



*"where the river flows everything will live"*

## SERVICES FOR SUNDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> OCTOBER

### Twentieth Sunday after Trinity

**St Mary & St Peter's, Tidenham**

9.00am Holy Communion

**St Luke's, Tutshill**

11.00am Holy Communion

SPLASH Children's Provision every 11.00am Sunday service except the first Sunday

**St Michael & All Angels, Tidenham Chase**

6.00pm Evensong

**St Mary the Virgin, St Briavels**

9.30am Family Communion

**St Mary Magdalene, Hewelsfield**

11.00am Family Communion

**Bible Readings: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10 & Matthew 22:15-22**

***Collect:* God, our light and our salvation: illuminate our lives, that we may see your goodness in the land of the living, and looking on your beauty may be changed into the likeness of Jesus Christ our Lord.**

***Post Communion:* God our Father, whose Son, the light unfailing, has come from heaven to deliver the world from the darkness of ignorance: let these holy mysteries open the eyes of our understanding that we may know the way of life, and walk in it without stumbling; through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

**PLEASE DON'T DUNK!** Communion by intinction (dipping the Host in the chalice) is not allowed.

## MID WEEK SERVICES IN OUR PARISH

### MONDAYS

9.30am Morning Prayer, St Mary & St Peter's, Tidenham

9.15am Children & Families Morning Prayer – fortnightly – see website calendar, venue varies. Contact [juliaparsons727@gmail.com](mailto:juliaparsons727@gmail.com)

### TUESDAYS

9.00am Morning Prayer, St Mary's Priory, Chepstow (Churches Together)

### WEDNESDAYS

9.00am Contemplative Prayer, St Luke's, Tutshill

10.00am Holy Communion, St Mary the Virgin, St Briavels – 8<sup>th</sup> November

12.00am Healing Communion, St Luke's, Tutshill – not this week 25<sup>th</sup> October, as there is a funeral.

### THURSDAYS

9.00am Morning Prayer, St Mary the Virgin, St Briavels

5.00pm Evening Prayer, Sedbury Space

See [www.tidenhamparishchurch.co.uk](http://www.tidenhamparishchurch.co.uk) or [www.youtube.com/channel/UCkRjOlVDBT9M9usfhp2722w](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCkRjOlVDBT9M9usfhp2722w)

### YOUTH GROUP – CONTACT EMMA



### LIFE GROUP MEETINGS WEEKLY

We have a number of Life Groups open to all, running throughout the week; we talk about life and faith or specific topics relevant to what's happening around us. Please contact leaders to find out more.

#### Monday

2.00-3.30pm Bible Study at Sedbury Space - Revd Nicki [nicki1002@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:nicki1002@hotmail.co.uk)

#### Tuesday

1.00pm with Julia Parsons [juliaparsons727@gmail.com](mailto:juliaparsons727@gmail.com)

#### Wednesday

10.15-11.45am Food for Thought Life Group at Café on the Hill

7.30pm with Wendy or Fiona at home: [wendy.moppett@btinternet.com](mailto:wendy.moppett@btinternet.com) or [fiona.m.gardiner@btinternet.com](mailto:fiona.m.gardiner@btinternet.com)

7.45-9.00pm fortnightly @ John & Esther Woolcock's. Contact Esther on [essywoolcock@googlemail.com](mailto:essywoolcock@googlemail.com)

#### Thursday

The group resumes this week and we'd love to you to join us. Contact Non [nonvandenbraak@gmail.com](mailto:nonvandenbraak@gmail.com)  
1.30pm at Non's (which is next door to Tanya's), looking at Abraham Hearing God's call.

## PARISH NEWS & INFORMATION

**THE CHOSEN CONTINUES!** Please come and join us the Vicarage for more episodes and discussions around The Chosen – Mondays 7.30pm 23<sup>rd</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> October.

**The Parish Coffee Morning - last Monday of the month 10.00-12.00am at St Luke's Tutshill. Many thanks to Polly for organising this and making it so much fun!**

**All Souls Service 4.00pm 5<sup>th</sup> November at St Michael & all Angels' Tidenham Chase** - if you would like the name of a faithfully departed to be read out during the All Souls Service, please add their name to the list at the back of all three churches by 29<sup>th</sup> October. Alternatively, please send the name to Annabelle at [tidenhamadmin@btinternet.com](mailto:tidenhamadmin@btinternet.com).

## SpudFest in Chepstow

If you are not busy on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> October, why not come along to SpudFest – an exciting and fun event on the Riverbank and in the Drill Hall in Chepstow to celebrate the 'Baked Potato' sculpture! Events from 11.00am-5.00pm for all the family. More details via Google or the Town Council website. Or ask Tudor...



You may have heard St Luke's mentioned on Radio 3! We are hosting Filkin's Drift, an 870 mile walk along the Wales coastal path by a talented fiddle and guitar duo. Tickets £10 each from <https://ticketpass.org/event/EUURPZ/filkins-drift-live-at-st-lukes-tutshill-last-night-of-tour> TUESDAY 31<sup>st</sup> OCTOBER, doors 7.00pm, 7.30pm start, refreshments available and funds for church.

**Cantanti Concert** - thank you to Cantanti for holding their concert at St Luke's last Sunday, to raise funds for Tidenham Parish. A very enjoyable hour of a wide variety of music and readings with refreshments was enjoyed by all. Hopefully, they'll return next year.

**A Church Near You** – We have updated our presence on this CofE website: let us know what you think! It's great if you're new to the area or if you are part of our community and are travelling about the country.



**Our Little Larder at St Luke's Tutshill – supporting our community in these difficult times.**

**Parish Lunch – 12.15pm first Thursday of the month at Woodcroft Centre. Contact George and Beryl for more info 01291 625551. And 'thank you' to George and Beryl for all their hard work – everyone loves this event!**

**Bell Ringing –** Weekly practice at St Mary & St Peter's, Tidenham, 7.30–9.00pm on Tuesdays. Contact Cate Phillips (01291 624260) for more information, or just turn up and give it a go!

### **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](mailto:jonathan@togetherforyouth.co.uk)  
**BREATHE** - Breathe Youth is a Christian Charity based in the Forest of Dean, with lots going on over the summer. Tel: 07738 422831 Email: [rjulius@breatheyouth.org.uk](mailto:rjulius@breatheyouth.org.uk) <http://www.breatheyouth.org.uk/> We are having a joint Youth weekend away at Viney Hill 17-19<sup>th</sup> November.

**SPLASH** – We plan on using Tutshill CofE Primary School Hall on a Sunday morning for SPLASH (Children's Church) but cannot do this without volunteers! Can you spare ONE Sunday in SIX to be a 'present' adult?

**TUTSHILL BABY & TODDLER GROUP** – Tuesdays 9.15-10.45am at St Luke's, Tutshill. **Term time only.** Emma 07369 226546 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 a cheerful bod' to make teas and coffees once a month** – Contact Emma 07369 226546 or <https://www.facebook.com/SedStayandPlay>

**Pilates** – Tuesdays 2.00-2.45pm, St Luke's Church, Tutshill; part of our Wellbeing initiative with gentle physical activity to support spiritual health. Contact Loreto on 07883 401475 / [lorespinosaa@icloud.com](mailto:lorespinosaa@icloud.com) .

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

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 1.30-3.30pm

**REGULAR GIVING** – please give regularly if you can - it really helps. Thank you if you do already.

**Parish Bank Account - Tidenham Parochial Church. Sort Code 30-91-89. Account Number 00304754.**

Standing Order and Gift Aid Forms are also available at each Church or to download from the Website (<https://www.tidenhamparishchurch.co.uk/giving>) St Luke's also has a card reader.

Any queries, please contact the Parish Treasurer - Paul Coombs – [814yug@gmail.com](mailto:814yug@gmail.com) - 07831 469951

### **TIDENHAM PARISH ONLINE LINKS & CONTACTS**

Parish Website: [www.tidenhamparishchurch.co.uk](http://www.tidenhamparishchurch.co.uk)

St Briavels & Hewelsfield website: [www.stbandhchurches.org.uk](http://www.stbandhchurches.org.uk)

Facebook Group: all welcome to join this private group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/114300818701466/>

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

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