

KINGSBURY/BAXTERLEY GROUP OF CHURCHES

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



Merevale



Hurley



Kingsbury



Baxterley



Wood End



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07/07/2024 —
Trinity 6 (Proper 9)

SUNDAY SERVICES

This Sunday - 7th July
Trinity 6 (Proper 9)

MEREVALE

11.00am Holy Communion

BAXTERLEY

4.30pm Holy Communion

(Readings: Ezekiel 2. 1-5;
Psalm 123;
2 Corinthians 12. 2-10;
Mark 6. 1-13)

Next Sunday - 14th July
Trinity 7 (Proper 10)

HURLEY

9.30am Holy Communion

KINGSBURY

11.00am Holy Communion
(1.00pm Baptism at Baxterley)

(Readings: Amos 7. 7-15;
Psalm 85. 8-end; Ephesians 1.
3-14; Mark 6. 14-29)

Sunday 21st July
Trinity 8 (Proper 11)

MEREVALE

11.00am Holy Communion

BAXTERLEY

4.30pm Evening Prayer
including Baptism

(Readings: Jeremiah 23. 1-6;
Psalm 23; Ephesians 2. 11-
end; Mark 6. 30-34, 53-end)

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

Forthcoming Events

Monday 8th to Friday 19th July

- Revd. John out of Parish. Contact Revd. Carole for all pastoral matters.

Tuesday 9th July

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

Wednesday 10th July

- 9.30am Holy Communion at Wood End

Thursday 11th July

- 4.30pm Evening Prayer at Baxterley

Saturday 13th July

- 10.00-12.00 Kingsbury Green Clean
- 12.30pm Renewal of Vows at Kingsbury
- 2.00-4.00 Baxterley Church Open

Sunday 14th July

- Please pray for Revd. Phelim O'Hare as he is Collated as the new Archdeacon of Aston at Aston Parish Church this afternoon.

Monday 15th July

- 12.30pm Church Fellowship group meet at Jubilee Court Community Lounge

Tuesday 16th July

- 10.00am Morning Prayer at Kingsbury
- 2.00pm Kingsbury History Society Church Tour
- 8.00pm Compline via Zoom (and online via Facebook)

Wednesday 17th July

- 9.30am Morning Prayer at Wood End

Thursday 18th July

- 10.30am Burial of Ashes at Hurley Churchyard - Francis Anthony Underwood

- 4.30pm Evening Prayer at Baxterley

Friday 19th July

- 12.30pm Burial of Monica Paton at Kingsbury
- 6.30pm Deanery Clergy & Readers Farewell to Bishop Anne at Bishop's Lodge, Sutton Coldfield

Saturday 20th July

- 2.00-4.00pm Baxterley Church Open
- 3.00-5.00pm Afternoon Tea at Wood End Church. Tickets £7 each from Shirley or Simon.

Collect for Trinity 6

Creator God,
you made us all in your image:
may we discern you in all that we see,
and serve you in all that we do;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**



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

Preparing for Marriage

Rio & Rebekah
Simon & Margaret
John & Georgina
Richard & Kira : Mark & Maria

Those who have died

Tony Crump : Ann Haddon
Olwen McIntyre : Monica Paton
Julie Haddon : Kathleen Cummings
Irene Wylie : John Tyers
Francis Anthony Underwood



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SEE OVERLEAF FOR READINGS & FURTHER NOTICES

Roads in our communities to pray for this week:

Sycamore Road & Tame Bank in Kingsbury; Orchard Close in Hurley; Everglade Road in Wood End; and Main Road 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**
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Readings for the Sixth Sunday after Trinity

Ezekiel 2. 1-5

He said to me: O mortal, stand up on your feet, and I will speak with you. ²And when he spoke to me, a spirit entered into me and set me on my feet; and I heard him speaking to me. ³He said to me, Mortal, I am sending you to the people of Israel, to a nation of rebels who have rebelled against me; they and their ancestors have transgressed against me to this very day. ⁴The descendants are impudent and stubborn. I am sending you to them, and you shall say to them, 'Thus says the Lord GOD.' ⁵Whether they hear or refuse to hear (for they are a rebellious house), they shall know that there has been a prophet among them.

2 Corinthians 12. 2-10

²I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows. ³And I know that such a person—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows—⁴was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. ⁵On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. ⁶But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, ⁷even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given to me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. ⁸Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, ⁹but he said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.' So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. ¹⁰Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong.

Psalms 123

¹To you I lift up my eyes,
O you who are enthroned in the heavens!
²As the eyes of servants
look to the hand of their master,
as the eyes of a maid
to the hand of her mistress,
so our eyes look to the LORD our God,
until he has mercy upon us.
³Have mercy upon us, O LORD, have mercy upon us,
for we have had more than enough of contempt.
⁴Our soul has had more than its fill
of the scorn of those who are at ease,
of the contempt of the proud.

Mark 6. 1-13

Jesus left that place and came to his home town, and his disciples followed him. ²On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, 'Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! ³Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?' And they took offence at him. ⁴Then Jesus said to them, 'Prophets are not without honour, except in their home town, and among their own kin, and in their own house.' ⁵And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. ⁶And he was amazed at their unbelief. Then he went about among the villages teaching. ⁷He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. ⁸He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; ⁹but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. ¹⁰He said to them, 'Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. ¹¹If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them.' ¹²So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. ¹³They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.



Wood End Afternoon Tea

**Saturday 20th July 3.00-5.00pm
at Wood End Church**

Tickets £7.00 each available from
Shirley on 01827 873344.

Raffle & Stalls

Baxterley Church Open Afternoons

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

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

Sun 14th July - Collation of Revd. Phelim O'Hare as the new Archdeacon of Aston

Sat 20th July - Wood End Afternoon Tea. 3.00-5.00pm Tickets £7

Jigsaw Puzzle Lending Library...

Free jigsaw puzzle lending library on

Tuesdays 9th & 23rd July at The Old Stables, Kingsbury Church—between 1.30-3.30pm - note the new times. Open every 2nd & 4th Tuesday!

