



WELCOME ... News Sheet Sunday



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Open Mon – Fri 9.00am – 12.00pm

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Rector: Revd. Suzan Williams, **Curate:** Revd. Vickie Dunlop, **Anna Chaplain and Team Reader:** Jane Peeler, **Hon. Assistant**

Ministers: Revd. Marjorie Brooks, Revd Simon Boxall.

Every Wednesday – St Mary's - 10.30am - Holy Communion

Every Monday 9.15am At St Marys – Morning Prayer, to seek God for our Benefice – All welcome.

Services Sun – August 30th Trinity 13 (Green)

10.30 – St Marys – HC

10.30 – Oldbury – *Coffee n Cake*

3.30pm - St Leonards – Summer Celebration Joint Service

Events wc Sun – August 30th

Wednesday 2nd September

St Mary's choir practice **18.00-19.00**

Thursday 3rd September

Little Stars, St Mary's **10.00**

Saturday 05th September

St Mary's Coffee Shop **10.00**

Saturday 5th September

Ladies Brunch – Parlours Hall **11am**

Sunday Services

Sun – September 6th Trinity 14 (Green) or Harvest

9.00 - Astley Abbots – HC

10.00 – Monkhopton - HC

10.30 – St Leonards - FS

10.30 – St Marys – HC

10.30 – Tasley – MP

10.30 – Oldbury - HC

11.15 – Morville – MP

Sun – September 13th Trinity 15 (Green)

9.30 - Astley Abbots – AAW

10.00 – Acton Round – HC

10.00 – Aston Eyre – MP

10.30 – St Marys – HC

10.30 – Tasley – AAW

10.30 – Quatford - HC

11.15 – Morville – MP

Sun – September 20th Trinity 16 (Green)

9.00 - Astley Abbots – MP

10.30 – St Leonards - HC

10.30 – St Marys – MP

10.30 – Tasley – HC

16.00 – Oldbury – Harvest Hymms and Pimms

11.15 – Morville – MP

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: 6th September Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity (Green) Romans 13:8-end, Matthew 18:15-20 Psalm 149

Notice; St Mary's, Bridgnorth. We would like to have planned and facilitated activities available to any children that might be at church on Sunday mornings. If you feel able to be on a rota to supervise and facilitate an activity, please speak to Vickie (this will not require any planning and there will be weeks when you might be on the rota but there are no children)

Brighter Days Bereavement Cafe - A friendly space to be listened to, share cake, meet others and find non-judgemental support wherever you are on your journey through loss. Every 2nd Wednesday of the month between 1:30 and 3pm at St James' Hall Church, Lodge Lane, WV15 5DD

NOTICE: Office hours:- Please keep an eye out every week as these will change over the course of the school Summer holidays the days the office is closed I will be working from home. Mary-Jane

Wc Monday 31st August Monday Bank holiday Closed – Tuesday Closed – Wednesday-Friday back open as normal hours 9am-12pm

No Bible Study Group at Vickie's house. Back 8th September please email Vickie at

bridgnorthandmorvillecurate@outlook.com or call 07503160872 if you need any more information.

Saturday 5th September Ladies brunch, Parlors Hall, 11am. Please book with Corinne at the Baptist Church 01746 768129

Monday 7th September – Week of prayer week:

7.09.26 – St Nicolas, Oldbury @ 6.30pm / 8.09.26 – St Marys Bridgnorth Prayer Breakfast @ 8am / 8.09.26 – Aston Eyre Church @ 6.30pm / 9.09.26 St Calixtus Astley Abbots @ 6.30pm / 10.09.26 St Gregory's Morville @ 6.30pm / 11.09.26 St Marys, Quatford @ 6.30pm

To raise money for your church & The Shropshire Historic Churches Trust. **Saturday 12th Sept** Can you take part as a cyclist or walker or maybe take older friends' round in your car? Could you help provide refreshments or sponsor someone? **Further details:** Sheila Royle (St Mary's Bridgnorth) or your local church organiser. www.shropshirehct.org.uk/OtherActivities/RideStride.aspx

You're invited! We will be running the Alpha Course for anyone in the Benefice to attend and invite people along to. Who might God be prompting you to invite? Take some time to prayerfully consider this and take the bold step of inviting them along. And Alpha isn't just for non-Christians, Christians also benefit from the time for reflection, fellowship and the opportunity to share their faith with others. We will be meeting each week from **16th September** at St James' Hall Church on Lodge Lane, 7pm-8:30pm. If you would like to attend; would like more information or would like to help, email Suzan (rectorbridgnorthandmorville@gmail.com) or Vickie (bridgnorthandmorvillecurate@outlook.com)

COLLECT

Almighty God, who called your Church to bear witness that you were in Christ reconciling the world to yourself: help us to proclaim the good news of your love, that all who hear it may be drawn to you; through him who was lifted up on the cross, and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.
Amen

POST COMMUNION

God our creator,
you feed your children with the true manna,
the living bread from heaven:
let this holy food sustain us through our earthly pilgrimage until we come to that place where hunger and thirst are no more; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Romans 12: 9-End Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honour. Do not lag in zeal, be ardent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints; extend hospitality to strangers. Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. Live in harmony with one another; do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly; do not claim to be wiser than you are. Do not repay anyone evil for evil, but take thought for what is noble in the sight of all. If it is possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave room for the wrath of God; for it is written, 'Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord.' No, 'if your enemies are hungry, feed them; if they are thirsty, give them something to drink; for by doing this you will heap burning coals on their heads.' Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

Matthew 16: 21 - End From that time on, Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and undergo great suffering at the hands of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, 'God forbid it, Lord! This must never happen to you.' But he turned and said to Peter, 'Get behind me, Satan! You are a stumbling-block to me; for you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.'

Then Jesus told his disciples, 'If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it. For what will it profit them if they gain the whole world but forfeit their life? Or what will they give in return for their life?

'For the Son of Man is to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay everyone for what has been done. Truly I tell you, there are some standing here who will not taste death before they see the Son of Man coming in his kingdom.'

Psalms 115 Not to us, O LORD, not to us, but to your name give glory, for the sake of your steadfast love and your faithfulness. **Why should the nations say, 'Where is their God?'** Our God is in the heavens; he does whatever he pleases. **Not to us, O LORD, not to us, but to your name give glory, for the sake of your steadfast love and your faithfulness.** They have mouths, but do not speak; eyes, but do not see. **They have ears, but do not hear; noses, but do not smell.** They have hands, but do not feel; feet, but do not walk; they make no sound in their throats.

Those who make them are like them; so are all who trust in them. O Israel, trust in the LORD! He is their help and their shield. **O house of Aaron, trust in the LORD! He is their help and their shield.** You who fear the LORD, trust in the LORD! He is their help and their shield. **The LORD has been mindful of us; he will bless us; he will bless the house of Israel; he will bless the house of Aaron;** he will bless those who fear the LORD, both small and great.

May the LORD give you increase, both you and your children. May you be blessed by the LORD, who made heaven and earth. The heavens are the LORD's heavens, but the earth he has given to human beings. **The dead do not praise the LORD, nor do any that go down into silence.** But we will bless the LORD from this time on and for evermore. Praise the LORD! **Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning is now and shall be forever. Amen.**