



*"where the river flows everything will live"*

## SERVICES THIS SUNDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

### Ninth Sunday after Trinity

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

9.00am Holy Communion

**St Luke's, Tutshill**

11.00am Morning Worship with Splash children's provision

**St Michael & All Angels, Tidenham 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 Family Communion

**Bible Readings: Romans 9:1-5 & Matthew 14:13-21**

**Collect: Gracious Father, revive your Church in our day, and make her holy, strong and faithful, for your glory's sake in Jesus Christ our Lord.**

**Post Communion: Holy Father, who gathered us here around the table of your Son to share this meal with the whole household of God: in that new world where you reveal the fullness of your peace, gather people of every race and language to share in the eternal banquet of Jesus Christ our Lord.**

**PLEASE DON'T DUNK AT HOLY COMMUNION** - Following the recommendation of the Bishops of England, Communion by intinction (dipping the Host in the chalice) is not allowed. Also, please remember to consume the Host in the presence and sight of the minister distributing the Host.

## 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 – **paused for summer break**

10.00am Holy Communion, St Mary the Virgin, St Briavels – **next one 9<sup>th</sup> August**

12.00am Healing Communion, St Luke's, Tutshill – **paused for summer break**

### 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:** Please contact leaders for information and dates after the summer.

#### Sunday

7.30pm Life Group for Men! Paused for now - [jamesdparsons727@gmail.com](mailto:jamesdparsons727@gmail.com)

#### 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 – **paused for summer break**

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) – **paused for summer break**

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

#### Thursday

1.30pm with Tanya White at Rockymead - [tanya.rockymead@gmail.com](mailto:tanya.rockymead@gmail.com) - **paused for summer break**

## PARISH NEWS & INFORMATION

### *The First Mobile Phone ....*

Was invented by God!  
He called it Prayer.  
It never loses signal,  
and you never have to recharge it,  
and you can use it anywhere, anytime.

**Parish Quiet Day** - Many thanks to the wonderful sisters at Ty Mawr Convent for hosting our Retreat and Quiet day. Look out for next year's dates in Lent, so if you missed out this year, please join us in 2024.

## Lancaut Pilgrimage Returns this Autumn

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> September 2023 will see the return of the pilgrimage to Lancaut for an act of worship at 3.00pm in the old ruin of St James' Church.

Some people will walk from home or from local churches and have a picnic lunch beforehand. There is designated parking in Lancaut from where you can walk down to the stunning banks of the River Wye. For those with limited mobility, Carol Clammer is looking to organise 4x4 transport to the site. Please make your own way there in time for the outside Holy Communion service.

This event is open to all, including St Briavels and Hewelsfield. Well behaved doggies also welcome!

**An invitation from Tom & Emma Clammer** - Tom and Emma celebrate their 20th wedding anniversary this September and are marking the occasion with a special service in their parish church in Salisbury. Friends from our parishes here are welcome to join them, if they fancy a trip 'down south' for a Votive Mass of the Holy Spirit at St Thomas' Church, Salisbury, 2.30pm on Saturday 23rd September followed by drinks and cake.

All are welcome to simply turn up for the service, but if you would like more details, please contact Tom directly.

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

**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 Website (<https://www.tidenhamparishchurch.co.uk/giving>) St Luke's also has a card reader available.

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

**St Luke's Fantasy Football League** - Come on and enjoy a season with St Luke's Friends playing Fantasy Football. All you need to join is to follow this link:

<https://fantasy.premierleague.com/leagues/auto-join/ehu07d>

Please contact [tudor.griffiths1@gmail.com](mailto:tudor.griffiths1@gmail.com) – who is also happy with theological questions!



**Our Little Larder:** Our little larder is up and running in the porch of St Luke's to help with the cost-of-living crisis; people who need this support can then help themselves discreetly to what they really need.

**Parish Lunch – 12.15pm first Thursday of the month at Woodcroft Centre. Contact George and Beryl for more info 01291 625551. The Parish Coffee Morning will be back in September.**

**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!

**To Be Connected (TBC)** is a Forest wide Christian Young Adults group (18-30yr olds). First Wednesday of the month, 7.00-8.30pm at Ruardean Hill Baptist Church, Ruardean GL17 9AZ and on Zoom. For more info, please contact [jonathan@togetherforyouth.co.uk](mailto:jonathan@togetherforyouth.co.uk)

**Tutshill Baby & Toddler Group** – Tuesday 10.00-11.30am at St Luke's, Tutshill, 15<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> August.  
**Otherwise term time only.** Emma 07369 226546 or  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1130508917404741>

**Sedbury Stay & Play for pre-school families** – Wednesday 10.00-11.30am at Sedbury Village Hall, 16<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> August. **Otherwise term time only.** 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 / [loreespinosaa@icloud.com](mailto:loreespinosaa@icloud.com) .

**BREATHE** - Breathe Youth is a Christian Charity based in the Forest of Dean, with lots going on over the summer for the Youth. Tel: 07738 422831 Email: [rjulius@breatheyouth.org.uk](mailto:rjulius@breatheyouth.org.uk)  
<http://www.breatheyouth.org.uk/>

**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

**Financial Support** – are you able to give a financial gift to God's church here in this Parish or can you increase your regular giving. Thank you to all those who do. Parish Bank Account - Tidenham Parochial Church Sort Code 30-91-89 Account Number 00304754. Standing Order & Gift Aid Forms available to download from Website and there is a card reader in church.

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#### **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/>

Revd David Treharne, Vicar - 01291 760034 - dtrevd@aol.com

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