

This week's service

Sunday 14th August 2022

This week's readings

Holy Communion
with Rev Bex Allpress



Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16
Luke 12:32-40

A thought from Bex

Hebrews 11 begins "Faith is the assurance of things hoped for" but sometimes we can find reassurance through faith alone a real challenge. To hold onto faith in 'things not seen' means times when we will wrestle with doubts and questions. Abraham's own journey in faith testifies to the complexities of being assured by faith alone but ultimately his trust in God shaped his heart and gave him the confidence to have long-standing faith. This week, you might like to consider how is God shaping your heart

Prayer for the week

Gracious Father,
revive your Church in our
day,
and make her holy, strong
and faithful,
for your glory's sake
in Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen

NEXT SATURDAY

We have another work party planned this summer.

Could you spare a few hours to help with those jobs in the church, churchyard and church hall that desperately need doing?

Saturday 20th August 9.30am - 12

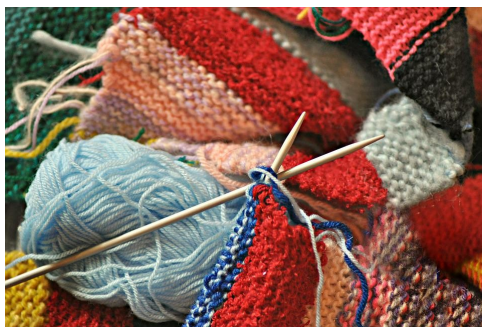
Even an hour or two will make a difference



Would you like to put your talents to good use? Knitting or crocheting blankets is something that you could have fun making, and that will be for a great cause.

Knit or crochet a child's blanket for UKRAINE

Woman's Weekly will get your blankets out to help comfort children who may have lost everything, those from Ukraine or children here in the UK.



Please feel free to use any of your favourite patterns/designs. Just make sure that the blankets are sized for a child's bed (75 x 75cm/30 x 30 inch)

The campaign closes on 2 November 2022.

Any questions please speak to Jane. Perhaps you could team up with a friend to make a blanket. I can help with posting the finished blankets.

Thank you

Church diary for the next month

Sunday 21st August
10:45 Morning Worship
 with Rev Mike Firbank

Sunday 28th August
10:45 Morning Worship
 led by Sandra O'Toole with Debbie Patrick preaching

Sunday 4th September
10:45 Morning Worship
 with Rev Mike Firbank

Sunday 11th September
10:45 Morning Worship
 led by Sandra O'Toole with Nigel Worth preaching

Sunday 18th September
10:45 Morning Worship
 with Rev Mike Firbank

Sunday 25th September
10:45 Morning Worship
 led by Debbie Patrick with Sandra O'Toole preaching

Sunday 2nd October
10:45 Harvest Service (TBC)
 with Rev Mike Firbank

Refreshments Rota



We now have a rota for serving tea & coffee after the service. Please swap with someone if you cannot do a particular date. Please bring the milk.

Thank you

14th Aug	Carol
21st Aug	Christine
28th Aug	James
4th Sept	Nigel
11th Sept	Maxine & Jane
18th Sept	Deb W
25th Sept	Carol
2nd Oct	Christine
9th Oct	James
16th Oct	Nigel
23rd Oct	Maxine & Jane
30th Oct	Deb W

Cleaning Rota

Please clean the church before the date marked. Please swap with someone else on the rota if you cannot clean during your week.

The toilets will be cleaned weekly by Sean & Sandra

21st Aug	Val & Andy
28th Aug	Nige & Deb
4th Sept	Christine
11th Sept	Deb P & Alicia
18th Sept	Jane
25th Sept	Bill
2nd Oct	Val & Andy

Let's Explore Nature...

FREE FAMILY FUN DAY WITH A RANGE OF ACTIVITIES EXPLORING LOCAL WILDLIFE AT ST PETER'S CHURCH, HARTSHORNE

WEDNESDAY 17TH AUGUST
 12-2PM

WHAT WILL YOU DISCOVER?



St Peter's Church, 4 Church Street, Hartshorne, Swadlincote, DE11 7ER