

# KINGSBURY/BAXTERLEY GROUP OF PARISHES WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



Merevale



Hurley



Kingsbury



Baxterley



Wood End



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24/10/2021—  
Last after Trinity

## SUNDAY SERVICES

**This 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)*

## Next 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)*

## Sunday 7th November

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#### MEREVALE

11.00am Holy Communion

#### BAXTERLEY

4.30pm Holy Communion

*(Readings: Jonah 3. 1-5, 10;  
Psalm 62. 5-end; Hebrews 9.  
24-end; Mark 1. 14-20)*

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## Forthcoming Events

### 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 NO Service at Baxterley today

### 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

### Monday 1st November

- 1.45pm Funeral of Patricia Wood at Baxterley
- 7.00pm Commemoration of the Departed at Hurley

### Tuesday 2nd November

- 10.00am Funeral & burial of Betty Coleman at Hurley
- 7.00pm Bible Reflections via zoom
- 8.00pm Zoom Compline (and online via FaceBook)

### Wednesday 3rd November

- 9.30am Morning Service at Wood End
- 2.00pm MU meet in the Old Stables
- 7.00pm Wedding Rehearsal at Merevale

### Thursday 4th November

- 4.30pm Evening Prayer at Baxterley today

### Saturday 6th November

- 10.00-12.00 Choir Singing Morning at Merevale
- 1.00pm Wedding of James & Laura at Merevale

## Collect for Last Sunday after Trinity

Merciful God, teach us to be faithful in change and uncertainty, that trusting in your word and obeying your will we may enter the unfailing joy of Jesus Christ our Lord. . Amen



## 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 : Patricia Wood  
Betty Coleman

### Please also pray for.....

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

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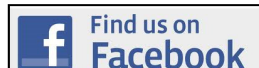
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## Roads in our communities to pray for this week:

Halloughton Grange & Hazelcroft in Kingsbury; Bridge Street in Hurley; Brookfields Close in Wood End; and Twenty One Oaks in Merevale w. Bentley

**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](mailto:StephH@cofebirmingham.com)

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## Readings for the Last Sunday after Trinity

### Hebrews 7. 23-end

23 Furthermore, the former priests were many in number, because they were prevented by death from continuing in office; <sup>24</sup>but he holds his priesthood permanently, because he continues for ever. <sup>25</sup>Consequently he is able for all time to save those who approach God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them.

26 For it was fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, blameless, undefiled, separated from sinners, and exalted above the heavens. <sup>27</sup>Unlike the other high priests, he has no need to offer sacrifices day after day, first for his own sins, and then for those of the people; this he did once for all when he offered himself. <sup>28</sup>For the law appoints as high priests those who are subject to weakness, but the word of the oath, which came later than the law, appoints a Son who has been made perfect for ever.

### Mark 10. 46-end

46 They came to Jericho. As he and his disciples and a large crowd were leaving Jericho, Bartimaeus son of Timaeus, a blind beggar, was sitting by the roadside. <sup>47</sup>When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout out and say, 'Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!' <sup>48</sup>Many sternly ordered him to be quiet, but he cried out even more loudly, 'Son of David, have mercy on me!' <sup>49</sup>Jesus stood still and said, 'Call him here.' And they called the blind man, saying to him, 'Take heart; get up, he is calling you.' <sup>50</sup>So throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. <sup>51</sup>Then Jesus said to him, 'What do you want me to do for you?' The blind man said to him, 'My teacher, let me see again.' <sup>52</sup>Jesus said to him, 'Go; your faith has made you well.' Immediately he regained his sight and followed him on the way.

### **ALL SOULS SERVICES - to Commemorate the Departed—are as follows:**

Friday 29th October, 7pm at **Wood End**  
Saturday 30th October, 4pm at **Kingsbury**  
Sunday 31st October, 4.30pm at **Baxterley**  
Monday 1st November, 7pm at **Hurley**

The names of those who have died over the last year, whose funerals have been conducted over the last year, will be read at our services of Commemoration of the Departed. If you would like any other names to be read at one of those services, please let Revd John or Revd Carole know by Wednesday 27 October, including a note of at which church you would like them to be remembered.

### **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.

### Jeremiah 31. 7-9

<sup>7</sup> For thus says the Lord:  
Sing aloud with gladness for Jacob,  
and raise shouts for the chief of the nations;  
proclaim, give praise, and say,  
'Save, O Lord, your people,  
the remnant of Israel.'  
<sup>8</sup> See, I am going to bring them from the land of the north,  
and gather them from the farthest parts of the earth,  
among them the blind and the lame,  
those with child and those in labour, together;  
a great company, they shall return here.  
<sup>9</sup> With weeping they shall come,  
and with consolations I will lead them back,  
I will let them walk by brooks of water,  
in a straight path in which they shall not stumble;  
for I have become a father to Israel,  
and Ephraim is my firstborn.

### Psalms 126

A Song of Ascents.

<sup>1</sup> When the Lord restored the fortunes of Zion,  
we were like those who dream.  
<sup>2</sup> Then our mouth was filled with laughter,  
and our tongue with shouts of joy;  
then it was said among the nations,  
'The Lord has done great things for them.'  
<sup>3</sup> The Lord has done great things for us,  
and we rejoiced.  
<sup>4</sup> Restore our fortunes, O Lord,  
like the watercourses in the Negeb.  
<sup>5</sup> May those who sow in tears  
reap with shouts of joy.  
<sup>6</sup> Those who go out weeping,  
bearing the seed for sowing,  
shall come home with shouts of joy,  
carrying their sheaves.

### **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**

### **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!**

### **WOOD END CHRISTMAS FAIR**

**Sat. 6th November at**  
**1.00pm at Wood End**  
**Community Centre**



### **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.

### **MONUMENTS QUIZ**

A reminder that Quiz Entries need to be returned to **Hilarie or David Samson TODAY (24th October)** to be in with a chance of winning the **Litre Bottle of Gin!** The quiz will be drawn next Sunday 31st October at the Group Service.  
Get your entries in and Good Luck!