

Parish of All Souls North Warwickshire

Austrey, Newton Regis, Seckington, Shuttington with Alvecote & Warton

June 2022 Church News

Platinum Jubilee Celebrations

We ended May and started our Jubilee Celebrations with a Service of Thanksgiving at St Mary the Virgin, Newton Regis. It was great to see representatives from our different Parish Councils across the Parish of All Souls. There were some fantastic flower arrangements, created by ladies of the village, including this amazing Crown. Thanks to all who made it possible.



There is still opportunity to give thanks for Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth's 70yr Reign at a Service of Celebration at All Saints, Seckington on Thursday 2nd June at 6pm. The church will also be open on Thursday 2nd and Friday 3rd June from 2-4 pm and Saturday 4th June from 10-4 for an exhibition, A Celebration of Life through the Seven Decades of her reign. It just so happens that we have seven windows in All Saints Church and it's great that so many of our families are willing to create a celebration of a different decade. Tea and cake will be available too!

I hope you find some way to mark this momentous occasion, which will never happen again in our lifetime!

Blessings Revd Joanne

This Months Services

June 1 7.30 pm WARTON Service of Healing & Wholeness

June 2 6.00pm SECKINGTON Service of Thanksgiving

June 5 Pentecost Acts 2:1-21 John 14:8-17 (25-27)

8.30 am AUSTREY Holy Communion

(No Evening Service)

June 12 Trinity Sunday Romans 5:1-5 John 16:12-15

8.30 am NEWTON REGIS Morning Prayer
 10.30 am WARTON Family Worship
 6.00 pm SECKINGTON Evening Prayer

June 19 1st Sunday after Trinity Galatians 3:23 – 29 Luke 8:26 – 39

10.30 am AUSTREY Family Worship

12.30 pm NEWTON REGIS Baptism

6.00 pm NEWTON REGIS Holy Communion

June 26 2nd Sunday after Trinity Galatians 5:1, 13 – 25 Luke 9:51 – 62

8.30 am WARTON Holy Communion (BCP)

10.30 am SECKINGTON Family Service with Baptism

1.00 pm NEWTON REGIS Wedding6.00 pm SHUTTINGTON Evening Prayer

July 3rd 3rd Sunday after Trinity Ephesians 2. 19 to end John 20.24-29

8.30am AUSTREY Holy Communion
 10.30 am NEWTON REGIS Family Worship
 6.00 pm WARTON Evening Prayer

FUTURE DATES

Wed 1 June 7.30 pm Service of Healing & Wholeness at Warton

Thurs 2 & Fri 3 June 2 til 4pm Seven decades exhibition at Seckington

Sat 4th June 10 til 4pm Seven Decades exhibition at Seckington

Wed 8 June 7.30 pm Meeting of Coleshill & Polesworth Deanery Synod

Sat 11 June 12.30 pm onwards Warton Carnival

Sun 19 June 12.30 pm Baptism of Winnie Follows at Newton Regis

Thurs 23 June 12 noon Wedding of Sam Green & Bethany Puffett at

Newton Regis

Sun 26 June 10.30 am Baptism of Georgia Shiers at Seckington

Sun 26 June 1.00 pm Wedding of Andrew McPherson & Lisa Francis at

Newton Regis

Join us in prayer

Prayers for the world: we pray for all areas of our world where conflict is rife, but in particular for Ukraine, that peace will return and people be able to rebuild their lives. We ask God's comfort and blessing on the injured, the dying, the bereaved, the dispossessed, those separated from family and loved ones, those fighting for their country's freedom, those who have fled their homeland. We pray for all working to bring about a peaceful settlement. We ask your blessing on all agencies working here and abroad to help the vulnerable, the needy and the underprivileged, including Christian Aid, Mission Aviation Fellowship, Crosslinks, Bethesda Leprosy Hospital and Birmingham City Mission. We pray for increased respect for the natural environment and a renewed sense of urgency in the efforts to mitigate the effects of climate change

Prayers for the nation: we pray for Elizabeth our Queen in her Jubilee Year as the nation
 and Commonwealth celebrate her 70 years of devoted duty and service, that she would
 continue to enjoy God's guidance and protection.

We pray for a renewal of trust and confidence in the nation's leaders as they seek to address the challenges of the current economic situation. We pray that those struggling with the escalating cost of living might find the support and reassurance they need.

Prayers for the Church: we pray for the Church and its leaders at both national and local level. In our Parish of All Souls we pray for renewed energy and commitment to move forward as we try new ways of reaching out to the communities we serve. We give thanks for Joanne and her family and ask that God will continue to strengthen and inspire her in her ministry.

<u>Prayers our Community:</u> we pray for all those who reside or work in our parish, for a strengthening of relationships between church and community. We pray especially for all the staff and children in our 3 village schools, that they will continue to make progress with their learning during the final stages of the academic year.

Prayers for the sick: we ask for your love and healing touch to surround all who are ill or
in pain at this time, whether at home, in care or in hospital. We pray especially for those
struggling with mental health issues arising from the pandemic and the difficult financial
situation. May they all feel your presence and find healing and peace.

Prayers for the bereaved: we pray for all coming to terms with the loss of loved ones,
remembering especially the families and friends of Bernard Miller, Carl Hand and
Margaret Hall. Comfort all those recently bereaved, give them courage and strength to
face the days and weeks ahead.

"The Lord is good, a strong refuge when trouble comes.

God is close to those who trust in him." (Nahum 1:7)

TITHE FOR JUNE: BIRMINGHAM CITY MISSION

A tenth of all our offerings is given as a tithe. If you wish to supplement this, please place your gift, clearly marked, in the offertory box or plate or contact the Treasurer Trish Richardson 01827 66282 or trishrich18@gmail.com

SERVICE OF HEALING & WHOLENESS

On the first Wednesday of every month we are holding a Service of Healing & Wholeness at 7.30 pm in Warton Church. Do be encouraged to come along to this service of quiet contemplation and restoration and leave the worries of the week behind. There is an opportunity for anointing and laying on of hands for those who wish.

CURLING AND FISH 'N' CHIP SUPPER

Join the fun for an **indoor curling** night with Fish and Chip Supper at The Village Hall, Newton Regis and help us raise funds for St Mary's Church. Tickets £10 a head from Shirley Faulkner 01827 830504.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK:

Many thanks to all those who have been able to support this year's Christian Aid Week Appeal, focusing on the issue of climate change and how it is affecting the lives and livelihoods of women in Zimbabwe who rely on subsistence farming to feed their families. It is still not too late to donate, either by leaving your donation in church by mid-June or online donations are being accepted up till August 1st!

WARTON CARNIVAL:

This popular village event is celebrating its twentieth year and organisers are looking forward to resuming the usual format, starting with a procession round the village from around 12.30 pm and ending on the recreation ground where there will be stalls, displays, fairground rides and refreshments. Warton Church will also be open for the afternoon with information relating to the church on display.

DOVE MAGAZINE:

The summer edition of The Dove is available in church and the village stores of Austrey,

Shuttington and Warton. Thanks to all who have contributed or helped in the distribution.

"He said to them, 'Go into all the world and preach the good news to all creation." (Mark 16:15)

For up to date information on services please consult the parish website www.allsoulsnorthwarwickshire.co.uk or your local church noticeboard. Baptisms, weddings and funerals can all be accommodated and enquiries should be made to the Rector Revd Joanne Dyer.

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