



Parish Magazine of  
St Bartholomew, Hyde  
and St Lawrence  
with St Swithun-upon-Kingsgate,  
Winchester

**JUNE 2023**



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**The Three Saints Benefice of St Bartholomew and  
St Lawrence with St Swithun-upon-Kingsgate, Winchester**

***Welcome***

As the Church of England for Hyde, Abbotts Barton and Winchester city centre, our three historic churches together form two inclusive parishes and one friendly benefice family, where you will be sure of a warm welcome.

For all our news and lots of information, from the spiritual to the social, please make sure you are on the mailing list for our weekly newsletter (by email), or see our website [www.threesaints.org.uk](http://www.threesaints.org.uk)

Prayer requests can be sent to the Parish Office, and please let us know of anyone in our parishes who needs our practical help.

May you be blessed by the beauty and warmth of the summer months.

*Revd. Karen*

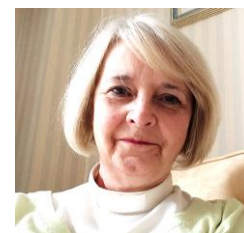
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Dear Friends,

We drove cross-country a few days ago, to visit the family, and I was amazed to see such an abundance of white blossom. The edges of the road were fringed with cow parsley, the hedges full of great swathes of white flowers which I took to be blackthorn. The horse chestnuts were also in full bloom with their mainly white candelabras, and all else seemed to be that lovely fresh green that only a sunny spring morning can produce.



*Cow parsley by the bus stop!*

After much discussion and some Googling, I now know that some of the hedges will have been hawthorn (which I thought was usually pink), and now I also know that blackthorn flowers before the leaves have unfurled, and hawthorn after. 'Every day a school day' and never too old to learn!

In spite of all the beauty we are at last seeing, after what felt like a very long, cold and wet winter, signs of the change that comes with global warming are around us all, but affecting others so much more than us, at present.

Aid agencies do a fantastic job picking up the pieces, and our giving to them is important, but we also need to take responsibility for how our own lives and lifestyles impact the environment. As I am no longer able to drive, I can sit smugly on the bus knowing that I have not personally caused too much damage on this or that particular journey, by sharing it with the others who for various reasons are travelling on public transport, too. The truth remains that public transport would not have got us to our granddaughters' Christenings last weekend - no buses run out of our village on a Sunday and no buses or trains would have ferried us about between the Cotswold villages for the special occasion, either.

What to do?

We do what we can. We can use our votes for change - to lead to more environmentally friendly initiatives and solutions to the problems that face us; we can be more rigorous about our recycling; we can choose less plastic in our shopping for food and go for refills more often. We are in the hands of those who supply our needs but it is also our voice that creates a market for better and more sustainable ways of living.

As spring turns into summer, enjoy the beauty and wonder of it all. Notice all the small things that make our lives amazing. Give thanks to God for all we have and pray for better ways to live and preserve the natural world, in all its glory.

With blessings to you all this month,

*Amanda*

## Our Services

We welcome you to the weekly services in each of our three churches.

Please do not attend if you have any symptoms of Covid-19 or have recently been in close contact with someone who has; you can join the services on Zoom instead.

There will not be an offertory collection during the service but donations for each church are greatly appreciated and can be left in the plate on your way in, or made online to either parish via our website. Thank you.

**Access:** We are unable to provide disabled access to the church of St Swithun, but there is level access to St Bartholomew (from Hyde Church Path) and to St Lawrence.

### Online services from St Lawrence and St Swithun's

Our services at St Lawrence and St Swithun's are routinely 'live-streamed'. You can join us on Zoom using meeting number 828 4610 0818 and passcode 3Saints20. We are pleased to welcome you online.

We currently live-stream very simply using a mobile phone. Please bear with us if there are any temporary problems with our online broadcast and forgive us if there are any significant technical issues. We strive to ensure that all of our online events are held safely and without technical hitches but it is impossible to eliminate these completely and so we apologise in advance should there be any disruptions.

### Regular Services

Our general pattern of worship continues as below, with changes for special occasions, especially in the Easter period.

<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b><i>St Bartholomew</i></b>	<b><i>St Lawrence</i></b>	<b><i>St Swithun</i></b>
1 <sup>st</sup>	10am <i>All Together</i> service	10am Holy Communion	6pm Evensong (BCP)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	10am Holy Communion	10am Morning Worship	6pm Holy Communion
3 <sup>rd</sup>	10am Morning Worship	10am Holy Communion	6pm Evensong (BCP)
4 <sup>th</sup>	10am Holy Communion	10am Morning Worship	6pm Evensong (BCP)
5 <sup>th</sup>	10am Benefice Communion alternately at St Bartholomew & St Lawrence		6pm Evening Prayer (Common Worship)

<p><b>Midweek Holy Communion</b>            1<sup>st</sup> Wednesdays, 10.30am at St Lawrence            3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays, 11.30am at St Bartholomew</p>
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### Changes to services in July and August

Some services in July and August will diverge from the regular pattern:

On 16<sup>th</sup> July at St Swithun's Church there will be Holy Communion at 6pm for the church's patronal festival, but on 9<sup>th</sup> July the service will be Evensong, not Holy Communion.

On 13<sup>th</sup> August at St Lawrence Church there will be Holy Communion at 10am for the church's patronal festival. Bishop David will preside and preach. At St Swithun's there will be Evensong instead of the usual second-Sunday Holy Communion, so there will be no Holy Communion at St Swithun's in August. Bishop David is to visit St Swithun's for Holy Communion on 10<sup>th</sup> December.



## Church Family News

### Wedding

Joel Found and Chloë McKenzie were married at St Lawrence Church on 5<sup>th</sup> May.

### Deaths

Dr Graham Guest died on 10<sup>th</sup> April, aged 88. A celebration of his life was held at St Lawrence Church on 10<sup>th</sup> May.

Daphne Clark died on 11<sup>th</sup> May. Funeral arrangements to be confirmed.

A memorial service for Dorothy Howells, who died on 6<sup>th</sup> September 2022, will be held at St Lawrence Church on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> June at 11am.

## For your Prayers

Please pray for the sick and housebound and all who care for them; and for the departed and all who mourn.

Please pray for the Messy Church families, for the Messy Church team and for more volunteers to join them; also for the families and volunteers of the *Little Wrigglers* toddler group.

Please pray for our curate Revd Ellie, now working in a benefice in Southampton as part of her training.

**Care Homes:** The closing of Brendoncare Park Road, and move to Quarry Road on St Giles Hill, has been postponed again. Revd Karen and Meriel continue to take monthly communion services for the residents of both Abbots Barton Nursing Home and Brendoncare.

## Benefice News

**The Julian Group** meets on Zoom every Tuesday at 2.30pm for half an hour, reflecting on the same reading, and helping us to keep in touch this way. If you would like to know the reflection please contact Sue Tisdall on 851621.

**The Benefice Prayer Group** now meets on the third Monday of each month rather than the fourth, so **19<sup>th</sup> June**. New members warmly welcome. If interested please contact Sue Tisdall 851621 for more information.

**The West View & Neighbours Prayer Group** prays for the residents of West View and Alleyne House, and for their neighbours, on the **4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday in the month (28<sup>th</sup> June)**. If anyone would like to know the prayer topics, please contact Alys: alys\_blakeway@yahoo.co.uk or 868581.

**Men's Breakfast:** We will meet on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> July from 8.30am till 10.00am at 83 Christchurch Road, SO23 9QY. Do come and bring a friend. Sign up at 07785 725234 or email [nells5@hotmail.com](mailto:nells5@hotmail.com). For more information please see page 8.

**Messy Church:** In 2023 we no longer meet monthly, but we plan to hold a bumper Messy Church about four times a year, e.g. Good Friday, our wonderful Summer picnic (**on 15<sup>th</sup> July**), Harvest and Christmas. Thank you to all who will kindly help with those, and more helpers will be very welcome. Please get in touch with Revd Karen if you would like to be part of the fun.

**Little Wrigglers and St Bartholomew's Midweek Communion:** Little Wrigglers takes place every Wednesday in term time (see p9), and the monthly midweek Communion service on third Wednesdays starts at 11.30am following the Coffee Morning.

**St Lawrence Midweek BCP Communion:** This service takes place once a month, at 10.30am on the first Wednesday of the month (**7<sup>th</sup> June**). Many thanks to Revd Amanda for enabling this to continue.

**St Bartholomew's Flowers:** A small team arranges the flowers in St Bartholomew's but we would love more help. A simple vase of flowers would be lovely, there is no need for formal arrangements. If you would like to put flowers in Church please sign the list which has slots for two Sundays. Alternatively if you would like to place flowers for a special anniversary once a year please sign the list or speak to a member of the flower team. – Julia Wainwright.

**St Bartholomew's is open to visitors** every Saturday 10am - 1pm. Opening the church on Saturdays is proving very successful but more volunteer welcomers are needed to join the team. Please contact Jeannette Archdeacon (864556) if you can help welcome people (with another person).

**Orders of Service** are available on the benefice website, including prayers for Spiritual Communion for those watching the Holy Communion Service on Zoom.

#### FUTURE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Saturday 15 July	Messy Picnic, St Bartholomew's churchyard, time tbc (afternoon)
Sunday 16 July	St Swithun's Patronal Festival: Holy Communion at 6pm
Saturday 22 July	'Music for a Summer Evening' at St Bartholomew, 7pm tbc
Sunday 30 July	Benefice Holy Communion at St Lawrence, 10am
Sunday 13 August	St Lawrence Patronal Festival: Holy Communion at 10am
Saturday 9 Sept	Ride & Stride (see page 16)
8-17 September	Heritage Open Days in Winchester ( <a href="http://www.winchesterheritageopendays.org">www.winchesterheritageopendays.org</a> )

*Details of some of these events are in the following pages*

### St Bartholomew's Coffee Morning

The Wednesday Coffee Mornings at Hyde Parish Hall are on the **third Wednesday** of the month (**21<sup>st</sup> June**) at **10.30am**, followed by **Holy Communion at 11.30am in church**. There will be coffee, biscuits and a raffle. We look forward to seeing you!



*You are invited to join us at the monthly  
St Lawrence Coffee Morning  
The next Coffee Morning is on  
Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July, 10-11.30am*

**MAGAZINE COPY:** Copy deadline for the July/August issue is **Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> June** - but as usual, the Editors would prefer to receive material earlier. Please send contributions to the joint Editors:

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- Parish news, reports and articles to John Stanning, [john.stanning@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:john.stanning@yahoo.co.uk), or by post to the Parish Office.

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## Confirmation at Abbots Barton Care Home

Congratulations to Bill Lanfear who was confirmed by Bishop David on 16<sup>th</sup> May at a special service in Abbots Barton Care Home.

When I first met Bill, soon after he moved into the Care Home, he told me of his great regret that, although he had been baptised as a young man, he had never been confirmed and thought it was now too late. Bishop David very graciously agreed to come and put that right, and it was a really joyful occasion, attended by about 20 residents. Bill had no hesitation in choosing 'Amazing Grace' and 'How Great Thou Art' as his favourite hymns, which everyone sang with gusto. After the service, we enjoyed a delicious celebration cake and tea together.

Originally from Weston-Super-Mare, Bill's working life was with Westland Helicopters, having developed a love of these machines during his National Service at RAF Kinloss. He was also a keen motorbike rider, and used to do trials. Moving to Hampshire in retirement, with his wife Christine, he became a member of Winchester Probus. Sadly, Christine was unable to get to the service because this was the day that Winchester was at a standstill due to the tragic fatal accident that closed the M3 for most of the day.

Very many thanks to Bishop David and to Kirsty and the other staff who made this wonderful occasion possible.

*Revd Karen*



## Parish Giving Scheme raises more money for the church!

The Parish Giving Scheme (PGS) is a simple and secure way for us to give regularly to our parishes by Direct Debit, which individual parishes can't use because of the banks' stringent rules. The PGS takes care of Gift Aid, so it's all much simpler for our treasurers! You can join the PGS online, or by phone, or get a PGS form from your churchwarden.

Online via the benefice website: [www.threesaints.org.uk/support-us](http://www.threesaints.org.uk/support-us) - scroll down and you'll find links for regular giving to each parish. You can also contact the Parish Giving Scheme by phone on 0333 002 1271, or by post to 76 Kingsholm Road, Gloucester, GL1 3BD. Email for enquiries: [info@parishgiving.org.uk](mailto:info@parishgiving.org.uk) Please quote the PGS "parish code" which is 416007201 for St Bartholomew's or 416007241 for St Lawrence with St Swithun.



Please keep visiting our website [www.threesaints.org.uk](http://www.threesaints.org.uk) which is regularly updated with links to resources, spiritual and practical, for yourself, for families and for your neighbours. It also gives you access to all the news on our Facebook page (you don't need a Facebook account, just click on the link).



## Men's Breakfast Meetings

We have now been meeting at about monthly intervals and are beginning to develop a format which suits current attendees and, we hope, will attract new members.

What we cover/include/share during our very sociable and friendly breakfast times together can be summed up as: What has happened in my world and in the rest of the world since we last met! A few tips to help us to understand and plan what we will be sharing with our friends. For some it might even cover discipleship or have nothing to do with that.

- Share a story from your life/world
- Something amazing that happened and/or something that annoyed you, angered you or left you speechless.
- How and why you developed a new intention (past or present vocational or secular) and your determination to achieve it.
- An update on what you shared at the last breakfast.

We all share, we all listen, and we all have our say. We do this without fear as our get together provides a safe and respectful environment (as someone said we are a woke-free zone but strictly non offensive). It is wonderful how our thoughts and comments prove to be similar but also that we learn about things we missed or had never considered.

Our next meetings will be on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> July and Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> August, both at 83 Christchurch Road, SO23 9QY, and Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> September with venue to be advised in plenty of time. **Put the dates in your diary now.** And watch the weekly newsletter for details and signing up. Plan to bring a friend, maybe your neighbour!

*Malcolm Bruce, Richard Stead, Tom Nell*



*Photo by Malcolm Bruce*



## Green Space ... Advance Notice

The National “Great Big Green Week” is a celebration of community action to tackle climate change, started by Climate Coalition in June 2021, as June is an easier time access to politicians. This year it takes place **between 10 -18 June 2023**.

Winchester Green Week is always held during the month of Creationtide and this year is being held **23 September - 1 October**. It is very much linked into the national Green Week ethos. Consequently, as a Benefice, we support Winchester Green Week.

Last year more than 70 events were co-ordinated by 50 organizations. We held a Recycle Sunday and had a speaker from A Rocha Eco Church.

This year the theme is “Let’s grow greener, together” involving four possible sections: Environment, Social, Aesthetic, and Spiritual.

As the United Benefice’s Environmental Officer, I would like to involve all of you lovely parishioners of both Parishes, to help me define the four sections within a display on the walls of St Lawrence Church (similar to what I have done before). I hope to explain further at the end of a church service in each church and in the July Magazine. Ultimately, I would like our visitors to our City based church of St Lawrence to see how a United Benefice promotes “Going greener together” and to take thoughts away with them that will lead to greener action, in their own lives.

*Christine Pilgrim*

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**St Bart's  
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## Celebrating the Coronation of His Majesty King Charles III

Did you know that The Crown is patron of our two parishes? This dates back to the Dissolution of the Monasteries, when Henry VIII took over the monks' lands and patronages. Today we are one of about 650 benefices that retain this patronage, and the appointment of the Rector is made on behalf of the Crown by the Church Appointments Team in the Cabinet Office. So it was very fitting that we celebrated the Coronation of King Charles in style, with special services of thanksgiving in each of our churches.



The bunting was up at St Bartholomew's and all of our churches were beautifully adorned with flowers for our special services on Sunday 7th May, the day after the Coronation itself. Each service finished with the National Anthem, and plenty of coronation-themed cake was consumed with the morning coffee! In the churchyard at St Bartholomew's there was also a children's activity trail, with interesting facts about the coronation and a puzzle to solve.

We hope you enjoyed the weekend as much as we did!



St Swithun



St Lawrence



St Bartholomew



*Special thanks to our fabulous flower arrangers!*



## Coronation Thanksgiving - All Together Service

The Coronation service began with a child greeting the King and welcoming him “in the name of the King of Kings.” The King replied “In His name, and after His example, I come, not to be served but to serve.” The whole weekend was designed to celebrate ‘Community, Faith and Service’.

There was a very powerful moment in the coronation service when the King appeared in very simple clothes, without all the trappings of status, and was anointed, that is, set apart and consecrated to God for the particular ways in which he is called to serve. Each of us is called in our own way: we too are dependent on the strength and grace of God, who names and calls us to be citizens of his Kingdom in different ways. Like the King at his coronation, we, at baptism, are anointed and consecrated to God, precious in his sight, called by name and equipped by the Holy Spirit for a life of service.

So we wondered what a coronation might look like using items that are symbols of *our* calling, just as the King was presented with regalia that represent his new role. Our ‘King’ Malcolm Thorpe ascended up the chancel step to his throne and was presented with various items that represent the kinds of ways in which we can serve one another, both practically and symbolically:



| <i>The Regalia of State</i>                                                                                                             | <b>The Regalia of the Kingdom of God</b>                                                                                                   |
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| <i>A Jewelled Sword for the protection of good</i>                                                                                      | <b>A broom</b> , for sweeping away unclean things and any obstacles in people’s way to a life of hope and peace                            |
| <i>The Armills or Bracelets of Sincerity and Wisdom</i>                                                                                 | <b>A teatowel</b> , sign of humility and willingness to get stuck in                                                                       |
| <i>A Robe (of righteousness)</i>                                                                                                        | <b>An apron</b> , for hospitality; providing nourishment for body, mind or spirit                                                          |
| <i>The Orb, symbolising the world under the cross of Christ</i>                                                                         | <b>A first aid kit</b> , for making things better, patching up and healing                                                                 |
| <i>A Glove, symbol of protection of the people, holding power gently in a gloved hand</i>                                               | <b>A washing-up glove</b> , for holding lightly to status and not being afraid when things get messy                                       |
| <i>The Sceptre (a sign of temporal authority) and the Rod of Equity and Mercy, symbol of spiritual and pastoral care for his people</i> | <b>A feather duster</b> , for taking care of our environment; for clearing away the specks that cloud our vision and judgement             |
| <i>A Crown, the symbol of sacrificial vocation under the cross of Christ</i>                                                            | <b>A crown</b> , with the cross drawn on our foreheads at baptism, the symbol of being precious to God and citizens of His eternal kingdom |



Our churches, indeed our society, would not function without volunteers and for Christians it’s not just a choice but a duty and responsibility, to follow after the example of Christ who came, not to be served, but to serve. There are always things to do and ways that we can help, no matter what our age or experience. You might like to think of other meanings for the items above, or other symbols of Christian service. I wonder what you would choose as a symbol of *your* faith-filled service to the community?

*Revd Karen*



## What did YOU do over the Coronation Weekend?

By our printing deadline, we had received photos of two street parties showing parishioners of St Lawrence with St Swithun parish:



Clifton Hill & Terrace Street  
(including a colourful lay canon of the Cathedral)



St James' Villas  
(can you spot five parishioners?)

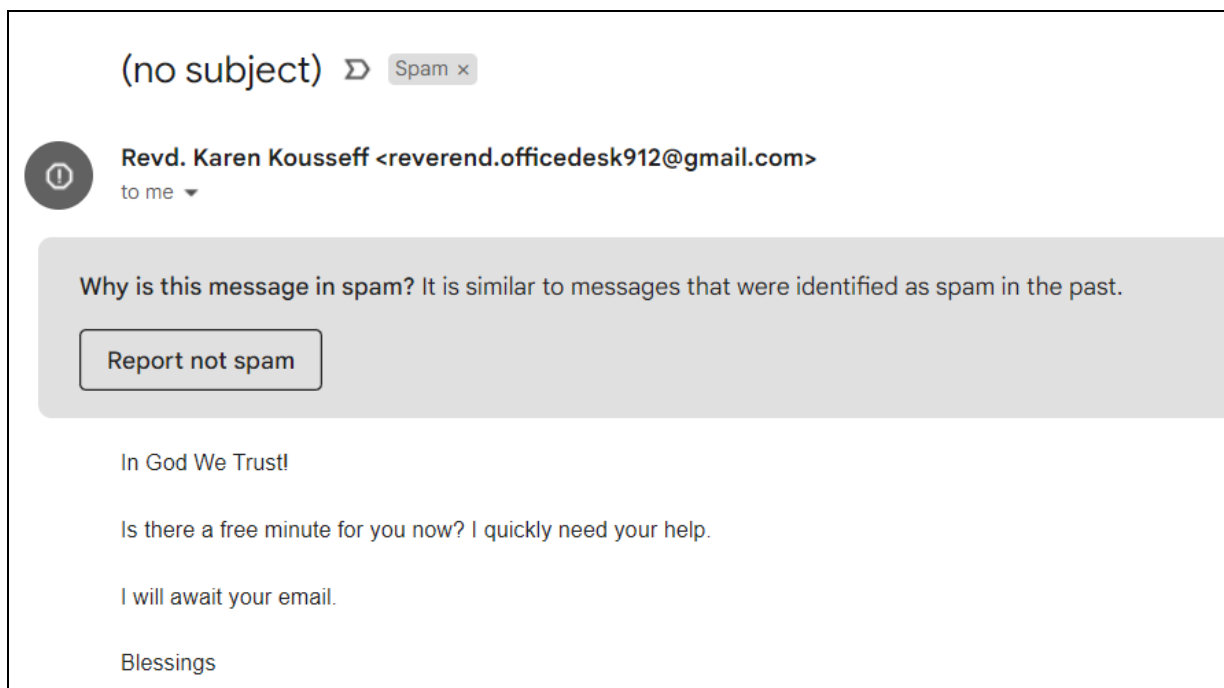
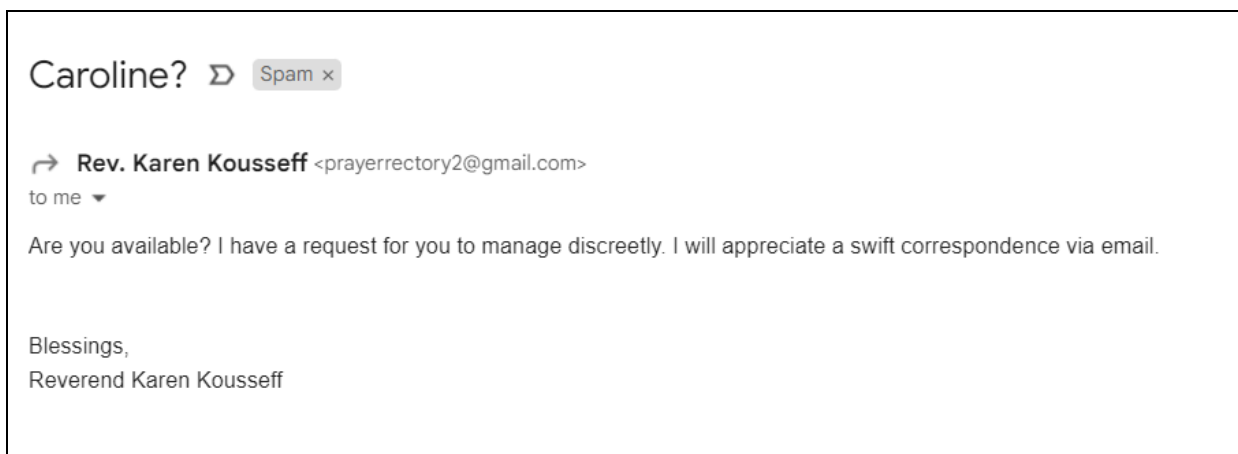




## Watch out for spam emails!

Spammers are getting cleverer at putting together more believable emails. Do check names, spellings and odd phrasing, also where the email comes from (e.g. on an iPad or iPhone, tap the sender name to show the email address).

Just have a look at what ‘Revd Karen’ sent to one of our editors:



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Some parishioners take a keen interest in the falcons on the roof of Winchester Cathedral. Here's Winnie, just before hatching, taken in late April 2023.

And the swifts are back, nesting at St Bartholomew's church!

## Winchester Mayfest

The Winchester Mayfest is an annual celebration of folk music and dancing and took place throughout the city centre on a wonderful sunny day in May. St Lawrence Church hosted folk music from the Southampton Folk Orchestra, the Bella Voce youth choir and Barton Stacey Chamber Choir.

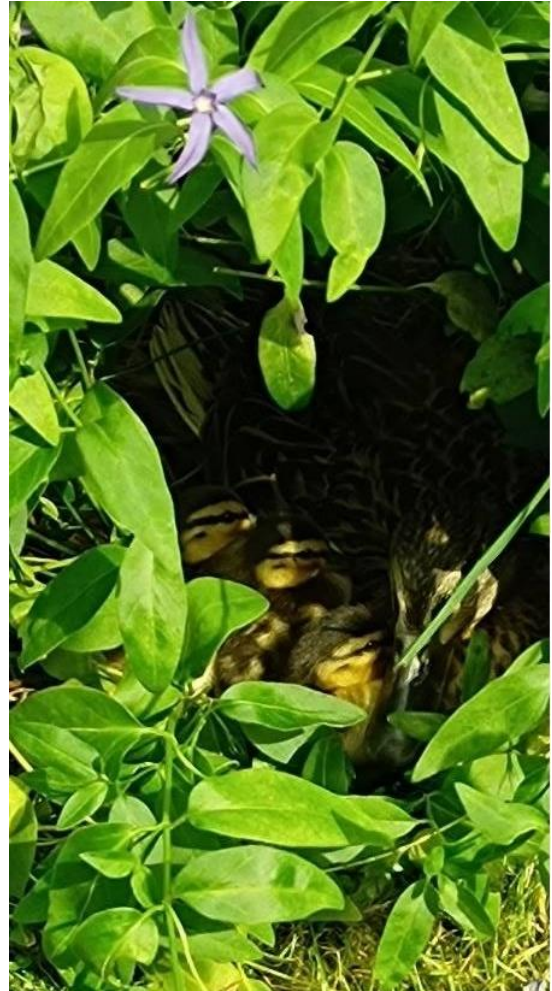


*Photos by Phoebe St Leger-Davey*





On a warm day in May, parishioners Lizzie and John Aston spotted something hiding in the undergrowth by their dining room window .....



..... it was a Mallard duck and her ducklings!



## Can you help tend the garden at St Bartholomew?



We need more volunteers to keep the garden looking lovely! Could you help? You can give as much or as little time as you wish.

Do talk to Revd Karen and churchwarden Malcolm. Thank you!



### Cycling and exploring Hampshire's historic churches - for people who love exploring church buildings

Did you know that every year over 400 of Hampshire's most historic and beautiful churches are open to cyclists? What's more, some have refreshments and guides and all will provide a beautiful backdrop to catch your breath and give you a chance to discover beauty, art, history and interesting architecture inside and out.

Last year Ride & Stride in Hampshire raised over £47,000 of sponsorship money, including Gift Aid, to help Christian churches of all denominations who are members of 'Churches Together in England'.

The money raised every year helps to fund repairs to the historic fabric and features of the churches as well as urgent repairs such as retaining walls in graveyards, leaky roofs and the installation facilities to make Hampshire's historic churches, chapels and meeting houses of all denominations fit to serve local communities for future generations. In recent years, all our three churches have benefited from these grants.

This year's Ride & Stride will be on **Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> September**, during the week of Winchester Heritage Open Days. **The cycling team at St Bart's** intend to ride to a number of churches along the Itchen Valley on to raise money for Hampshire and the Islands Historic Churches Trust (HIHCT). Half of the money they raise will go to HIHCT, and half to the Giving for Living at St Bart's Appeal. Anyone who wants to join the team, please contact Andy or Julia Wainwright on 07813 339847, or email [andrew.wainwright@gmail.com](mailto:andrew.wainwright@gmail.com).

**For St Lawrence with St Swithun parish**, Clare and Louise won't be organising Ride & Stride in the same way as they did in the past: the parish won't formally field a team, though of course individuals are welcome to participate and Clare and Louise can advise on the forms needed. In the same way as at St Bart's, half the money raised will go to HIHCT and half to the parish's funds. Also, Clare and Louise will still arrange a rota of stewards for both churches so that R & S participants and other visitors will find a welcome on 9<sup>th</sup> September, and the parish will probably have a retiring collection for HIHCT on the 10<sup>th</sup> September.

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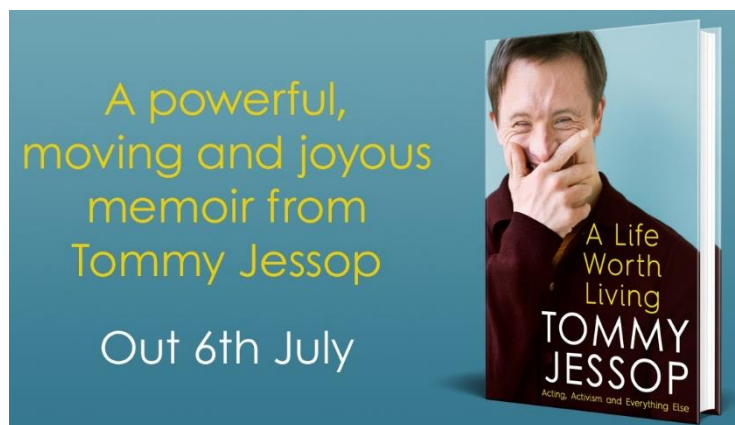
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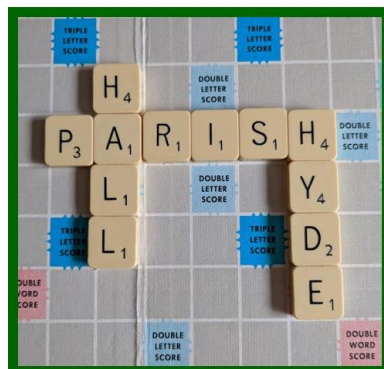
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The Three Saints Benefice of St Bartholomew and  
St Lawrence with St Swithun-upon-Kingsgate, Winchester

## SERVICES IN JUNE 2023

|    |                                            |         |                                                 |                  |
|----|--------------------------------------------|---------|-------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| 2  | Friday                                     | 10.00am | Coffee Morning .....                            | St Lawrence      |
| 4  | <b>Trinity Sunday</b>                      | 10.00am | 'All Together' Service .....                    | St Bartholomew   |
|    |                                            | 10.00am | Holy Communion .....                            | St Lawrence      |
|    |                                            | 6.00pm  | Evensong .....                                  | St Swithun       |
| 7  | Wednesday                                  | 10.30am | Holy Communion .....                            | St Lawrence      |
| 10 | Saturday                                   | 12.30pm | Wedding of Edward Bates &<br>Joanna Howe .....  | St Bartholomew   |
| 11 | <b>St Barnabas</b>                         | 10.00am | Holy Communion .....                            | St Bartholomew   |
|    |                                            | 10.00am | Morning Worship .....                           | St Lawrence      |
|    |                                            | 6.00pm  | Holy Communion .....                            | St Swithun       |
| 17 | Saturday                                   | 1.00pm  | Wedding of Richard Aplin &<br>Katy Jones .....  | St Bartholomew   |
| 18 | <b>The Second Sunday<br/>after Trinity</b> | 10.00am | Morning Worship .....                           | St Bartholomew   |
|    |                                            | 10.00am | Holy Communion .....                            | St Lawrence      |
|    |                                            | 6.00pm  | Evensong .....                                  | St Swithun       |
| 20 | Tuesday                                    | 11.00am | Mothers' Union Festival<br>Holy Communion ..... | St Lawrence      |
| 21 | Wednesday                                  | 10.30am | Coffee Morning .....                            | Hyde Parish Hall |
|    |                                            | 11.30am | Holy Communion .....                            | St Bartholomew   |
| 24 | Saturday                                   | 11.00am | Memorial Service for<br>Dorothy Howells .....   | St Lawrence      |
| 25 | <b>The Third Sunday<br/>after Trinity</b>  | 10.00am | Holy Communion .....                            | St Bartholomew   |
|    |                                            | 10.00am | Morning Worship .....                           | St Lawrence      |
|    |                                            | 6.00pm  | Evensong .....                                  | St Swithun       |

## JULY

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|---|--------------------------------------------|---------|------------------------------|----------------|
| 2 | <b>The Fourth Sunday<br/>after Trinity</b> | 10.00am | 'All Together' Service ..... | St Bartholomew |
|   |                                            | 10.00am | Holy Communion .....         | St Lawrence    |
|   |                                            | 6.00pm  | Evensong .....               | St Swithun     |

Services at St Lawrence and St Swithun churches are normally available on Zoom: please see  
[www.threesaints.org.uk/services](http://www.threesaints.org.uk/services) for details.