



# Parish of All Souls North Warwickshire

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

## August 2022 Church News

### Exciting times ahead

Starting in May this year, All Souls has been trying out some new services. On the first Wednesday of the month, there is a Service of Healing & Wholeness, in Warton Church, starting at 7.30 pm. It is a time of quiet reflection and prayer for those in need, followed by refreshments. Do be encouraged to come along and escape the pressures of the week.

Every other month, on the third Wednesday, at 10.00 am, we have started Church & Chat in Shuttington & Alvecote Village Hall, when a short said service of no more than 30 minutes is followed by tea and coffee and an opportunity to chat and get to know one another. It is an ideal opportunity to keep in touch, especially if you cannot make the regular Sunday services. Our Next one is Wednesday 17th August. We look forward to seeing you.

#### **NEW VENTURES:**

Look out for Stay & Play for pre-school children and their parents/carers, on a Tuesday morning at 10.00 am in Newton Regis School, starting on Tuesday 13th September. Also the launch of Youth 139, a Youth Club for 10 – 15 year olds, on Thursdays at 6.00 pm in Austrey School Hall, starting on Thursday 15th September. If you know anyone who you can encourage to come along, please pass on the details.

**For up to date information on services please consult the parish website [www.allsoulsnorthwarwickshire.co.uk](http://www.allsoulsnorthwarwickshire.co.uk) or your local church noticeboard. Baptisms, weddings and funerals can all be accommodated and enquiries should be made to**

**Rector Revd Joanne Dyer.**

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# This Months Services

Aug 03	7.30 pm	WARTON	Service of Healing & Wholeness
<b>Aug 07</b>	<b>8th Sunday after Trinity</b>		<b>Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16 Luke 12: 32-40</b>
	8.30 am	AUSTREY	Holy Communion
	10.30 am	NEWTON REGIS	Family Worship
	6.00 pm	WARTON	Evening Prayer
<b>Aug 14</b>	<b>9th Sunday after Trinity</b>		<b>Hebrews 11: 29 – 12: 2 Luke 12: 49-56</b>
	8.30 am	NEWTON REGIS	Holy Communion
	10.30 am	WARTON	Family Communion
	6.00 pm	SECKINGTON	Evening Prayer
<b>Aug 21</b>	<b>10th Sunday after Trinity</b>		<b>Hebrews 12 : 18 – 29 Luke 13 : 10 – 17</b>
	10.30 am	AUSTREY	Family Communion
	6.00 pm	NEWTON REGIS	Evening Prayer
<b>Aug 28</b>	<b>11th Sunday after Trinity</b>		<b>Hebrews 13 : 1-8. 15-16 Luke 14: 1, 7-14</b>
	8.30am	WARTON	Holy Communion (BCP)
	10.30 am	SECKINGTON	Family Worship
	6.00 pm	SHUTTINGTON	Evening Prayer / Songs of Praise

## FUTURE DATES

Wed 3 August	7.30 pm	Service of Healing & Wholeness at Warton
Sat 6 August	1.00 pm	Wedding of Connor Skipworth & Rebecca Hunter at Newton Regis
Wed 17 August	10.00 am	Church & Chat at Shuttington & Alvecote Village Hall
Sat 20 August	1.00 pm	Wedding of Stephen Sharman & Emily Briers at Warton

# Join us in prayer

Prayers for the world: we pray for an end to the war in Ukraine, for peace to return so that lives can be rebuilt. 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 & just settlement. We ask your blessing on all agencies working here and abroad to help the vulnerable, the needy and the underprivileged, in particular our own Mission Partners. We pray for all nations to take urgent action to mitigate the effects of climate change. We pray for those suffering the impact of natural disasters, especially the victims of the recent heatwave and the devastating fires across Europe and in our own land.

Prayers for the nation: we pray for Elizabeth our Queen in the frailty of her advancing years, that she might enjoy continued wellbeing, and for those members of the Royal Family taking on extra royal duties. We pray for guidance in the coming leadership campaign and a restoration of trust in our government. We pray for those struggling with the ever-rising cost of living, the anxieties that brings and its effect on the nation's mental health. We pray for those working in all branches of the NHS as pressure on its services continues.

Prayers for the Church: we pray for the Church and its leaders at both national and local level. We pray for Joanne, as she leads us forward here in All Souls, that you would equip her and those around her with the resources of time and energy as we seek to reach out to those in our communities.

Prayers our Community: we pray for God's love and protection on all in our parish at this holiday season, especially those taking the opportunity to enjoy some time away. We pray especially for all the staff & children in our 3 village schools as they enjoy a well-deserved break in the coming weeks. May it be a time of rest and relaxation for all.

Prayers for the sick: we ask for your loving and healing presence to be with all who are ill or in pain at this time, for strength and patience for those recovering from illness. We pray especially for those experiencing mental health issues arising from a struggle to make ends meet. We pray that they will receive the help and support they need but above all that they would know reassurance and peace.

Prayers for the bereaved: we pray for all who mourn at this difficult time, remembering especially the family and friends of Alan Clarke. Comfort all those recently bereaved, give them strength to face the future without their loved ones.

***“For I am convinced that neither death nor life .... nor anything else in creation will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.” (Romans 8:38-39)***

### **TITHE FOR AUGUST: BETHESDA (LEPROSY) HOSPITAL:**

Bethesda (Leprosy) Hospital has been treating those suffering from the debilitating disease of leprosy since 1923 and more recently those affected by HIV/AIDS. All Souls has been supporting the hospital since the late 1980s when the late Dr Ben Walkey, who had worked as a surgeon at the hospital, came to live in the parish with his wife Peggy. As well as receiving treatment, patients are constantly assured of how much they are loved by Jesus and encouraged to place their trust in him.

If you wish to supplement our monthly tithe, please place your gift, clearly marked, in the offertory box or plate or contact the Treasurer Trish Richardson 01827 66282 or [trish-rich18@gmail.com](mailto:trish-rich18@gmail.com)

### **AUSTREY FUNDRAISING:**

A big thank you to all who supported the Afternoon Tea in Austrey Church to start the ball rolling to raise funds to repair the churchyard wall. It was voted a most enjoyable afternoon and a total of £280 was raised. A regular programme of fundraising events will follow – watch out for details on the website, the church newsletter and noticeboard. If you can offer help, please contact the churchwarden Heather Cooke on 01827 830548.

### **DOVE MAGAZINE:**

The next edition of The Dove will be available by the beginning of August. Thanks to all who have contributed articles and to those involved in the distribution.

### **ECCLESIASTICAL INSURANCE GROUP (EIG) INSURANCE OFFER – EXTENDED TO 31/12/22**

EIG's offer to donate £130 to parishes for each **new home insurance policy** taken out has been extended further to 31 December 2022. EIG's rates are highly competitive, so it might be worth investigating and a relatively effortless way of raising funds to support the church of your choice.

To find out more, call **0800 783 0130** quoting **TRUST 130** or visit [www.ecclesiastical.com/Trust130](http://www.ecclesiastical.com/Trust130)

***“Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. Share with God’s people who are in need.”***

(Romans 12 : 12-13)