

Church Family News

Baptisms

We are pleased to report that we had two baptisms in St. Giles since lockdown. We are pleased to welcome into our Church fellowship: Odette Georgia Gillespie-Walker, baptised on 25th July Benjamin Adrian Jon Pugh, baptised on 5th September.

In Remembrance:

Emma Watters, whose Memorial Service took place on 24th July

CHURCH FLOWERS

We have seen some beautiful floral displays in Church recently, admired by worshippers and visitors alike. A big thank you to all the flower arrangers who have shared their amazing talent in producing colourful displays.

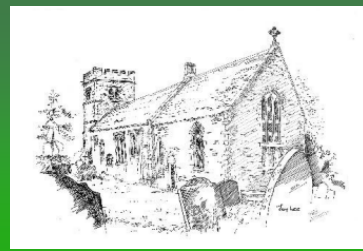
We also give thanks to our cleaning team who help to keep our church looking beautiful.



Vicar's BBQ – Saturday 25th September



For those Great Coxwell villagers who haven't met Maureen yet (and those who have) do come along to the BBQ in the Vicarage Garden at 5.00pm. To help with catering arrangements, please book a place through Pat Cook (Warden). No Charge.



Saint Giles Church Great Coxwell

Newsletter for the parish of Buscot
part of the Badbury Benifice

Autumn 2021

Letter from the Vicarage

This newsletter has been produced as a means of keeping in touch with our church members and parishioners. We have included a diary of church services and events that all are welcome to attend. The last few months under Covid restrictions have not been easy for any of us, especially when churches were closed, and we lost touch with one another. Since Easter, the churches in our Benefice have re-opened and we follow Covid regulations to keep our churches as safe as possible. Presently, we are allowed to sing hymns and we take Holy Communion in one kind (wafer). We hope to return to receiving at the altar soon when safe to do so. Some church members are not ready to return to church yet, and we respect their decision. If helpful, we can talk on the telephone or arrange a home visit. Do get in touch with Maureen (Vicar) or John and Jonny (wardens) to arrange this.

Meet the Vicar

The Revd Maureen Turner was finally instituted as Vicar on 1st August by Revd David Tyler, the Associate Archdeacon. The service was followed by refreshments in the vicarage garden.



Getting in Touch

If you need help, or would appreciate a chat, or want further information regarding services, or would like to book a baptism, wedding, or funeral, do contact any of the following people:

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Benefice Calendar of Special Services & Events

Sunday September 26th



9am Morning Prayer - Great Coxwell
10.30 pm Holy Communion & Harvest Festival Service at Coleshill Church

Sunday October 3rd

10.30 am Holy Communion & Harvest Festival - Eaton Hastings
5pm Harvest Festival at Buscot. We celebrate living amidst a farming community. At this special service we give thanks that the harvest is completed, and the planting of new crops begins. Do join us for this special service.

Sunday October 10th



9am Morning Prayer - Coleshill
10.30 am Holy Communion - Great Coxwell

Sunday October 17th

9am Morning Prayer - Eaton Hastings
10.30 am Holy Communion - Buscot, followed by coffee & Cake, if you haven't met Maureen please come along and say hello.

Sunday 24th October



9am Morning Prayer - Great Coxwell
10.30am Holy Communion - Coleshill

Sunday 31st October

A family Communion service celebrating the dedication of All Saints Church Coleshill

Sunday November 7th

9am Morning Prayer - Buscot
10.30am Holy communion - Eaton Hastings

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY SERVICES:

Sunday November 14th



9.00 am at the Eaton Hastings War Memorial, by Roadside Cottages

9.40 am at Buscot Church (with Holy Communion)

10.50 am at Coleshill, starting on the village green beside the church

12 noon at the Great Coxwell War Memorial, by the Reading Room



Sunday November 21st

9am Morning Prayer - Eaton Hastings
10.30am Holy Communion - Buscot

Sunday November 28th

9am Morning Prayer - Great Coxwell
10.30 am Holy Communion - Coleshill Church

Sunday December 5th

9am Morning Prayer Buscot
10.30 am Holy Communion - Eaton Hastings

Sunday December 12th

9am Morning Prayer - Coleshill
10.30 am Holy Communion - Great Coxwell Church



CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICES

Saturday December 11th 5.00 pm at Coleshill Church

Sunday December 19th 5.00 pm at Buscot Church, come and hear the Christmas story, sing carols and enjoy a mince pie with mulled wine.

Saturday December 24th: Christmas Eve 5pm Great Coxwell



CHRISTMAS COMMUNION

Sunday December 25th: Christmas Day:

9.00 am Christmas Day Communion at Coleshill Church
10.30 am Christmas Day Communion at Eaton Hastings Church

Autumn Bible Study Course

11 am at the Vicarage OR 7.00pm via Zoom
 Beginning Wednesday 22nd September
 The theme for this three-week course is "Faith, Hope and Charity – or is it Love?"



Intercessions Workshop

Saturday 16th October

10.30 – 12.30 at the Vicarage
 If you are interested in learning how to lead intercessions at church services, then come along to the workshop. Coffee from 10 am

To book your place for the Study or Workshop contact Revd Maureen or Jan Hall janishall148@btinternet.com

Remembering our loved ones

Benefice Service Saturday 6th November 3.00 pm
 St Giles, Great Coxwell At this service we will remember those who have died and light a candle for them.