

St Benedict's Weekly Bulletin

BARTHOLOMEW THE APOSTLE 24th August 2014

A very warm **welcome** to our services today. If you are a visitor or newcomer please introduce yourself to **The Revd Laretta Wilson, Team Vicar** or a member of the congregation.

Useful Contacts

If you or somebody you know wishes to receive Holy Communion at home, or would appreciate a visit from **Laretta** or if you wish to make enquiries about baptisms, weddings, funerals or other pastoral services, please contact her on 01442 243934 or by email: ljwilson33@btinternet.com

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Items for the bulletin can be sent to our parish administrator.

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The office is open from 8.00-3.30pm Monday & Wednesday, 12.30pm - 3.00pm Thursday and 12 noon - 3.00pm Friday. Closed Tuesday.

Morning Prayer this week:
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 9.00am

Services Today 10.00am Holy Communion

Chalice Dave
Readers Rob, Bob
Intercessions Bob
Sides Duty Jean
Warden/ Rob
Steward
Coffee Betty

11.45am Holy Baptism

Hymns

137 Crown him with many crowns
752 Will you come and follow me?
310 I heard the voice of Jesus say
King of Kings
(see separate sheet)
It's great, great brill, brill
(see separate sheet)

Next week Sunday 31st August THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

10.00am Holy Communion
11.45am Holy Baptism

Post Communion Collect
Lord God, the source of truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, united in prayer and the breaking of bread, and one in joy and simplicity of heart, in Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Please pray for
◆ Siena Chesterman who will be baptised at 11.45am this morning.
◆ all those who live, work or pass through Goldcroft, including Pat, Sybil and Helen.
◆ our local MP Mike Penning: for wisdom, grace and humour and blessings on his family.



Praise God for
enough to eat ...
praying for wisdom in eating healthily and remembering all those who are hungry.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

There is still time to decide to come on the **FREE FUN DAY TOMORROW!** A FREE coach will take you there and there will be activities for all ages, speakers, 'it's a knockout' and more.... Please see Laretta or Carol for more details.

Sunday 31st August St Benedict's annual lunchtime BBQ. Please sign up with what you can bring!

Taize Service at Holy Trinity, Sunday 7th September at 6.30pm.

There will be an **'Exploring Luke' course** for 5 Wednesdays starting 10th Sept. 7.30pm for food; 8pm for fun! in the church.

Would you like to go to **St Albans Abbey** for an evening pilgrimage? Weds 5th Nov, £6 a head. It would be lovely to take a group of us...

NOTICES

CHALICE ADMINISTRATORS NEEDED! If you would like to share this rewarding and privileged task pls see Laretta. Training available!

DENS are requesting rice, sugar, fruit juice, tinned puddings and pasta sauces for the foodbank in July. They do not need soup or baked beans at the moment. Thank you very much for the support you offer to vulnerable people in this town through your gifts.