



BENEFICE BULLETIN

Sunday 11 October 2020
18th After Trinity

Welcome to our new weekly news bulleting sheet, which will be emailed to all members of our church family. You can also access it on our website.

This weekly bulletin will replace our pew slip and will be sent to everyone who has access to the internet.

This space will provide all church members a place to advertise events and upcoming dates – please make sure you send your information to Liz on our email address given below.

Weekly Diary

Sunday 11 October

9.00am St Peter's - Harvest

10.30am St Mary's - Holy Communion

Wednesday 14 October

10.00am St Mary's - Holy Communion

6.00pm St Mary's - Annual Meeting

Important information:

Remembrance Sunday.

As you can imagine with present restrictions brought about by Covid 19 none of our civic services will be the same this year. Our priority is to allow the regular church family to gather – so in light of this we propose that Remembrance will be spread over three services: 8th Nov Lodsworth 9.00am and Easebourne 10.30am. Wednesday 11th Nov Easebourne at 10.00am. All services will be with holy communion and will include an act of silence.

Across the services at Easebourne we will be able to provide for 140 people to attend church. In Lodsworth the number will be 40. It will be important to book one of these services in advance

if you intent to come – it will be strictly first come first served. If you turn up without booking you may not be able to come in. So please contact our wardens to book your place.

On the Sunday we will hopefully involve our uniformed organisations at St Mary's and on the Wednesday year six pupils from Easebourne Primary School will join us.

If you are unable to attend sadly we will not be able to provide a pre-recorded service; so can I encourage you to watch the national events on the television.

It is sad for us as a church that we cannot perform our normal civic duty to welcome all to church, but we have to operate within the rules set down by Government and the Church of England.

Collect for the week

God our judge and saviour,
Teach us to be open to your truth
And to trust in your love,
That we may live each day
With confidence in the salvation which is given
Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Prayers for this week

Our village schools – for children and staff.
Our parish councils.
Our nursing homes.
Those who work in our medical centre.
Our churchwardens and PCCs
Those in our books of prayer.
For the poor of our world.

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