

The Parish of Brize Norton

## St Britius Church

### News Sheet – July- August 2016

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*During July and August I encourage you to ponder the question: Who is Jesus Christ for me today? We are called to be disciples of Jesus. Try to take time to discuss this idea with others*

#### Services:

#### Sunday 3 July – The Sixth Sunday After Trinity and Baptisms

**10.00am** Family Communion. *Readings: Gal. 6 (1-6) 7-16, Luke 10 1-11, 16-20*

**2.30pm-3.30pm** Forest Church at Kilkenny Country Park (by the metal horses)

**Wednesday 6 July - 7:00pm** - Holy Communion



'Mini rafts'

#### Sunday 10 July – The Seventh Sunday After Trinity

**9.15am** Holy Communion. *Readings: Colossians 1. 1-14, Luke 10. 25-37*

**7.30pm** Grace at the Vicarage– We are a missional community. We welcome all people.

**Wednesday 13 July – 7.00pm** Holy Communion

#### Sunday 17 July– The Eighth Sunday After Trinity

**9.15am** Holy Communion. *Readings: Colossians 1. 15-28, Luke 10. 38-end*

**4.00pm** Messy Church at St John's, **7.00pm** Padres' hour at St Johns

**Wednesday 20 July - 7:00pm** Holy Communion (*to be confirmed*)

#### Sunday 24 July – The Ninth Sunday After Trinity

**9.15am** Holy Communion. *Readings: Colossians 2. 6-15(16-19), Luke 11. 1-13*

**Wednesday 27 July – 7.00pm** Holy Communion (*to be confirmed*)

#### Sunday 31 July – Tenth Sunday after Trinity

**9:15am** Holy Communion. *Readings: Colossians 3. 1-11, Luke 12, 13-21*

**Wednesday 3 August – 7.00pm** Holy Communion (*to be confirmed*)

#### Sunday 7 August - Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

**10:00am** Family Communion. *Readings: Hebrews 11. 1-3, 8-16, Luke 12. 32-40*

**Wednesday 10 August – 7.00pm** Holy Communion (*to be confirmed*)

#### Sunday 14 August - Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

**9:15am** Holy Communion. *Readings: Hebrews 11. 29-12. 2, Luke 12. 49-56*

**Wednesday 17 August – 7.00pm** Holy Communion (*to be confirmed*)

#### Sunday 21 August - Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity

**9:15am** Holy Communion. *Readings: Hebrews 12. 18-end, Luke 13, 10-17*

**Wednesday 24 August – 7.00pm** Holy Communion (*to be confirmed*)

#### Sunday 28 August - Sunday after Trinity

**9.15am** Holy Communion. *Readings: Hebrews 12. 1-8, 15-6, Luke 14. 1, 7-14*

**Wednesday 31 August – 7.00pm** Holy Communion (*to be confirmed*)



#### Anniversaries during July and August

June Jessiman, Leslie Bourne, Hilda Richens, Violet Upston, Ron Hancock, Burt Wilkins, Maisie Hunt, Vera Provis, Phyllis Randle, Gwendoline Brown, Molly Peachey, Keith Huggins, Stephen Lovejoy, Phyllis Attwood

Our thoughts are with the family of Mr Frank Hiscock, whose funeral is on 13 July

#### Events in Church: (please note these stop during the summer holidays)

**Pilgrim Lunch:** Monday 4, 11 and 18 July 12.30-1.30. Lunch and Bible Study

**Buggy Club/Coffee club:** Tuesday 5, 12, 19 July only, 9.30am – 11.00am

**Rounders:** During the summer holidays we are joining St John's for Rounders on the Rec each Wednesday from 20 July, 4pm-6pm in Carterton. Bring a friend and a picnic. Gather at the bandstand (apart from 27 July, at the Adventure Park on Shilton Park)

**Queen's birthday bash:** Thank you to everyone who helped at this event last month. We raised £237.95 for church funds and it was a very enjoyable day.

**Garden's Open:** Thank you to those who "manned" the church. We had 130 adults come round the gardens and received a share of the proceeds of the day.

**Gift Aid records:** Carolyn would like to update the Gift Aid records that she holds. If you are able to make gift aid donations, please could you complete and send back forms that were sent to all on the electoral role in April/May. If your circumstances have changed and you are no longer able to sign the declaration please could you also let Carolyn know as tax may be reclaimed under the 'small gifts scheme' but it needs to be identified separately on the tax return form. Please contact Carolyn if you require a Gift Aid declaration form or collect one from church.'

**Brize Norton Primary School leavers** You may like to know that the PCC funds a scripture union book 'It's your move' for each Year 6 child as they move on to Senior School. Their Leavers' service is on 19 July.

**Brize Norton Horticultural Show:** The 43rd Brize Norton Horticultural takes place on **Sunday August 28th 2016** at the Elderbank Hall, open to all Brize Norton residents, Brize Norton allotment holders, children and parents of Brize Norton Primary School, more information to be published shortly.

**Ride and Stride: Saturday 10 September.** We would like volunteers to welcome visitors to the church. Bishop Colin is cycling with Basil Eastwood, Chairman of Oxfordshire Historic Churches Trust. He is planning to call in to St Britius in the afternoon, so it is important to welcome him. Please sign the sheet if you can help. He would also be very pleased if anyone would like to join him on his ride, which starts at Standlake at 10.00am. Please see Jacque for more information.

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