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The Parish of Basford - St. Mark's

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Welcome!

Here for the first time? Relax. We hope that you feel at home among us. The person who greeted you will answer any practical questions you might have. There are some 'first time visitor' cards with useful pointers to help you get the most from this service and the church's facilities.

We also now have a card machine at the back of the church, should you wish to use your card to make a donation, or if it is a family service use the QR code on the screen.

Our Regular Pattern of Worship

Sundays:

10.00am (3rd Sunday) All Age Worship
(Other Sundays) Traditional Holy Communion, (See website for up-to-date information)

Wednesday:

10.30am Holy Communion [BCP]

5th July 2026

- 5th Sunday after Trinity -

*Today's Lectionary readings are
Zechariah 9:9-12, Romans 7:15-25a, and
Matthew 11:16-19. 25-end.*

Welcome: A very warm welcome to Rev'd Clare, who will be leading us through our worship this morning.

LION: The July edition of the LION (Monthly News Sheet) is now available both at the back of church and on the church website. Please be sure to take a look at a copy.

House Group: The house group will be meeting on **Wednesday at 7.15pm** and will be studying the 'Acts of the Apostles'. For more information, please speak to Janet.

Gardening Team: St Mark's church is so blessed with our award-winning gardens thanks to our amazing gardening team, and once again it's that time of the year when the gardening team need your help by requesting donations for the purchase of Summer Bedding plants, to enhance the Church gardens.

Summer Evening of Music: A date for your diaries. Come and join us for a lovely evening of music with the 'Coombs Trio of Strings' (Of which Janet Pazio is one) while enjoying cheeses and wine at St Marks church. It will take place on **25th July at 7.00pm** in the church. Tickets are £12.50 available soon from Janet.

Poppies: If you have been knitting or crocheting poppies for our display for remembrance Sunday a massive thank you. Could I ask that we start to bring those in so that we can see how we are doing. Also, if you would like to make some and need a pattern, please take one from the table at the back.

Celebrations:

(Please let me know if someone is celebrating in July)

Congratulations to Rhys and Charlotte who were married here last Sunday.



Happy Birthday to Helen Owen on 6th, Jill Potts-Ayres on 12th and Libby Hopkins 21st.

Also

Happy Anniversary to Pat and Ken Roberts on 4th and Eileen and Tony Gray on 25th.

We hope you all have a wonderful time celebrating.

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