



Chet Valley Benefice
Weekly News Letter
Week commencing Sunday 31st Oct 2010

Today's Services for 4th before Trinity

11am Benefice Service of Holy Communion Chedgrave All Saints
 We will be giving thanks for The Ministry Team and All Saint's day tomorrow.
 (Followed by a shared Lunch).

Today's Readings

Isa. 1 v 10-18; 2 Thes. 1 v 1-end; Luke 19 v 1-10.

A Prayer before the service

Just and merciful God, true Lord of every house, sure delight of every heart, come into our midst today to speak your word and satisfy our hunger. Enable us to see you clearly to welcome you with joy, and to give justice and mercy a place in our lives. Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever. AMEN.

Please Pray For

For family and friends mourning the loss of Barbara Sharman
 Shirleyanne and Richard
 Cliff and Pat Pike
 Alan Shearing and Heather
 Geoff and Sybil Reeve
 Chris Crease
 Edna Taskis now at home recovering from a broken hip
 Amelia Watkins on your Anniversary of Baptism



REMEMBRANCE

Remembrance Sunday 14th November

Remembrance Service takes place at Loddon 10.55am as normal. Service for Hardley, Langley and Chedgrave beginning at Langley War Memorial, then All Saint's Chedgrave at 10.55am. There will also be a short Act of Remembrance at Hales War Memorial at 3pm.

The sad loss of Barbara Sharman

It is with regret that we have to tell you that Barbara Sharman, long serving member of Loddon Holy Trinity, and dear relative or good friend of so many, passed away last Tuesday night. She will be missed greatly.

Welcome to all new comers and Visitors

Be sure to introduce yourself to our minister. Robert 01502 584809; Richard 521938; Julie Oddy-Bates 01502 715898 Sarah Woodger (youth Worker) 01508 528832/ e-mail woodger4family@aol.com

Please note days that clergy are unavailable, so that you can phone one that is on duty for your needs. Robert Soanes Monday, Richard Seel Friday;

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Morning Prayer

Everyone welcome to Daily Services

Monday 9am Holy Trinity, Loddon

Tuesday 9am All Saints, Chedgrave

Wednesday 9am St. Margaret's, Hardley

Thursday 9am St. Marys, Sisland

Friday 9am Holy Trinity, Loddon

Saturday 9am All Saints, Chedgrave

*Normally someone leads these services: when no-one is there,
 Please come into the church and enjoy peace with God.*

Services for Next Sunday 7th Nov. 3rd before Advent

8am Holy Communion B.C.P. Hardley St. Margaret's

9am Holy Communion Chedgrave All Saint's

10am-12noon Xpressions Cafe Chedgrave All Saint's (cakes for Sandra to Chedgrave Centre Sat/Sun thank you).

10.5am Holy Communion Loddon Holy Trinity

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Dates for your diary

Mon. 1st Nov. 10-12noon Monday Mardles Chedgrave.

Mon. 1st Nov 7.45 combined small groups at 31, Hillside.

Tues. 2nd Nov. 12.15pm Lunch Club at L.J.S. Info from Audrey on 521179.

Wed 3rd Nov 7pm.

Future Dates for your diary

Dec 4th 10am-1.30pm **Christmas Fayre at St. Johns.** This will be a Craft, Produce and Gifts Fayre with a visit from Father Christmas, various sideshows and the usual delicious lunches!!!

There are about 63 days to this event- why not start thinking NOW about how YOU can help to make it a success.



All Saint's Autumn Fair.

We are holding an Autumn fair at All Saints' Church Centre, Chedgrave on the 27th November 10am-12noon, proceeds for the restoration work on the East window. Please see Anne Baker, Belinda Barwick or Rachel Graveling if you are able to run a stall or help in any way. Any contributions for the raffle, tombola etc. may be left at 2, Hardley Rd. Chedgrave. Belinda Barwick

A Prayer for the Interregnum Period

God our Father, in this time of vacancy, we ask You to send your Holy Spirit to fill us with vision, energy and prayer. Help us to be faithful to You in our work in our churches and our community. We ask for guidance and discernment for all involved in selecting our new priest. We ask you to prepare that person for our shared task of Your work, in our Benefice.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

Thank you

I would be pleased to receive the outstanding Church cycle ride money. Thank you to all the people that took part and for those who sponsored the riders. I will let you know how much the church in Loddon received when I have the final total.

Marion Hiesman.

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Xpresso Soup Lunches

Wed. 10th November 12.15 - 1.30ish!
St. John's Lecture Hall, Loddon
Do join us for delicious soup and a chat.

The Nicene Creed

There will be an interesting day on the Nicene Creed and the formation of the doctrine of the Trinity at Norwich cathedral on 6th Nov. 10am-4pm. Cost £20.

For further information contact Gudrum Warren 01603 218327 or e-mail library@cathedral.org.uk

PLEASE NOTE

During the Interregnum if there is anything you feel should be in the 'weekly news letter' please either e-mail to Gillian on beneficewnl@btconnect.com, leave a note in the Benefice Office or phone the office on 521179, by 12 noon on the previous Wednesday, **with your name and phone number** on it please, in case of any queries. Next date is 3rd Nov. thank you for your help. Gillian.