

Dan's ordination as priest will be at **2pm on Saturday 26th September** in Claverdon church. We hope to be able to livestream the service, and will circulate information as soon as it is available. **Dan will preside at a special service of Holy Communion in Studley Church at 4.00pm on Sunday 27th.** Godfrey Armitage, Diocesan Environmental Officer, will be our preacher. This is a special opportunity to celebrate with Dan. Attendance will be limited, and seats will be available for people from each church. Please book your seat with Judith McLelland in the Church Office as soon as possible.

Ride & Stride: Many thanks for such generous giving to support Kate Mier, Jennie and Alan Jarmy's bike ride. We had a great time visiting 8 churches, cycling over 20 miles. You can still give: <https://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/team/ArdenMarchesRideandStride>



Sunday 20th September Cross of Nails Sunday

10.00am Zoom all-age service for Cross of Nails Sunday

Amasango School Principal, Linda Ngamlana, will join us via Zoom to update us about the school

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6792975230> or meeting ID 679 297 5230

If you do not know the password please contact Dan.

Or you can join on your landline or mobile phone by dialling 0208 080 6591 (London number – national rate applies). Enter the conference ID (679 297 5230) and password when requested.

6.00pm Soul Space – going deeper with God at Mappleborough Church. 45 minutes of being led in restful, soul-nourishing prayer followed by an opportunity for healing prayer ministry for those

who wish to stay. No need to book.

Sunday 27th September Harvest Festival

8.00am Holy Communion Studley Church (no need to book)

10.00am Zoom Harvest service

4.00pm Holy Communion in Studley Church with Dan presiding please book a place in advance with Judith McLelland

Zoom Prayer and Pub: Thursdays 8.00 pm <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89628241352> Meeting ID: 896 2824 1352. Password: 981342

Weekday Prayer. 9.30am Morning Prayer & 9.30pm Night Prayer on our public Facebook page

Many people in our Diocese enjoyed the **Genexis series of talks** last year in which prominent scientists and theologians set out a compelling case for Christian faith. This year, Genexis will be a 7 week course online starting on 5 October. Each session begins at 8 pm and ends by 9.15 pm. The course is free and you can find out more or sign up for it by [clicking here](#). This would be a great course to invite non-church friends to, but would also be a good way for any of us to equip ourselves with the evidence for our faith.

Annual Church Meetings for Studley with Mappleborough Green via Zoom. An email was sent out with login info on 11 September. If you do not have it, please contact Judith McLelland or Kate for the login info. If you wish to attend and are unable to join via Zoom contact Kate to make arrangements. The meetings are open to anyone to attend (only those on the Electoral Roll may vote). Agendas and Nomination Forms are available at www.ardenmarches.co.uk

- **Mappleborough ADCM - 7.30pm Monday 21st September**
- **Studley ADCM - 7.30pm Wednesday 23rd September**
- **Studley with Mappleborough APCM – Wednesday 30th September**
- At the APCM we will give an update on work on our buildings, on environmental matters, and discuss what worship to offer in church buildings this autumn and winter.

This year we need to elect people as follows:

Studley: 2 DCC members, 2 PCC members, 2 Deanery Synod members

Mappleborough: 2 DCC members, 1 PCC member, 2 Deanery Synod members

We also need to elect Churchwardens and Deputy Churchwardens – these are elected each year.

The Annual Meeting for Morton Bagot, Sernal and Oldberrow will be 14th October 7.30pm. More information to follow.

For your prayers

Contact Judith McLelland to add the names of people in urgent and critical need of prayer (with their permission). People remain on the list for 4 weeks (contact Judith if they need to remain after this).

We pray for people in particular need including: **Bob Taylor, Peter Holmes, Melissa Lammas, Lisa Chartrand, Val Greathead, Sue Ludlow and Toby** - a young boy airlifted to hospital after being hit by a car outside his school in Clent.

We commend to God all who have died recently and pray for their families, including : **Jim Dyer, Doreen Latham and Patricia Simmons**

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

We pray for **Dan Corlett** as he is ordained priest

Please pray for **Jacque Ayton** as she starts her second year of training for ordination at Queens, Birmingham. This term she is also undertaking a 10 week placement with St Chad's Church in Rubery, where there is a mixture of online and face-to-face ministry, including helping to lead the Bible Course.

Prayer for the week: 15th Sunday after Trinity

Lord God, defend your Church from all false teaching and give to your people knowledge of your truth, that we may enjoy eternal life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Making a donation to our churches

Although we cannot give on Sundays in our usual way, we can still make a thank-offering on a Sunday or at any time.

You can make a donation using a bank card by phoning Dan Corlett, or by electronic bank transfer (please include your name as the reference for Gift Aid purposes)

	Sort Code	Account
Studley Parish Church	40-43-54	61000861
Mappleborough Green DCC	40-43-54	00558532
Morton Bagot PCC	40-43-54	60600547
Oldberrow PCC	40-43-19	61173928

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