

"where the river flows everything will live"

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

SUNDAY 1 JUNE 2025 SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

St Mary & St Peter Tidenham 9.00am Holy Communion

St Luke Tutshill 11.00am Family Worship

St Michael & All Angels Chase 6.00pm Evensong

St Mary the Virgin St Briavels 8.30am BCP Holy Communion 9.30am Family Communion

St Mary Magdalene Hewelsfield 11.00am Morning Worship

Bible Readings: Acts 16: 16-34; John 17: 20-26

Collect: O God the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: we beseech you, leave us not comfortless, but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion: Eternal God, giver of love and power, your Son Jesus Christ has sent us into all the world to preach the gospel of his kingdom: confirm us in this mission, and help us to live the good news we proclaim; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

MID-WEEK GATHERINGS IN OUR PARISH

MONDAYS – not Bank Holidays

- 9.30am Morning Prayer, St Mary & St Peter Tidenham
- 9.15am Children & Families Morning Prayer. Contact juliaparsons727@gmail.com

TUESDAYS

- 9.00am Morning Prayer, St Mary's Priory Chepstow
- 5.00pm Evening Prayer, St Michael & All Angels Chase

WEDNESDAY

- 9.15am Contemplative Prayer, St Luke Tutshill
- 12.00am Healing Holy Communion, St Luke Tutshill

THURSDAY

- 9.00am Morning Prayer, St Mary the Virgin, St Briavels
- 5.00pm Evening Prayer, Sedbury Space

See www.tidenhamparishchurch.co.uk or www.youtube.com/channel/UCkRjOlvDBT9M9usfhp2722w

LIFE GROUP WEEKLY MEETINGS



Come and join a Life Group, open to all, running throughout the week; we talk about life and faith or topics relevant to what's happening around us.

Monday - not Bank Holidays

2.00-3.30pm Bible Study at Sedbury Space - Revd Nicki nicki1002@hotmail.co.uk

Tuesday

1.00pm with Julia Parsons juliaparsons727@gmail.com

Wednesday

- 10.30-11.45am Food for Thought Life Group at Café on the Hill
- 7.30pm with Fiona and Wendy at home: Fiona 01291 624868 or fiona.m.gardiner@btinternet.com
- 7.45-9.00pm fortnightly @ John & Esther Woolcock's. Contact Esther on essywoolcock@googlemail.com

Thursday

1.30pm at Tanya's – tanya.rockymead@gmail.com for information

Youth

If you want to know more about faith, enjoy fun and food, come to our weekly Youth Group with regular events specifically for your age group. Contact Emma 07369 226546 or emmad.cyfm@gmail.com

PARISH NEWS & INFORMATION

SAVE THE DATE



Parish Church Picnic at St Luke Tutshill on Sunday 6 July 12.30-3.00pm More info' soon!



SATURDAY JUNE 14th 7.30pm

Charity no. 1159658

"WELCOME TO SUMMER" - a GALA CONCERT



St MARY & St PETER CHURCH, TIDENHAM



AN EVENING OF WONDERFUL MUSIC WITH YOUNG PROFESSIONAL SOLOISTS



MAISIE O'SHEA (Soprano)

MOLLY BEERE (Alto)

LAURIE STANDISH HAYES (Tenor)

LUCAS MAUNDER (Bass)

ELIZABETH BONSELL (Accompanist)



Tickets £15, including refreshments

All proceeds to the Friends of Tidenham Church
Please contact Marje & Brian for further information
Tel. 01291 623310, bduerden@doctors.org.uk or
secretary.friends@icloud.com

Friends of Tidenham Church OWER & FESTIVAL ALL THINGS BRIGHT & BEAUTIFU St Mary & St Peter's Church Tidenham NP16 7JQ Fri 20th June 2pm-5pm Sat 21st June 2pm-5pm Sun 22nd June 10.30-4pm Mon 23rd June 10.30-4pm **CHEESE & WINE** Sat 21st June 7pm-8.30pm TICKETS: Pre-booked £8 On the door £10 Contact: secretary.friends@icloud.com Mobile: 07876 346006

St Mary & St Peter Tidenham – now open regularly on Sundays and Mondays 9am-5pm.

BRANCH YOUTH WORSHIP BBQ EVENT:

Saturday 7th June 7.00pm at The Community Church, Cinderford GL14 2LY – branchyouthworshipevent@gmail.com

Flowers at St Michael & All Angels, Tidenham Chase Church

Please contact Susanna Jacks if you would like to remember someone special with flowers or prayers: susanna.jacks@btinternet.com or 07411 188627.

A PRAYER DURING THE VACANCIES

Heavenly Father, during this vacancy, guard and grow the Parishes of Tidenham, St Briavels and Hewelsfield, as we serve you together in this period without a Priest in Charge.

Lord Jesus, we know you have plans for us and that these plans are good. We ask you now that You will help us to share responsibility, grow in faith, love one another, care for those in need, reach out to others, and welcome newcomers.

Lord, we thank you for all the Children, Youth & Families in this parish. Please lead the right person to us, to lead us forward in this ministry.

Holy Spirit, please guide those who are seeking the right person for us, and those who are seeking the right place for their ministry, that together we may discover Your way for the future and see Your Kingdom grow. All this we ask in the strength of the Holy Trinity. Amen.

Tidenham Parish Quiet Day

Saturday 14 June at Ty Mawr Convent. Please register your place with either Leonie Jones 07742977214 or Cate Phillips 07596 185918.

OUR LITTLE LARDER @ ST LUKE TUTSHILL – If stocks are low, don't worry please – contact Revd Nicki on 07936 787409. **Chepstow Foodbank** is desperate for supplies, particularly tinned veg, tinned spaghetti hoops and tomatoes, pasta and rice, pasta sauces, rice pudding, custard, jam, biscuits and toothpaste. Contact www.chepstow.foodbank.org.uk

PARISH COFFEE MORNING FOR YOUR WELLBEING AND JUST GOOD FUN – LAST MONDAY OF THE MONTH but not Bank Holidays 10.00-12.00am at St Luke Tutshill: Polly Morgan – 07724 738848 pollyanne60@icloud.com

PARISH LUNCH – usually first Thursday of the month 12.15-1.30pm at Woodcroft Christian Centre, but please check with George and Beryl for the next one: georgechealey@gmail.com or 01291 625551.

Regular Bell Ringing is back at St Mary & St Peter, Tidenham – Sunday ringing from 8.30am. Weekly practice Tuesday evenings 7.30-9.00pm. All ages and abilities welcome - contact Cate 07596 185918. **OUR PARISH BABY & TODDLER GROUPS**

TUTSHILL BABY & TODDLER GROUP – Tuesdays 9.15-10.45am at St Luke, Tutshill. **Term time only with Breakfast Club in half term and holidays.** Emma 07369 2265406 or

https://www.facebook.com/groups/1130508917404741

SEDBURY STAY & PLAY - our Parish runs a wonderful group for pre-school families – Wednesdays 9.15-10.45am at Sedbury Village Hall. **Term time only.** We do need extra help from time to time please. Contact Emma 07369 226546 or https://www.facebook.com/SedStayandPlay

FOREST WIDE YOUTH GROUPS:

To Be Connected (TBC) for Christian Young Adults (18-30yr olds), 7.00-8.30pm first Wednesday each month at Ruardean Hill Baptist Church GL17 9AZ and on Zoom. Contact jonathan@togetherforyouth.co.uk **BREATHE** - Breathe Youth is a Christian Charity based in the Forest of Dean. Tel: 07738 422831 Email: julius@breatheyouth.org.uk http://www.breatheyouth.org.uk/

Pilates for Wellbeing – Tuesdays 2.00-2.45pm, St Luke, Tutshill; gentle physical activity to support spiritual health. Contact Loreto on 07883 401475 / <u>loreespinosaa@icloud.com</u>

What's On at Sedbury Space - https://www.sedburyspace.org.uk

Bible Study – Mondays 2.00-3.00pm (not Bank Holidays)

One Stop Café - Tuesdays 10.00-12.00am - come for a cuppa and a chat at Sedbury & Beachley Village Hall Memory Café - First Wednesday of each month 2.00-3.30pm Chaplaincy Chatroom - Thursdays 1.30-5.00pm

Tidenham Parish Church is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, young people and vulnerable adults. All post holders and volunteers are expected to share this commitment. All appointments are subject to acceptable pre-appointment checks, including a satisfactory DBS Check where applicable.

PLEASE GIVE – WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Parish Bank Account - Tidenham Parochial Church. Sort Code 30-91-89. Account Number 00304754. Please give by Standing Order instead of Cash — see Churchwardens or the Parish website. Giving by Cheque - Please make payable to Tidenham Parochial Church.

TIDENHAM PARISH ONLINE LINKS & CONTACTS

Parish Website: www.tidenhamparishchurch.co.uk

St Briavels & Hewelsfield website: www.stbandhchurches.org.uk

Facebook Group: https://www.facebook.com/groups/114300818701466/

'The News' from the Diocese of Gloucester - https://www.gloucester.anglican.org/news-events/

Revd Nicki Bullivant, Associate Priest & Wellbeing Chaplain - 07936 787409 - nicki1002@hotmail.co.uk

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