

Pews News & Notices for Harbury, Ladbroke & Ufton

1st November 2020 : All Saints' Day

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ALL SOULS

Sadly we are not able to hold our usual All Souls Service which would have normally been this Sunday evening. However, we do invite you to light a candle in your window on Sunday evening as a way of remembering in the love of God those who you have loved and lost.

A MESSAGE FROM REV ANDY

One of the things that has struck me during my short time here is the importance and strength of community. I can see that evident in many ways across all three parishes as people care for one another and join together in so many different events and activities that take place in the area. Its been quite an eye-opener to discover how much is actually going on around us. But of course that's not to say that everything in the garden is rosy – I have been reminded recently of the problems in rural communities of hidden deprivation and isolation, which is something we need to be aware of as we seek to minister to the people around us. And then there are the church communities – again lots to celebrate, but also to recognise that the family of God is not perfect – how can it be when it is made up of imperfect human beings. Once again there can be hidden problems under the surface, and sadly that has become all too apparent in the stories of abuse that have come to light in the national church recently. Dietrich Bonhoeffer wrote that one of the main problems we can face is that we instinctively want to be part of a group where we all get along and everyone does as I want them to do. But of course the church is not simply a club, a clique of people who all think, act, look and speak the same. God has brought a diverse mix of people together with different strengths and weaknesses, and priorities, just as Jesus did with his first disciples, and like them sometimes we will get things wrong. What we share is a transforming relationship with him, and hopefully a desire to learn and grow and serve as we mature in our faith. And if that is our focus then we will become a place where people can find welcome, find Christ, find purpose, and find a place that they truly can call home.

PRAYER FOR TODAY

God, who leads your people through the journey of life, lead us to be fearless in making Jesus known in our lives and our communities.

May all recognise that our doorways are places of welcome and blessing, for you are a God who blesses us every day, and whose generous love is poured out freely to all who will receive it.

HARBURY, LADBROKE & UFTON SERVICES

Date	Service	Harbury	Ladbroke	Ufton
1st Nov	Holy Communion	10.30am	10.30am	-
Readings 1st November		Gospel : Matthew 5:1-12 Revelations 7:9-17		
8th Nov	Remembrance Service	10.30am	9.00am	10.30am
15th Nov	Harbury, Ufton & Ladbroke Service	via Zoom at 10.30am		
22nd Nov	Holy Communion	10.30am V. Hall	9.00am	-
29th Nov	Holy Communion	10.30am V. Hall	9.00am	-

- * Communion - the congregation will be offered the Bread only.
- * Harbury: The toilets will be accessible for all services held in church.
- * Anyone is welcome in church but due to social distancing constraints we need to know who is planning to come so phone Liz on 612421 a day or so before the service to book your seat.
- * With effect from 22nd November we will move to Harbury Village Hall as it may be a little warmer than church.

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY - 8th November 2020

A short Remembrance Service will be held at Harbury Church at 10.30 am on Sunday 8th November. There will be no procession to the war memorial. The 2 minute silence will be kept in church and the names of the fallen will be read out in church as part of the service. As numbers are very limited due to social distancing rules anyone who wishes to attend must pre book a seat with Liz McBride on 01926 612421 as soon as possible. (Please wrap up warmly as the church has no heating)

As an alternative maybe people would like to hold the 2 minute silence outside their houses at 11.00 am and lay their poppies at the war memorial anytime over the period from 8th November to 11th November.

We are intending to record Harbury's service which will be available to watch on You Tube later in the day.

Also, we would like to encourage people to make and display a poppy (or two). Whether you draw a poppy to be displayed in a window or have a go at making poppies to be displayed in your front garden; your contribution will help us all commemorate Remembrance Sunday. Thank you.

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Please remember in your prayers this week:-

*Jeff, Mike, Chris, Caroline, John, Karen, Olivia, Kate, Sue,
Nora Ellis, Emma Paine, Janice
Eveline Tennant, Melissa Smith & Carol.*

Please remember in your prayers:-

the continued efforts of all our NHS staff, health carers etc

NOTICES

LOVE IN A BOX CHRISTMAS SHOE BOX APPEAL 2020

Would like to contribute to this year's shoebox appeal? Details can be found on Team4u website - teams4U.com/ shoe box appeal. Each box will make a huge difference to a child or family in need especially in these particularly challenging times. The drop off point for completed boxes from Ladbroke Harbury and Ufton is Wed 4th- Sunday 8th November - Cherry Trees, School Lane Ladbroke CV472BU. If you have any queries or need further information please contact Sue Wright 07768 333675

LADBROKE 'PAUSE & PRAY' will be on Wednesday, 11 November 7pm till 8pm in church. All welcome.

BIBLIOS KITCHEN DOOR TAKEAWAY: From this week, Biblios is offering a takeaway service from the kitchen door. This is in addition to the sit down cafe service inside and is for those who prefer not to enter the building. The cafe and takeaway service is on Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Usual morning hours.

DAILY HOPE is the FREE DAILY DIAL-IN WORSHIP PHONE LINE set up by the Archbishop of Canterbury offering music, prayers, reflections and full worship services 24 hours a day on 0800 804 8044. It's been set up particularly for those unable to join online church services.

COVENTRY DIOCESE WEBSITE <https://www.coventry.anglican.org>
We are told that the the Equipping Disciples section has some great resources for prayer and wellbeing.

ON-LINE WORSHIP

- * Coventry Cathedral at 9:15 am on Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/coventrycathedral>
- * St Michael's Church, Bishop's Itchington www.stmichaelschurch.co.uk
- * St Nicholas Church, Radford Semele www.stnicholasrestored.co.uk
- * St Mark's Coventry at 10:30 am on YouTube - <https://www.stmarkscoventry.org/online>
- * St Paul's, Leamington at 10:00 am <https://stpaulsleamingtonspa.churchsuite.co>.
- * St Mary Magdalene, Lillington <https://lillingtonparishchurch.org> click on streaming and all their services
- * St Andrew's Shottery, Stratford-upon-Avon <https://www.saintandrewsshottery.org> (Sunday service via Zoom - click on Services which will take you to 'current month' link where you can access Zoom details)

LATEST CHURCH OF ENGLAND COVID-19 UPDATES

The Church of England website has a dedicated page for the latest national requirements and guidance...

<https://www.churchofengland.org/more/media-centre/coronavirus-covid-19-guidance-churches>

Church of England updated two FAQs:

- *Advice on NHS Test and Trace* in the What to do in the event of a local outbreak section
- *What are the first steps in the event of a local outbreak?* in the What to do in the event of a local outbreak section

"Following the announcement on Monday October 12 of a new three-tier risk alert system for COVID-19, we understand that Places of Worship can remain open at all Tiers – although at the 'high' and 'very high' Tiers there should be no mixing between households.

This recognises the important role churches and other places of worship continue to play in serving their communities and providing vital comfort and support to people amid very difficult times.

However, we fully appreciate the scale of the threat from COVID-19 and recognise the vigilance that places of worship will need to continue to practice in order to minimise the possibility of spread of the virus.

We will study Government detailed Government guidance when it is available and amend our advice as necessary."

ALL SAINTS' HARBURY WEBSITE

<https://allsaintsharbury.org/>

You will find current information such as opening the church for prayer as well as the current pew sheet and the Thought for the Day. We also have a donation button on this website which is currently set up to receive "collection".

ALL SAINTS' HARBURY

Church is open for private prayer on Sundays and Wednesdays from 1pm to 4pm. Anyone is welcome to come at these times but must read and follow the signs to keep all visitors as safe as possible.

Liz McBride & Michael Vincent, Churchwardens

*May we who are merely inconvenienced
remember those whose lives are at stake.*

*May we who have no risk factors
remember the most vulnerable.*

*May we who have the luxury of working from home
remember those who must choose between preserving their
health or making ends meet.*

*May we who have the flexibility to care for our children when
schools close remember those who have no options.*

*May we who have to cancel our trips
remember those who have no safe place to go.*

*May we who are losing our margin money in the tumult of
the economic market remember those who have no margin at all.*

*May we who settle in for a quarantine at home
remember those who have no home.*

As fear grips our country, let us choose love.

*During this time when we cannot physically wrap our arms
around each other*

let us find ways to be the loving embrace of God to our neighbours.

Amen

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ANSWERS TO 25th OCTOBER 2020 QUIZ

1. Duffy 2. My Heart Will Go On 3. Gielgud 4. Capulet 5. William Morris 6. The Island 7. Botswana 8. Chesil Beach 9. Vltava 10. Buckinghamshire 11. Ada Lovelace 12. Grappa 13. Prosciutto 14. Marathon 15. Red Kite 16. Next 17. Saturn 18. Tim Krul 19. iCloud 20. Acoustics

2.

THIS WEEK'S QUIZ

1. What is the name of the alcoholic liquor distilled from the agave plant (6)
2. What was Sting's profession before becoming a musician (7)
3. Who painted the Surrealist work The Persistence of Memory, which features melting watches and clocks (8,4)
4. First name shared by the composer Beethoven and the philosopher Wittgenstein (6)
5. Actor who played Arthur Daley in the TV series Minder (6,4)
6. Patriotic song, based on a poem by James Thomson set to music by Thomas Arne in 1740 (4,9)
7. Lead guitarist of The Kinks who had a 1967 number two hit with Death of a Clown (4,6)
8. Comic book character created by Hergé in 1929 (6)
9. Spiritual song whose lyrics are inspired by Ezekiel 37.1-14 (3,5)
10. In the Church of England, what title is given to the senior priest of a cathedral (4)
11. Where was the Russian revolutionary Leon Trotsky assassinated in 1940 (6,4)
12. Coin used as a good luck charm by Royal Air Force aircrew (8)
13. The longest river in the Iberian peninsula enters the Atlantic at Lisbon. What is its name (5)
14. Arm of the Mediterranean between Italy and the Balkan Peninsula (8,3)
15. Former royal burgh in Scotland granted city status in 2002 (8)
16. How is the Water Services Regulation Authority or Office of Water Services better known (5)
17. A device for transmitting information over a distance invented in the late 18th century (9)
18. A tournament in which each competitor plays in turn against every other (5,5)
19. A bone of the foot (10)
20. Extreme or irrational fear of open or public places (11)

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