

St Leonard's Church, Ryton-on-Dunsmore: Newsletter June 2019

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SERVICES IN THE BENEFICE: June 2019

DATE	Bubbenhall	Baginton	Ryton
June 2 Easter 7 <i>Sunday after Ascension Day</i>	11.00 a.m: Holy Communion	10.00 a.m: Village Service	9.30 a.m: Parish Communion 6.30 p.m: Evensong
June 9 Pentecost <i>(Whit Sunday)</i>	6.30 p.m: Evensong	10.00 a.m: Holy Communion	8.00 a.m: Holy Communion. 9.30 a.m: Village Worship.
June 16: Trinity Sunday	11.00 a.m: Mattins. 8.15 p.m: Holy Communion by candlelight.	10.00 a.m: Holy Communion.	9.30 a.m: Parish Communion. 6.30p.m: Evensong.
June 20 Corpus Christi <i>Thanksgiving for the Institution of Holy Communion</i>			7.30 p.m: Holy Communion with procession and visiting singers. Refreshments afterwards.
June 23 Trinity 1	8.00 a.m: Holy Communion.	10.00 a.m: Holy Communion.	9.30 a.m: Family Service. 6.30 p.m: Holy Communion
June 30 Trinity 2		10.00 a.m: Holy Communion.	9.30 a.m. Informal service of Holy Communion on the Recreation Ground.

July 7: Trinity 3	11.00 a.m: Holy Communion	10.00 a.m: Village Service	9.30 a.m: Parish Communion. 6.30p.m: Evensong.
At Ryton: Every Wednesday except June 12: 9.20 a.m: Holy Communion. Wednesday, June 12: 11.30 a.m: Holy Communion.			

Next PCC Meeting: July 23 at 7.00 p.m. in the Church Centre.

Sunday, June 9: Pentecost (Whit Sunday)



Pentecost, Christmas and Easter are the three major festivals of the Church's Year. Pentecost, the coming of the Holy Spirit, is often called the birthday of the Church, and we shall be celebrating it with Holy Communion at 8.00 a.m. and Village Worship at 9.30. Holy Communion will also be celebrated at BAGINTON Church at 10.00. a.m. Evensong at BUBBENHALL at 6.30 p.m.

**Thursday, June 20 at 7.30 p.m. in St Leonard's Church:
Holy Communion for Corpus Christi**

Members of our Guest Choir and Augmented Choir will again be coming along to help us celebrate Corpus Christi in the accustomed way- with outdoor procession- and cheese scones, Buck's Fizz and other refreshments after the service. *Everybody welcome- do come along and celebrate Our Lord's institution of Holy Communion.*



From Sybil Elliott: Thank you!

Sybil writes: *I would like to thank all my wonderful friends and family for the cards, flowers and presents I received for my 80th birthday celebration. Also to thank Morris and the melody makers for the entertainment at the Evergreen Club. It was really lovely. Thank you again, love, Sybil.*

Action Medical Research: Thank you!

Sylvia Dixon writes: "A big thankyou to everyone who supported our coffee morning in the Church Centre on Saturday May 18th. We raised a fantastic £830 for Action Medical Research.

Find us now on social media!

Whether you facebook tweet or insta St Leonard's can now be found on all 3 platforms!

Facebook



@StLeonardsRyton

Twitter



@rytonchurch

Instagram



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Please follow, like and share spread the word of our wonderful church!

Church Floodlighting

June 11th

Birthday Memories of Ron Backholler

June 15th

40th Anniversary memories of Tim Dixon (Brother of John and Bob)

Ladies' Guild

We will be "In our prime" on Thursday, June 6th at 7.45p.m. in the Village Hall.

St Leonard's Church Centre
on Saturday 8 June
Breakfast & Bric a Brac



Tuck & Table Tops

Have a clear out and bring your clutter for a table sale - min. donation £5 per table.

Remember your junk is someone else's treasure.



Breakfast served through out the morning -
From 9.30 am - 12 noon



Soup & Puds from 12 - 2 pm

all at very reasonable prices -
eg £5 for full English Breakfast



Raising funds for the urgent
repairs needed to the stonework of the church

*To book a table top please call 024 7630 1283
or email dandfwintle@gmail.com*

St. Leonard's Church
Ryton on Dunsmore
Saturday 29 June

Offers of
help welcomed.
It's good
to join
in

FETE

Football Competition



Ryton Star Sixes

& Conga Community Gathering

Children's entertainment

Bouncy Castle

Cream teas* *Bar* *BBQ

Brass Band

**Raffles, lots of new fun & games,
as well as all your favourite stalls**

**and at the CONGA
in the evening**



Gifts of bottles (not necessarily alcoholic) needed for the Bottle Stall please.

Please could you bring them to church by mid-June, so that they can be ticketed prior to the fete?- or if necessary, Hazel Smith and Anne Walters will call round at your house to collect them. Phone Hazel on 02476 456711

Flower Rota

<u>Date</u>	<u>Altar</u>	<u>Pulpit</u>
June 2	In memory of Letty Wright	
June 9	In memory of Ronald Backholler	
June 17	In memory of Wyn Sadler (Hill)	

Lent jars in aid of Circles Trust.

Gill Church writes:

This year our Lent Jars appeal has been in aid of the Circles Trust in Cawston. Circles helps mainly young people, who are experiencing problems in their life.

They provide a lot of support, and there are many regular activities such as cooking, art and exercising the ponies.

Circles receive very little funding, and most of the activities are run by volunteers, so we are very pleased to be able to donate to them £210, of which £152 was gift aided.

Thank you very much for your very generous support of this charity through our Lent Appeal.

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Lunch Club in the Church Centre

The **Lunch Club** continues to take place on the second Wednesday of every month. It is much enjoyed by all who come: very many thanks to all the people whose ongoing hard work and commitment is making this possible. Cost is £5.00 for a home-cooked main course, pudding and tea/coffee and raffle ticket, plus the opportunity for a good chat. We can provide free transport in the mini-bus if you need it- please get in touch with Hazel Smith on 02476 456711

We are hoping to welcome new diners to Lunch Club. Please ring Hazel before June 10th if you would like to join us on June 13th.

From the Church Register: No entries in May



In the afternoon of June 7th at Provost Williams School: 1.30 p.m: Crowning of the May King and Queen followed by the fundraising Gala.

Ryton Evergreens 50+ Club

Our meetings are held in the Village Hall on the first and third Tuesdays of every month from 1.45pm to 3.45pm.

New members are welcome. Please contact John Loudon [02476301269](tel:02476301269)

We use the village mini bus to our meetings in the Village Hall.

Ryton History Group

Our meetings are held in The Village Hall from **7-30pm to 9.30pm** on the fourth Friday of every month. Please come and join us. We meet from 7.30-9.30 pm in the Village Hall.

Subscription: £20.00 per year or £2.50 per meeting

We are now on the council website for you to get more information.

www.rytonondunsmore.org or **Steve Garrett 76639228 Ann 76302695**

TWIRLS – Women’s Institute

Meet every third Thursday of the month at Ryton Church Centre. 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Further details from secretary:

Tracey Millar – 45 Church Road Tel: 07899 773373

Church Organ restoration.

The Fund now stands at £7,660.58. There will be more fund raising events during the year so watch this space- and see Organ recital below!

Organist Peter Barley is the nephew of our former Vicar's wife and great friend of the parish, Celia Sykes.

Any further fund-raising suggestions, ideas for future events, as well as individual donations will be warmly welcomed- please contact the Rector or Churchwardens.

St Leonard's Church, Ryton on Dunsmore
on Saturday
17th August
at 7.30 pm

Organ Recital

given by

Peter Barley



Peter trained as a student at Cambridge, where he was an organ scholar at King's College, Cambridge, and then as a postgraduate at the Royal Academy of Music, London. He then went on to be Organist and Director of Music at St Marylebone Church, London.

Peter is now Organist (and Choirmaster) of St Mary's Cathedral, Limerick, and in addition has the honorary title of Organist Emeritus of St Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin.

**Tickets £10
to include cheese & wine**

*To book tickets please contact the Churchwardens
Phone: 07522 868523 or 07765 303173*

Email: j.church108@icloud.com or janolwyn@hotmail.co.uk

Raising funds for the organ restoration

Organist Peter Barley is the nephew of Mrs. Celia Sykes.

Churchyard tidy-up: Thank you!



Mark Jones was delighted and encouraged that so many people came along to help on May 4th. They got a lot of jobs done- thank you all very much.

Mark writes:

“ Thank you to the volunteers who helped me with the last churchyard tidy up. You all did a fantastic job. We will be meeting again on Saturday 1st June 2pm - 4pm.

I look forward to welcoming you onto the team.

(Please note you don't have to stay for the whole 2 hours. If you can manage one hour or even just half an hour it would be much appreciated.)”

Saturday, June 8th, 1.00 p.m.- 5.00 p.m. at Bubbenhall Village Hall: Summer Fun Day.

- o BBQ & Beer Tent
- o Magician & Children's Magic Show
- o Live Music from Bilton Silver Band & The Ratpackers
- o Side Stalls
- o Bouncy Castle & Inflatables
- o Afternoon Tea & Cakes
- o Children's Five a Side Football
- o Wristbands available on the day for activities
- o Tombola & Raffle
- o Coconut Shy/Golf & Skittles
- o Face Painter
- o Beat the Goalie

Visit Bubbenhall Village Hall on Facebook or www.bubbenhall.info for more information and updates

Come and enjoy breakfast in **BUBBENHALL Village Hall!**



**First Saturday in every month, from 9.00 – 11.00 a.m.
Full English £5.00, or bacon/ sausage etc. batches, tea, coffee- priced per item.**

Proceeds in aid of St Giles' Church.

The Greenway family and Gill Green hope to welcome even more of you **on Saturday, June 1 and Saturday, July 6.**

Do come along and bring your friends!

Many thanks to Angela, Craig, Gill, and all those who are helping them in this popular venture.

**Fun for all ages at Village Worship
(Second Sunday in every month),
and Family Service (Fourth Sunday in
every month).**

***Both services begin at 9.30 a.m. All welcome-
bring the family and enjoy these friendly services***



THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH.
From our Rector, the Revd. David Wintle

I am writing this before the result of the European elections is known; I am writing it the day before the vote, but I don't think the result will make any difference to what I am writing. I think I could have written pretty much the same thing any time from early 2016 onwards.

Wouldn't it be great to be clear about which way history is going, and for it to be the way we want it to be going, so we could be glad about it, instead of angry, or confused, or fed up?

The American President in the 1860s, during the American Civil War, was Abraham Lincoln. He was once asked if he thought God was on the side of the North, the Union, his side. He answered:

'My concern is not whether God is on our side; my greatest concern is to be on God's side, for God is always right.'

He might have added that God always wins in the end. Could it be that we've got so tangled up in Brexit, so determined to be proven right, and so exercised by whether our side will win, that we've forgotten what really matters?

How would you know if you've got your priorities wrong? Well, do your friends know your views on Brexit, but not on Christ? Do they know whether you love Rees-Mogg, May or Corbyn, but not that you love Jesus? What do you talk about? What do you get passionate about? Whose victory do you care most about: Leave, Remain, or God?

Well, if you're a Christian, you're a Christian before you're a Leaver or a Remainer, or a Don't-Know-Anymore-But-Please-Get-On-With-It-er.

If you're a Christian, you are already on the right side, because you're on God's side.

Let's not be worrying so much about Britain ending up on the wrong side of history that we forget to think about eternity.

And let's not be worrying so much about Brexit that we never get around to telling anyone about the final result - and how to be on the right side of it.



Then Moses stood
in the gate of the camp, and said,
Who is on the Lord's side?
let him come unto me.
And all the sons of Levi gathered
themselves together unto him.
Exodus 32:26





**AFTERNOON TEA 2.30 to 4pm &
BRING & BUY & RAFFLE
In aid of
St John the Baptist Church Baginton**

Friday, July 26th Joan Harris
32 Jacklin Drive CV3 6QG

Friday, August 30th Dawn Richardson.
28 Coventry Road, Baginton CV8 3AA

For further information please phone Dawn Richardson 02476 302 667
Please come and support us

Tailpiece:



**Contributions for the July/ August Newsletter by June 20th
please.**

Please note that the next Newsletter will be a joint issue for July and August.

Please encourage others to ask to receive the Newsletter by email: the email version contains more news than there is room for in the paper version, and sometimes cartoons, pictures and jokes.

Just contact Rosemary on rosiking2963@gmail.com and ask to be added to the list. No charge!