

## Worship Services for August

<b>STUDLEY B80 7AB</b>		
<b>August theme: People of Faith</b>		
3 <sup>rd</sup> August	10am	Holy Communion with baptism of Glyn Cardy
	12 noon	Baptisms of Alfie & Ellie
10 <sup>th</sup> August	No services here today - Joint Leaving Communion at Mappleborough Green No Messy Church	
17 <sup>th</sup> August	10am	Opening the Bible
24 <sup>th</sup> August	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Worship for Everyone
31 <sup>st</sup> August	10am	Joint Holy Communion

### **MAPPLEBOROUGH B80 7DJ**

3 <sup>rd</sup> August	10am	Animal Blessing Service
10 <sup>th</sup> August	10am	Joint Leaving Communion for Rev. Kate Mier
17 <sup>th</sup> August	10am	Café Church
24 <sup>th</sup> August	10am	Holy Communion
31 <sup>st</sup> August	No service here today - Joint Holy Communion at Studley	

### **OLDBERROW B95 5NU**

10<sup>th</sup> August No service here today

### **MORTON BAGOT B80 7EJ**

24<sup>th</sup> August 4pm Evensong

## Prayer the Powerhouse of the Church

Meeting 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month, all welcome.

**Next meeting is 7<sup>th</sup> August at 10am in the Parish Centre.**

## News, information and upcoming events:

**Weddings:** our congratulations and prayers to members of our churches getting married soon in **Studley Church:**

**Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> August 12 noon** William Page and Jessica Manders

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> August 11.30am** Connor Merry and Leah Sargeant

### **Baptisms on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August at Studley church**

During the 10am service Glyn Cordy will be baptised;  
at 12 noon Alfie and Ellie will be baptised in a separate service.

### **Funeral of Terence O'Donnell at Studley Parish Church on Tuesday 12th August at 10am.**

**Thank you** from Kate to everyone who came to the Rob Halligan concert, and for the beautiful flowers – it was a wonderful evening that I will treasure for a long time.

### **No Messy Church on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> August**

### **Farewell to Kate: Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> August 10am and 12pm at Mappleborough Church**

There will be one Joint Communion Service at 10am in Mappleborough Church, then hot drinks as usual.

About 12pm we will have a bring and share celebratory lunch (with outdoor games for children). If you'd like to picnic outside do bring something to sit on. Everyone is invited to come to either or both the service and the lunch. Please sign the lists in churches if you can contribute to the shared lunch.

Please contact Phil Pattison or Alan Greathead if you can help with:

- Setting up gazebos and moving tables
- Car parking
- Moving furniture and food following the service to prepare for lunch
- Serving cold drinks
- Tidying up afterwards

### **Prayers Update**

Emilia and her family would like to thank everyone for their love, prayers and support throughout the last 2 years. She is well into her recovery and is a lively and energetic 7 year old who brings happiness to everyone she meets.

### **A Midsummer Night's Dream in Studley Churchyard**

Aunty Jen Productions are performing this play in the stunning setting of our churchyard to mark the 5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of their performance on the back of a lorry during covid.

**Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2.30pm and 6.30pm**

**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2.30pm**

Tickets (£10 or £12) are available via the link

[What's On - Aunty Jen Productions](#) or by phone: **07904872990**

Bring seating/rug and a picnic.

During the following week AJP are running a children's theatre academy in the churchyard, culminating in a performance of the play at **5.00pm on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> August**.

### **Help serving refreshments for A Midsummer Night's Dream**

Arden Marches are serving interval refreshments for the 4 performances to raise funds for our tower restoration work.

Could you provide a cake or biscuits to serve?

Could you help with serving on the day?

Please contact Phil Pattison if you can contribute.

### **Animal Blessing Service on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August at 10am in Mappleborough Church**

All welcome.



### **Church office and contact number**

From the **1<sup>st</sup> August**, the church office will no longer be available at 3 Manor Mews. Please use **07894 444351** to contact the office.

### **An Afternoon Tea - Saturday 20th September at Mappleborough Village Hall from 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm.**

*In memory of Eric Lee and Valerie Greathead.*

To celebrate their lives with a slideshow of photos & memories.

To raise funds for The Urology Ward at The Alexandra Hospital and Studley Dementia Cafe.

**Advanced bookings only by the end of August.** Please specify any dietary requirements, especially gluten free sandwiches on booking. Tickets £15.00 per person.

Please see Margaret Lee or Alan Greathead for tickets.

Or phone Margaret Lee on:- 0121 445 5226. Thank you.

**Poppy Cascade** We need about 4,000 poppies, if anyone would like to donate some knitted, crocheted or felt poppies it would be gratefully appreciated. Please contact Louise Grubb 07845736033 for more information. Thank you.



**All are welcome to come and join any of our regular groups which take place in the Parish Centre.**



**Tea, Cake and Friendship - Mondays 2.30-4.00pm (not bank holidays)**

Come and join us for a cuppa and some company at the Parish Centre, Needle Close, Studley

**Studley Dementia Café - next meeting on 7<sup>th</sup> August**

Every first and third Thursdays in the month at the Parish Church Centre 2-4pm. The first Thursday is the Dementia Cafe and the third Thursday is Singing for fun. A warm welcome, chat, coffee and cake. For more information contact Celia: **07759 126211**

(new telephone number) or [studleydementiacafe@gmail.com](mailto:studleydementiacafe@gmail.com)



**Sunbeams - meets Fridays 9.30-11.30 (term time)**



Creative play, craft, story, songs, fun, friendship, cuppa, cake & chat. Free (give a donation if you wish). No need to book.

Sunbeams will start again on **Friday 5<sup>th</sup> September**. We wish all our families a great summer.

**Welcome to Arden Marches churches**

We are delighted to welcome newcomers, and hope you quickly feel 'at home' among us. If you would like to get to know us better, please complete a 'Keeping in Touch' form available in church and hand it to a warden or minister. We offer activities for children and youth, and a range of midweek small groups to encourage adults in living out our Christian faith: to find out more please speak to Kate our vicar.

**Facebook users** please 'like' and preferably add a comment to our Facebook page & posts, share them & tag people whenever you can. Thank you!

**Prayer**

**Prayer for the week: Seventh Sunday after Trinity**

Generous God,  
you give us gifts and make them grow:  
though our faith is small as mustard seed,  
make it grow to your glory  
and the flourishing of your kingdom;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Prayer for coming weeks:**

Father, pour out your Spirit upon us,  
and grant us a new vision of your glory,  
a new experience of your power,  
a new faithfulness to your word,  
and a new consecration to your service,  
that your love may grow among us,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**For your prayers**

*Contact Rachel Nicholas to add the names of people in urgent and critical need of prayer (with their permission). People remain on the list for 4 weeks (do contact Rachel if they need to remain after this) People with ongoing difficulties remain in our prayers even if their names no longer appear below.*

We pray for people in particular need including: **Bob and Pearl Taylor and Heather Wersocki, and all those known to us personally.**

We commend to God all who have died recently and pray for their families: **Terence O'Donnell and David Cruise.**

We remember those for whom the anniversary of their death falls at this time: **Janet Clayton**

## Churches open for personal prayer:

Studley Church: open daily 10am-4pm.

Oldberrow Church is always open.

Morton Bagot Church is usually open 10am-4pm.

## Giving to the Church

We welcome any gift you are able to make, either as a one-off gift or to set up a standing order, using the following bank details.

Studley Parish Church Sort code: 40-43-54 A/c no: 61000861	Mappleborough Green Church Committee Sort code: 40-43-54 A/c no: 00558532
Oldberrow Parochial Church Council Sort code: 40-43-19 A/c no: 61173928	Morton Bagot Parochial Church Council Sort code: 40-43-54 A/c no: 60600547

**The Parish Giving Scheme is the best way to donate, either a one-off or regular gift. For details visit:**

<https://www.parishgiving.org.uk/home/>

or call the telephone service on 0333 002 1271, Monday to Friday, 9am - 5pm.

Studley church PGS Parish Code: <b>110611151</b>	B80 7AB <b>Coventry</b> <b>Diocese</b>	Mappleborough Church PGS Parish Code: <b>110611152</b>	B80 7DJ <b>Coventry</b> <b>Diocese</b>
Oldberrow Church PGS Parish Code: <b>110611146</b>	B95 5NU <b>Coventry</b> <b>Diocese</b>	Morton Bagot Church PGS Parish Code: <b>110611145</b>	B80 7EJ <b>Coventry</b> <b>Diocese</b>

## Contacting the church

**For safeguarding concerns:**

**Parish Safeguarding Officer:** **Charlotte Fitchett** 07540323174  
safeguarding@ardenmarches.co.uk  
Diocesan safeguarding Team (24hrs) 024 7652 1345

**Rector:** **Revd Kate Mier** 3 Manor Mews, Studley B80 7PR  
rector@ardenmarches.co.uk 01527 852830 07894444351  
*Rest day: Friday*

**Church Administrator:** **Rachel Nicholas** **07894 444351**  
parish@ardenmarches.co.uk Church Office, 3 Manor Mews Studley B80 7PR  
Available 9.00-11.30am Monday to Thursday *News sheet items - 9am Thurs*

**Family Link Worker:** **Angela Corlett** 07724 347055  
family-link@ardenmarches.co.uk

**Anna Chaplain for older people:** **Celia Spiers** **07759 126211**  
annachaplain@ardenmarches.co.uk **New telephone number.**

**Parish Centre bookings:** **Mike Moffat** 07594 948534  
parish-centre@ardenmarches.co.uk

**Ankorn House bookings** **Linda Salisbury** 07872 625006  
ankorn-house@ardenmarches.co.uk

**Facebook page:** Arden Marches Churches  
Oldberrow and Morton Bagot Churches  
Sunbeams Parent & Toddler Group (Studley)

**Facebook group:** Arden Marches Messy Church  
Arden Marches Church Family  
Studley Dementia Café

**Website:** [www.ardenmarches.co.uk](http://www.ardenmarches.co.uk)

