

## What's on week's commencing 24 June 2018

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|-------|---------|---------|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Mon   | 25 June | 7.30pm  | Cell Group Leaders Meeting | The Vicarage, Inkberrow      |
| Tues  | 26 June | 8.30am  | Staff Meeting              | The Vicarage, Inkberrow      |
| Tues  | 26 June | 8.00pm  | Standing Committee Meeting | Lambs Hill House, Inkberrow  |
| Wed   | 27 June | 10.00am | Holy Communion             | St Peter's Church, Inkberrow |
| Thurs | 28 June | 8.30am  | Morning Prayer             | St Paul's Church, Cookhill   |
| Thurs | 28 June | 9.30am  | Benefice Admin Meeting     | The Vicarage, Inkberrow      |
| Thurs | 28 June | 11.00am | Dementia Café              | St Peter's Hall, Inkberrow   |
| Sun   | 1 July  | 11.00am | Junior Church              | St Peter's Hall, Inkberrow   |

### St Peter's Patronal on 1st July Bring & Share Lunch after at the Vicarage

There will be a single Inkberrow service at 10.30am and it is hoped that people from all the services will come along so that we can all be together as a parish to pray and worship together. The service will be strictly an hour long and include elements from all three services and the theme will be "Community". After the service there will be a Bring and Share lunch at the **Vicarage**. Please bring whatever you can in the way of vegetables, salads, snacks and drinks, plus garden games. Don't forget to bring your BBQ with you and your own meat (or meat free BBQ items), perhaps enough to trade (if someone else's looks better than your own!) or share.



Let's make this a fun time for the entire church community to get together for some summer fellowship! Visitors from Cookhill, Dormston and Kington are very welcome! **People can come round anytime on Saturday to set up your BBQ, no need to ring ahead just drop in and set up in the garden.**

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The Worcester Severn Rotary Club in conjunction with Inkberrow Impromptus present a

### Piano Recital, 7.30pm, Friday 13th July 2018

**St Peter's Church, Inkberrow, Featuring Lauretta Bloomer**

Works by: Schubert, Chopin, Brahms, Ravel, Clara & Robert Schuman

Summer Interval refreshments available

Retiring Collection in aid of Worcestershire Carers Association



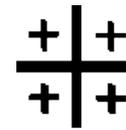
### SERVICES for Sunday 1 July 2018, 5th after Trinity & St Peter's Patronal Eucharist

|         |  |                       |
|---------|--|-----------------------|
| 8.00am  | Holy Communion   | St Peter's, Inkberrow |
| 9.30am  | Family Communion   | St Paul's, Cookhill   |
| 10.30am | Patronal Eucharist<br><i>Junior Church, prayers of thanksgiving</i><br><i>With Bring &amp; Share BBQ after</i> | St Peter's Inkberrow  |
| 11.00am | Morning Praise   | St James's, Kington   |
| 11.00am | Informal Worship   | St Peter's, Inkberrow |
| 1.45pm  | Baptism of Grace Kimberley   | St Peter's, Inkberrow |

### CHURCH CONTACTS: [www.cofe-inkberrow.org.uk](http://www.cofe-inkberrow.org.uk).

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The **BENEFICE** of **INKBERROW**  
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with **DORMSTON**  
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Newsheet for  
**24 June 2018**  
**Birth of John the Baptist**

**Mission Statement ....** A welcoming church, community centred on the unconditional love of Jesus. Vibrant and growing; Serving and nurturing; Encountering God and transforming lives.



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|         |                            |                        |
|---------|----------------------------|------------------------|
| 8.00am  | Holy Communion             | St Peter's, Inkberrow  |
| 9.30am  | Family Communion           | St Paul's, Cookhill    |
| 9.30am  | Traditional Holy Communion | St Peter's Inkberrow   |
| 11.00am | Pet Service                | St Nicholas', Dormston |
| 11.00am | Informal Worship           | St Peter's, Inkberrow  |

### Collect for Birth of John the Baptist

Almighty God, by whose providence your servant John the Baptist was wonderfully born, and sent to prepare the way of your Son our Saviour by the preaching of repentance: lead us to repent according to his preaching and, after his example, constantly to speak the truth, boldly to rebuke vice, and patiently to suffer for the truth's sake; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

### Post Communion for Birth of Baptist

Merciful Lord, whose prophet John the Baptist proclaimed your Son as the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world: grant that we who in this sacrament have known your forgiveness and your life-giving love may ever tell of your mercy and your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### Today's Readings

#### Luke 16.19-31

Jesus told this parable to those among the Pharisees who loved money: <sup>19</sup>“There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. <sup>20</sup>And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, <sup>21</sup>who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man's table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores. <sup>22</sup>The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. <sup>23</sup>In Hades, where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. <sup>24</sup>He called out, “Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames.” <sup>25</sup>But Abraham said, “Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. <sup>26</sup>Besides all this, between you and us a great

chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us.”<sup>27</sup>The man who had been rich said, “Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father’s house - <sup>28</sup>for I have five brothers - that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment.”<sup>29</sup>Abraham replied, “They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them.”<sup>30</sup>He said, “No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.”<sup>31</sup>Abraham said to him, “If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead.”

**I Tim 6.6-19**

<sup>6</sup>There is great gain in godliness combined with contentment; <sup>7</sup>for we brought nothing into the world, so that we can take nothing out of it; <sup>8</sup>but if we have food and clothing, we will be content with these. <sup>9</sup>But those who want to be rich fall into temptation and are trapped by many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. <sup>10</sup>For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, and in their eagerness to be rich some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pains.

<sup>11</sup>But as for you, man of God, shun all this; pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, gentleness. <sup>12</sup>Fight the good fight of the faith; take hold of the eternal life, to which you were called and for which you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses. <sup>13</sup>In the presence of God, who gives life to all things, and of Christ Jesus, who in his testimony before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, <sup>14</sup>I charge you to keep the commandment without spot or blame until the manifestation of our Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>15</sup>which he will bring about at the right time – he who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords. <sup>16</sup>It is he alone who has immortality and dwells in unapproachable light, whom no one has ever seen or can see; to him be honour and eternal dominion. Amen.

<sup>17</sup>As for those who in the present age are rich, command them not to be haughty, or to set their hopes on the uncertainty of riches, but rather on God who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. <sup>18</sup>They are to do good, to be rich in good works, generous, and ready to share, <sup>19</sup>thus storing up for themselves the treasure of a good foundation for the future, so that they may take hold of the life that really is

**NOTICE:** We are looking for a Data Protection Officer for the Benefice. For more information please ask Rev'd Bruce Rienstra or Pippa Heenan.

**Banns of Marriage:** On 24/06/2018 we publish the banns of marriage between **Michelle Wakefield & Mathew Ganderton** of Holy Trinity Church, Redditch to be married on 4/08/2018 at St Peter’s Church, Inkberrow. This is for the final time of asking. If any of you know of any reason in law why they may not marry each other you are to declare it. (T). We also publish the banns of marriage between **Thomas David Kings** of St John the Baptist, Bromsgrove and **Catherine Elizabeth Hemmings** of St Peter’s Inkberrow to be married on 23/08/2018 at St John the Baptist, Bromsgrove. This is for the final time of asking. If any of you know of any reason in law why they may not marry each other you are to declare it. (I).

**PLEASE PRAY FOR: Those bereaved of:** Marjorie Mills, Mandie Morrissey; Peggy Dutton; **Those who are in special need:** Kathleen Hollis; Peter Evans; Tim Beddall; Sandy Carruthers;

**Prayer Focus:**

- As Tariffs come into force we pray that the Trade War with the US will be short-lived.
- We pray for the children being taken from their parents in the US. We pray that they will soon be reunited with their families. We give thanks for the wave of political social media protest both in the US and around the world. We pray for those migrants crossing the Mediterranean will be treated with kindness and compassion. Whilst migration should be regulated we remember that all of God’s people have a right to live in safety and dignity. We pray that all countries will consider what it means to be a migrant when they create their immigration rules and regulations. We remember that Jesus himself was a migrant.
- With the report on Sexual Abuse in Church of England is due to be published next month we pray for all who were abused as they live with the effects of this abuse from an institution where they should have been safe. We pray for healing, confession and forgiveness. We pray that our procedures are now robust enough as we continue to learn from past mistakes.
- Dudley Deanery - Rural Dean: Dominic Melville; Lay Chair: Anne Penn;
- The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion): Archbishop Nicholas Okoh;
- Diocese in Europe, Bishop Robert Innes with Bishop David Hamid;
- Diocese of Visby (Sweden), Bishop Thomas Petersson;
- Diocese of Copenhagen (Denmark): Bishop Peter Skov-Jakobsen;
- Hinton-on-the-Green, St Peter (Rev’d Mark Binney)
- For those who live and work in Priory Farm Lane and Evesham Road, Inkberrow;

**Daily Bible Readings W/C 24 June 2018**

| Date  | Psalm       | 1st Reading            | 2nd Reading     |
|---|-------------|------------------------|-----------------|
| Sun 24 June, <b>Birth of John the Baptist</b>         | 82          | Malachi 4              | Matthew 11.2-19 |
| Mon 25 June   | 80          | Judges 13.1-24         | Luke 17.20-end  |
| Tues 26 June  | 89.1-18     | Judges 14              | Luke 18.1-14    |
| Wed 27 June   | 119.105-128 | Judges 15.1-16.3       | Luke 18.15-30   |
| Thurs 28 June, Irenaeus, bishop, teacher of the faith | 92          | Judges 16.4-end        | Luke 18.31-end  |
| Fri 29 June, Peter the Apostle, Ember Day             | 71          | Isaiah 49.1-6          | Acts 11.1-18    |
| Sat 30 June, Ember Day                                | 97          | Judges 18.1-20, 27-end | Luke 19.11-27   |

**TODAY! Sunday 24th June 2-5pm.**

**Drop in Strawberry Tea £5 per person**

in aid of St Richard’s Hospice . Torite, Little Inkberrow, WR7 4JQ  
Further details available from Pam Welsh 01386 792117  
Please support this event for a great charity if you can.

