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Trinity Sunday

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Badby ₩ Newnham ₩ Charwelton ₩ Fawsley ₩ Preston Capes

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Services for June 2020

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- for other services see Lectionary

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14 Jun	Trinity 1	287	Α	Exod 19, 2-8a	Rom 5, 1-8	Matt 9, 35 - 10, 9
21 Jun	Trinity 2	294	Α	Jer 20, 7-13	Rom 6, 1b-11	Matt 10, 24-39
28 Jun	Trinity 3	301	Α	Jer 28, 5-9	Rom 6, 12-end	Matt 10, 40-end
5 Jul	Trinity 4	307	Α	Zech 9, 9-12	Rom 7, 15-25a	Matt 11, 16-19 &
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- NOTES: 1. *These page numbers refer to "The Word of the Lord", a copy of which will be available in your church. All the readings in that book are taken from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible.
 - 2. †The Old Testament readings during Trinity will be from Track 2 of Common Worship
 - 3. At non-communion services the second reading should normally be the Gospel.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS



IN MEMORIAM

Funeral in Badby Cemetery: Mrs Gertrude Cox on 5th May 2020 by the Rev'd Tony Avery Derek Durrant of Charwelton died suddenly on 8 May Private small cremation with celebration at a later date

OBITUARIES

DEREK DURRANT

It was with great sadness that we learned of the sudden death of Derek Durrant.

Derek and his wife Christine came to live in Charwelton in 2014 and quickly became part of the village.

He was born in Hatfield on 6th October 1942 but was brought up in a rural area just outside Norwich at the home his parents bought and moved into on the day of their wedding.

The second of four brothers, he started his working life in a shoe factory, following his fathers footsteps, but soon began looking to wider horizons. He met Chris at college in the lunchtime backstage coffee bar where he was studying construction and she a secretarial course and law. He was taken on by John Laing in a junior capacity in their testing laboratory and from there he studied at night school and eventually became one of about only six people in the UK with expertise in defects in asphalt roofing. flooring and steel cladding. This career path gave him access to places many of us never enter, for example the Bank of England vaults where he saw some of the world's gold being moved from country to country, the top of the dome (inside) of St Paul's Cathedral and international visits to Athens and New Zealand to give expert witness advice in litigation

His happiest times were since refirement when he could enjoy more time with the family he loved so much, golf at Staverton and becoming involved with village life. He served on the VH Committee and worked on improving road safety along the A361, and taking care of the speed recorder. His latest

passion, the Packhorse pathway pocket park. He had the thrill of seeing the first blossoms on the cherry trees and leaves unfurling on the rowan. He would have been equally thrilled that his fellow planter group will continue the project and extend it to include the Monks Walk, the Charwelton sign flower boxes and beautifying the communal areas of this, his adopted village.

He was one of the most hard working people to have come to the village in recent times and he will be greatly missed.

CD / DP

PETER BOX

Peter Box, a real character who lived in Newnham until 1996, died in Walsgrave Hospital on May 7 of Covid-19. He was born in Kimbolton, Hunts in 1930 and adopted as a baby by the Russell family, brought up in Newnham and was left Boxmoor (now Hedge Cottage). His first wife lvy Beaupré of Badby died young but Ruth answered his advert for a housekeeper and they were married in 1974. Ruth took the shop on the Green and when the shop opposite the church closed, she transferred the Post Office and added an off-licence extension.

Peter was a churchwarden 1970 - 85 and carried out many repairs in and around the churches at Newnham and Badby. Peter learned to ring as a teenager. He was tower captain for many years and rang locally as well as helping with the rehanging of Fawsley bells. He arranged for the Newnham bells to be chimed from the ground when the Silver Jubilee patio under the tower was dedicated. He was a keen handbell ringer and within the last year had

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EDITORIAL

elcome once again to a Lockdown issue of the Link. We hope you are all keeping well and safe, and that you are all receiving your copies, whether printed or online to keep you informed and perhaps amused as well.

ast month the exciting news of the appointment of a new Rector, the Revd. Malcolm Ingham, to the benefice arrived the day after the copies had been printed, so just too late to be included, but I hope you all received a separate flyer making that announcement. We look forward to welcoming him as soon as possible, but that might be a little while yet, if only because of the house moving difficulties at this time.

In the meantime however Malcolm has sent us a message to introduce himself, plus a photograph of him and his family, and you can find that message opposite.

You may wish to get a glimpse of Malcolm's services, and you can do this by logging on to the website of his present parishes where they publish a live streamed service each week. You can find this at

https://www.alwaltonchurch.org.uk/this-weeks-service/this-weeks-service-8659.php

new Rural Dean has also recently been appointed to succeed Canon Mary Garbutt. The Revd. Stephen Burrow who is the Rector of the Nether Heyford group writes to introduce himself on page 6.

ockdown corner appears again, and this month I would particularly like to thank Robin Baker, Clive Atkins, David Pomfret and Jeff Lawrence for their contributions.

dvertising in the Link provides a large part of the income needed to cover the Link costs, and you can help in that by supporting our advertisers wherever you can.

If you need to have a better look at the advertisements you can access them at https://www.theknightleyparishes.btck.co.uk/

And on a similar topic, we need to thank the small businesses who keep us going during the coronavirus crisis. In particular the pubs in Badby (The Maltsters), Charwelton (The Fox and Hounds) and in Newnham (Maria's Kitchen) who have all introduced creative ways of serving the community. Please support them as best you can. After all, if we want them still to function when we get back to some semblance of normality, then we must do what we can to assist them now.

inally, it has been suggested that we might start to run "For Sale" column in the Link. What do you think? Would it serve a useful purpose? Would you use it? I would be interested to hear your views so please contact me at davidpound1939@talktalk.net and let me know.

David



BENEFICE PAGE

A MESSAGE FROM OUR RECTOR-DESIGNATE

As I write, it's hard to imagine going for a day out somewhere let alone packing up all our belongs and moving lock, stock and clerical collar to a new community, but (excitingly) that is what is on the horizon for us. Eventually.

A couple of weeks before we all went into Lockdown I was thrilled to have been offered the post of Rector of the Knightley benefice, everything was on track for a move in the summer and then all the well laid plans went on hold. We would still love to come and join you over the summer, but we are aware that we will have to move wisely and slowly and so it may take a little longer than any of us has initially hoped or expected.

In the meantime, please allow me to introduce us. My name is Malcolm Ingham, I was born in the North West and grew up in Ormskirk, midway between Preston and Liverpool in a market gardening area. After training as a graphic designer I worked briefly in advertising in London before joining the Church Pastoral Aid Society (CPAS) and then the South American Mission Society (SAMS) working with young people and youth leaders in this country.



It was during this time that I moved to Bishop's Itchington to be in a central location and met Liz who had started working for CPAS after I left. CPAS were based in Warwick and although Badby, Newnham, Charwelton, Fawsley and Preston Capes are all new to us, we did come very close to you in the past — our first proper date was a quiet drink at the Red Lion in Hellidon. The rest is, as they say, history.

I trained for ordination at Wycliffe Hall, Oxford, before being ordained in Gloucester cathedral and serving my curacy in a Cotswold benefice of five churches centred around Moreton-in-Marsh. During

this time our family doubled in size with the arrival of Lottie and then Ed.

A stint in Cheltenham as an Associate Minister also saw our family embrace another member, one with a waggy tail and wet nose and although our first dog is no longer with us we were joined two years ago by Hector, a Pointer-Labrador cross rescued from a shelter on Cvorus.

We have spent the last sixteen years on the outskirts of Peterborough where I have been the Rector of two churches. It has been a real privilege to serve in these communities and we have enjoyed sharing our lives with the people here. Liz has worked for a number of employers over the years including the NHS, a housing association and, most recently, as part of the office staff of a local Primary School.

We love spending time in the Lake District or at the theatre in Stratford as well as discovering warmer climes and it will be lovely to be nearer family as well as friends from our past and friends we are yet to make.

We may or may not be joined by our children, Lottie is hoping to return to university so that she can begin her Masters and Ed is hoping to start his first year at university this autumn, however, like all of us, their futures seem very unpredictable at the moment. Needless to say, the days of standing by the side of a windswept football pitch or being the taxi service to Musical Theatre are behind us, so we are looking forward to some new challenges, becoming part of new communities and making new friends.

When will this happen? God knows – and there's comfort and reassurance in that. We might feel as though our plans are being frustrated, but God's plans never are, it will all happen in his good timing, it is as Paul wrote to the church in Rome, 'we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose." And so we can have faith that God will bring us together when the time is right.

Until then, stay safe and God bless,

Malcolm, Liz, Lottie & Ed

EVENING SERVICE OF THE WORD

Whilst Evening Service of The Word has been suspended in church during the lockdown due to coronavirus, a pilot service using Zoom took place on May 26 with a further one planned for June 23. These are scheduled for 6.30pm as usual and last for 30 minutes. If you are not on the circulation list and would like to be, contact Gill Nelson via her email: aillian nelson@talktalk.net

RURAI DEAN

Dear Friends in The Knightley Benefice

Thank you for this opportunity to introduce myself. My name is Stephen Burrow, and I have been the Rural Dean of Daventry for just over a month. I was licensed via Zoom by Bishop John, my first experience of a technology which is playing an increasingly important role in the life of our churches. I have been the Rector of Heyford with Stowe IX Churches and Flore with Brockhall for five years. As you might imagine, I have already had an interesting time as Rural Dean, with our church buildings closed, public worship suspended and the need locally to establish an on-line presence. I expect the times to get more interesting as we gradually unwind the lock-down in line with government advice, and the advice of our bishoos.

Despite our buildings being closed, the Church is alive and well, finding new ways to meet, new ways to worship God, and to serve and support our communities. As we begin to look forward, the challenge for us as a Church is to find ways of incorporating these new things into the way we do 'church', to find a 'new normal' that offers a mixed economy of the old and the new. For the Knightley Benefice, that 'new normal' will involve the arrival of a new Rector, Rev Malcolm Ingham, and I hope that we can meet soon to prepare for his arrival. In the meantime, if there is anything I can do to help you, please do not hesitate to get in touch — my contact details are below.

With every prayer and blessing, Stephen (tel. 01327 344436) email: s p burrow@yahoo.co.uk



PARISH NOTICES

BADBY

Correspondent - Geoff Pullin (qcsspullin@vahoo.com)

BADBY CHURCH - STILL HERE FOR YOU

Badby Church like all places of worship, was closed physically at the start of the coronavirus pandemic by order of the Archbishop following instructions from the government. Although churches may be allowed to re-open at some time in July for private prayer, there is as yet no indication when we may be able to atther together again for services.

Meanwhile we continue to collect donations for the Daventry Food Bank using the box in the Church porch which is open daily, and if you know of anyone who would appreciate help, whether with practical tasks or just a friendly chat, please contact our Visiting Co-ordinator Judy Jordan on tel. 07752 384969 or email judyjordan27@qmail.com

The suspension of all services and public gatherings will have a huge impact on our financial sustainability. We no longer receive offerings via the service collection plate, and our planned schedule of fundraising events has also had to be cancelled entirely.

We are thinking actively about new ways to fundraise safely, meanwhile if you care about the future of Badby Church and want it to be active and open, we would really appreciate your support. You can make a one-off donation by cheque or by bank transfer, or perhaps you might consider setting up a tax-efficient regular payment.

We really hope you will not mind this direct appeal. We are aware that many are facing fears, worries and concerns about the future. Thankfully we have the exciting news that Rev'd Malcolm Ingham will join us as our new Rector later in the year and we look forward to welcoming Malcolm and his wife Liz to Badhy.

If you would like to help, please contact the Treasurer, Frances Williams, on williamsf333@aol.com or tel. 07717 337048.

DAVENTRY FOOD BANK.

To all those generous food-givers: thank you for what you are putting in the porch of St. Mary's Church. Between eight and ten bags of food are currently being taken each week from Badby to Daventry food bank, whose organisers are very appreciative. They have a 38% increase in demand at the moment, for obvious reasons, and would like their thanks passed on to all those who are so generous. Please keep giving!

TEA AND MEET

Sorry no Tea and Meet in June but Jan's hoping many villagers are experimenting with their baking, then eating delicious cakes and bakes at home in their gardens whilst the sun is shining.

UNITED REFORMED CHURCH

There will be no services until gatherings are permitted.

BADBY VILLAGE HALL

The Management Committee plans to hold its AGM at some point in July (Covid-19 rules permittingl), at which time it will be putting in place the committee for 2020/21. Two committee members will be taking the opportunity to stand down after some years' service. Ken Morris is keen to hear from anyone who would be interested in joining the committee and in particular, he needs a new treasurer for 2020/21. We are a friendly committee of 12 people who manage the organisation, upkeep and funding of the village hall, so that it can best serve our community in Badby and the surrounding area.

Please contact Ken Morris on 07831 402679 to learn more about what's involved and to volunteer.

CLAPPING & MORE ON THURSDAYS

Bob Caldwell of Vicarage Hill reports: We, me on saxophone and Mark Teulon on guitar, have been putting on half hour mini-concerts in the street on Thursday evenings after the clapping for the NHS. As Mark lives in Neneside Close, we went there this week, joined by Paul Fox on keyboard. We've been starting at 8pm but the temperature has a habit of dropping alarmingly by 8.30pm so we're thinking of starting at 7.30pm and alternating the venue

between Vicarage Hill and Neneside Close. Whatever time we start, the 8pm clapping takes precedence. Any closet jazz musicians are welcome to join us so long as the 2 metre rule is adhered to. Occasionally someone has the brilliant idea of donating a bottle or two of beer, but that's optional and although enormously appreciated it's not why we do it

THE MALTSTERS

Lucile continues to run an on-line grocery, green grocery and meat delivery service in the village. Order through Online Shop | maltsterspub before 8pm for delivery the following afternoon (except Sundays).

CRICKET CLUB

Waiting for ECB instructions, which hopefully will allow a start on July 1, fingers crossed!

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NEWNHAM

Correspondent - Ellen Henning (ellen.henning@hotmail.co.uk)

CHURCH PORCH

Newnham's "little library" in the church porch has proved very popular. We now have a vast selection of books, video's and CD's. Please help yourselves, but do not bring any more for the time being please as we are running out of space.

It is good to see that messages continue to be

placed on message/prayer board, many from children who are clearly missing their friends.

Newnham "rocks" are still being found around the village, but has anybody spotted the one in the porch?

VE DAY CELEBRATIONS

Everybody in the village responded magnificently to the 75th anniversary celebrations. Most properties were adorned with union jacks and bunting and everybody enjoyed having tea (or whatever) in their front gardens to the accompaniment of nostalgic music/songs. Many of us were treated to scones, strawberry jam and cream delivered by friends in the village. Hank you.

FOOD BANK

A huge thank you to all those who continue to donate food/toiletries which are taken regularly to the Daventry Food Bank. Demand has apparently increased by approx. 50% so whatever you feel able to give is greatly appreciated. Fresh food items are also now being requested.

FACEBOOK

Our Facebook page is increasing in popularity, and is proving a great asset to the village, particularly at this time. Please visit "Newnham Village Community Pages" and join with photos, news, buy-sell etc. There is a vast selection of photos from VE Day, certainly worth a look.

NEWNHAM WI

I am sorry to report that Newnham WI will not be holding its usual monthly Thursday Meeting in the village hall in June. Hopefully it will not be too long now until we can all get together again.

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CHARWELTON

Correspondent - David Pound (davidpound1939@talktalk.net)

JOHN BATCHELOR 90

We would like to offer many congratulations to John Batchelor of Church Farm, Charwelton who celebrated his 90th. Birthday on 16th. May. John was born at Church Farm in 1930 and has lived there ever since, making him without a shadow of doubt Charwelton's longest serving resident. Many Happy Returns John.

CONCERT

As many of you will have guessed already the PCC have decided that we must cancel the concert by the John Cleveland Band scheduled for 4th. July. This splendid event has become a staple of the Charwelton calendar over the last 7 years. We all enjoy the Big Band music so admirably played in our church, not to mention the social occasion of drinks

in the churchyard before the concert and during the interval

We hope that this will be just a temporary hiccup and that we shall be able to reinstate it at some future date, and indeed the band have promised that in that event Charwelton will be top of the list.

VE 75

Friday 8th. May was celebrated in great style in Charwelton. The village was beautifully decorated with most houses decked with flags and bunting. The proceedings started at 11.00am with the playing in Church Street of the Last Post, the 2-minutes Silence, Reveille and the National Anthem - all courtesy of the Band of the Coldstream Guards via David's loudspeaker. That had only been decided the previous evening and it was not at all certain how many would take any notice, but on looking out into the street immediately afterwards it was clear that almost all the residents had come out to mark the occasion. It was a very moving sight.

Celebrations continued into the afternoon with a number of tea parties in various gardens - with social distancing properly observed over hedges and fences, and in some cases across the road!

FOX & HOUNDS

David and Sarah of the Fox & Hounds continue to run their successful, and very welcome, weekly service providing vegetables, milk, cheese, fish and meat to the village and surroundings, together with their excellent takeaway meals on Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. A weekly email giving details of the menus and of what is available in the food boxes is sent to each household whose email is held by the Parish Meeting Clerk. If you are not receiving this please contact the Clerk, Sue Porter at charweltonparish@hotmail.co.uk or landlord@foxandhoundscharwelton.co.uk It is important that we support these efforts by local small businesses.

100 CLUB

The winner of the 100 club draw for May was No. 91, Alison Merrills, and for June No. 76 Ann Codling. Congratulations to both.

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FAWSLEY

Correspondent - Vacant

CLERESTORY WINDOWS

The clerestory windows in the church that had been blown in by storms in the spring have now been repaired. The repair has incorporated as much of the original glass as possible.





PRESTON CAPES

Correspondent - Gerard Hoare

LIVING CHURCHYARD

After some busy months the PCC is keen to push this initiative ahead and to produce the Plan that is required and will detail specifically what we hope to do

In the rear churchyard the long grass 'meadow' area is already in place and producing seed heads and wild life cover which the previous mowing regime never permitted. We even have some nettles!! which the butterflies love! We added a fourth small meadow area last season.

The wildlife water trough has been cleaned and has its escape ramp, quard rail, and overflow.

We also have and commend for children a Starter Guide to Burial Ground Heritage and Wildlife, published by Caring for God's Acre a charity operating from Shropshire. Their website is found at www.caringforgodsacre.org.uk Booklets are free if postage is paid for.

All interest here is welcomed, as will help with the physical tasks in due course. We need a hard core of volunteers to form the forward plan and advance this. Please contact Gerard Hoare.

CHURCHYARD MOWING

The rota has been distributed by email. Thank you to all concerned. If for any reason you cannot do your stint it is not a problem if you kindly advise Gerard Hoare at once

It is unfair if anyone leaves their allocation of mowing uncut, for the next volunteer to struggle with!!

PERFECT PLANT SALE, MONDAY 18TH MAY

Due to C19 the sale was unable to take place, However, by email circulation, good publicity, with email or telephone orders, and socially distanced collection plants and cakes have been in demand. Our customers have been incredibly loyal and supportive. Many plants have gone, but if there are plants you still seek, please do make contact.

With the sales and generous donations the total for church funds will exceed £1000. This was a huge success and shows what can still be achieved in lockdown, but falls way short of last year's result. A big thank you to Claire Hoare, all buyers and donors, and her helpers.

EDUCATIONAL CHARITY APPLICATIONS 2020

Letters will be delivered shortly to all homes with persons under 25 years, inviting applications for the next academic year 2020 - 2021. Applications, which are kept strictly confidential, must be returned please to Beverley Bayne, Hon Sec., Forge Cottage, Old Forge Lane by 15th July. For any further information do ask her or the other Trustees who are, V Brassey, Gerard Hoare, Graham Stanton and Bill Dearns.

VILLAGE HALL

We have had a couple of events in May with a virtual chat night and a quiz. David very kindly put together a shortened version and made the pictures rounds available earlier to give more time for remote teams to confer. It worked very well, and everyone seemed to enjoy it.

At the moment we have no physical events planned for June or July, but we will be holding another virtual Zoom quiz on Saturday 20th as we, hopefully, get nearer the end of the lockdown. If you want to join the next one you will need to let me know, to be sent an invitation specifically for that quiz.

As some of you already know I am helping the govt. with research in Covid 19. They want to know if heat, alcohol or direct sunlight will kill it, so you now know the reason why if you see me lying in the garden, naked and drunk It's all in the name of research.



LOCKDOWN CORNER

ROBIN'S SUDOKUS Solutions on page 12

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[Thanks to Robin Baker]

A POEM FOR VE75 Day

Fields of Green

As summer left without a trace There's nothing left to mark the place Where soldier fell and soldier died Where nature heals and nature hides

Burnt earth and stubbled furrow Hides the former cries of sorrow Green shoots will emerge in spring And field fares like trumpets sing

Until then the mists will form Swirling like that fateful dawn When young men and drummer boys fell To the sounds of deepest hell As the mist begins to clear Sometimes if listening carefully one might hear A distant battle cry of dread and fear While a church bell tolls forever near

Brave men hidden on foreign soil There's nothing left to mark their toil But nature has a way to repay By creating fields of green, where brave men lay [Thanks to Clive Alkins]

A Seenager

I have just discovered my age group! I am a Seenager (senior teenager).

I have everything I wanted as a teenager, only 50 years later. I don't have to go to school or work; I get an allowance every month; I have my own pad; I don't have a curfew; I have a driver's licence and my own car.

I have ID that gets me into Pubs and the off licence-I like that best. The people I hang around with are not scared of getting pregnant, they aren't scared of anything. They have been blessed to live this long, so why be scared? And I don't have acne! Life is good.

Also, you will feel much more intelligent after reading this if you are a Seenager. Brains of older people are slow because they know so much. People do not decline mentally with age; it just takes them longer to recall facts because they have much more information in their brains. Scientists believe also that this makes you hard of hearing because it puts pressure on your inner ear.

Also, older people often go to another room to get something and when they get there they stand there wondering what they came for. It is NOT a memory problem; it's nature's way of making older people do more exercise. SO THERE!

I have more friends I should send this to, but just now I can't remember their names. So please forward this to your friends; they may be my friends too.

[Thanks to David Pomfret.]

From the National Trust

In these uncertain times we know you might feel unsure . . . But flowers still grow, birds still sing and waves still sweep the shore.

And with the rising and setting of the sun. Nature reminds us all that brighter days will come. [Thanks to Jeff Lawrence]



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augmented his set with some from Everdon and had them professionally restored.

When retiring from the shop in 1996, Ruth and Peter moved to Kilsby, where Peter continued ringing at Barby and in the Rugby district. Peter was well ahead with planning a party for his 90th birthday in November, but unfortunately didn't make it. GHP with grateful thanks to Graham White's memory!

DIARY

This diary records the proposed dates of any benefice, parish or village events. We hope that this will help those planning such events to know what else is going on and therefore be able to avoid any unhelpful clashes of dates.

If you know, or become aware, of events which ought to be recorded please let David Pound, or your village Link correspondent, know.

It is likely that public gatherings mentioned here over the next few months will not be taking place, so do not take it for granted that anything listed in the Diary will actually happen. They are however being left here just in case, and as a reference point for when restrictions are lifted

Events known about so far are:

June Nil

- 1 Newnham coffee morning
- 2 Charwelton PCC
- 3 PC Coffee and Chat
- 5 PC Sunday bar
- 10 PC Friday bar
- 11 District bellringers: P.C. Fawsley, Charwelton
- Badby Sings for Fun
- 21 Badby church coffee morning
- 23 BC Meeting
- 25 PC Annual Cook Out
- 28 PC WI
- 29 Preston Capes PCC
- 30 Badby PCC

August

- 5 Newnham coffee morning
- 16 Badby Sings for Fun
- 18 Badby church coffee morning

September

- 2 Newnham coffee morning
- 3 Charwelton PCC
- 6 Hort Soc Annual Show and Badby Favre
- 15 Badby church coffee morning
- 20 Badby Sings for Fun
- 22 PC WI
- 24 Badby PCC
- 26 Newnham Fenny Stompers
- 30 Preston Capes PCC

October

- 3 Preston Capes Adult Magic evening
- 3 Jazz soirée française BVH
- 7 Newnham coffee morning
- 18 Badby Sings for Fun
- 20 Badby church coffee morning
- 22 BC Meeting
- 24 Preston Capes Quiz Night

November

- 4 Newnham coffee morning
- 12 Charwelton PCC
- 13 Hort Soc AGM
- 15 Badby Sings for Fun
- 17 Badby church coffee morning
- 24 PC WI
- 25 Preston Capes PCC
- 26 Badby PCC
- 20 Badby Sings for Fun

A FEW VE75 SNAPSHOTS



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We are all living through some very strange times and thank goodness we are doing so in this amazing village. It was a pleasure to see all the photographs of those celebrating VE Day within the guidelines. There were some excellent plans in place for the whole village enjoy but it wasn't to be - so nice to see all who came out mark this special occasion. The bunting around the village really brightened the mood, so necessary with all that is going on in at the moment

In the true spirit of the community, every Thursday evening the village echoes to the sounds of appreciation for the NHS. We are even lucky enough to have talented musicians out there doing their bit, well done all.

We are grateful to the organisers of the temporary drop off for books/DVDs and goods for the Food Bank at the Church. This initiative has been an overwhelming success. For now, donations for the Food Bank are all that are needed.

The Parish Council are still holding virtual meetings. The Phone Box should be painted within the next month assuming the special paint can be obtained. Grass cutting will be reinstated - thank you to those of you who stepped in to cut grass in the interim. The Village Hall will remain closed until further notice. The replacement notice board for outside Bartons has arrived and is awaiting installation.

Don't forget Maria's Kitchen do excellent take away meals. They are able to supply delicious food from their regular menu plus a range of beverages.

If you have anything you would like discussed at the next meeting (1st June 2020) then please contact The Clerk using the details above.

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