin,
he shall see his offspring, and shall prolong his days;
through him the will of the LORD shall prosper.
Out of his anguish he shall see light;
he shall find satisfaction through his knowledge.
The righteous one, my servant, shall make many righteous,
and he shall bear their iniquities.
Therefore I will allot him a portion with the great,
and he shall divide the spoil with the strong;
because he poured out himself to death,
and was numbered with the transgressors;
yet he bore the sin of many,
and made intercession for the transgressors.

Psalm 91. 9-end

Because you have made the LORD your refuge,
the Most High your dwelling-place,
no evil shall befall you,
no scourge come near your tent.

For he will command his angels concerning you
to guard you in all your ways.
On their hands they will bear you up,
so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.
You will tread on the lion and the adder,
the young lion and the serpent you will trample under foot.

Those who love me, I will deliver;
I will protect those who know my name.
When they call to me, I will answer them;
I will be with them in trouble,
I will rescue them and honour them.
With long life I will satisfy them,
and show them my salvation.

A Quiz in aid of Group Funds.

A picture identification/anagram unscrambling quiz is available in the Plastic folders back of each of the five churches in the group. Cost 1.00. The winning entry will receive a litre bottle of gin. The quiz will be drawn on Sunday 31st October at the next Group Service. All entries to be returned to Hilarie or David Samson by 24th October 2021. Return details are on the quiz sheet.

"Afternoon Tea with

George Eliot" was well

supported on Saturday 10th October. We raised a total of **£326.10** (£235 on ticket sales and £91.10 on the raffle). Grateful thanks to all who supported the event in any way.