

Abberton, Flyford Flavell, Grafton Flyford, Naunton Beauchamp, North Piddle



The Flyfords Flyer
The Flyfords Family of Churches News

Sunday 31st August 2025

The Eleventh Sunday After Trinity

Proverbs 25.6–7, Hebrews 13.1–8, 15, 16, Luke 14.1, 7–14

Dear Friends,

Hebrews closes with a beautiful vision of the Christian life: keep loving each other, practise hospitality, care for the suffering, do good and share what you have. These are acts of real worship — perhaps more precious than any hymn or sermon.

In our quiet village churches, it might feel like we're unnoticed — but these are exactly the kinds of places Jesus treasures. Hidden service, humble faith, generous hearts — these are the seeds of the kingdom.

You remain in my prayers and I hope you continue to keep safe and well.

Please continue to check on A Church Near You website for updates and news in the Flyfords - <https://www.achurchnearyou.com>

If you would like a call from me during the week, please let Caroline know on; 07514 901344 or email flyfordfamilies@gmail.com or you can call me direct.

*Blessings,
Emma*

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Services

31 st August	6pm	Drakes Broughton	Songs of Praise
7 th September	9.30am	Stoulton	Joint Churches HC
7 th September	10.30am	Drakes Broughton	Café Church
7 th September	6pm	Pirton	Holy Communion
14 th September	9.30am	Drakes Broughton	Holy Communion
21 st September	9.30am	Grafton Flyford	Holy Communion
21 st September	9.30am	Drakes Broughton	All Age Worship
21 st September	11.30am	Naunton Beauchamp	Harvest
21 st September	6pm	Pirton	Evening Prayer
28 th September	9.30am	Drakes Broughton	Holy Communion
28 th September	6pm	Grafton Flyford	Harvest Evensong
5 th October	9.30am	Stoulton	Joint Churches HC
5 th October	10.30am	Drakes Broughton	Café Church
5 th October	6pm	Pirton	Holy Communion

Services at Pershore Abbey can be seen on their pages at:

A Church Near You at - <https://www.achurchnearyou.com>

Morning Prayer continues to be streamed each Wednesday at 10am from the Rectory.

Past and present videos can be seen by following the link below:

<https://www.facebook.com/1417165101886766/live/>

There is no need to log-in, just click on the word video in Facebook's menu.

A weekly Reflection is available by contacting Caroline on 07514901344 or by email at flyfordfamilies@gmail.com

GRAFTON FLYFORD CHURCH PONY SHOW, GYMKHANA AND FUN DOG SHOW

Sunday, 31st August 2025 (In aid of Church Funds)
LIBBERY CROSSROADS
LIBBERY Nr GRAFTON FLYFORD WR7 4PE
By kind permission of Mr Michael Page

10.00a.m. Clear Round Jumping
10.30 a.m. Showing Classes
11 a.m.– 2 p.m. Handy Pony
12 noon Show Jumping
12 noon Doggie Fun
1.45 p.m. Mounted Fancy Dress
2.00p.m. Novelty Dog Classes
2.30 p.m. Gymkhana Games
£5 per rider towards the Ambulance will be charged

BARBEQUE FROM 12 NOON TEAS WITH HOMEMADE CAKES
Entries on the day. CASH ONLY.

Schedules and enquiries From Mrs Jeannie Smith Telephone 01905 381465 or
01905 22358 Email.malpasstallard@hotmail.co.uk

“CHOICE RESPONSE” PARAMEDICS IN ATTENDANCE
ALL WELCOME—NO ENTRY FEE ON THE GATE



THE FLYFORDS COFFEE MORNING

Is on the Second Thursday of each month for all members of the community.

NEXT ONE ON THE 11th SEPTEMBER!

We look forward to seeing you **Anytime between 10am – 12.30pm**
at the FLYFORDS HALL, GRAFTON FLYFORD.

An opportunity for a chat, a cuppa and cake with friends, in a safe environment. Plenty of room for parking and easy access to the hall.
Simply come along on the day.

Bring a friend - we look forward to seeing you!

The Flyfords Hall team

NAUNTON BEAUCHAMP

COFFEE AND CHAT On the first Saturday of the month

10.30am – 12.00 noon

NEXT ONE ON THE 6th SEPTEMBER!

Includes a book swap. Bring a book you have enjoyed and exchange for another good read.



Saturday 13th September

For more details and a list of churches that will be open on that day, please visit:

<https://ridestrideworcs.org/>

WHAT'S ON IN DRAKES BROUGHTON...

BARNIE BEARS BABIES AND TODDLERS GROUP In DB church every 2nd and 4th Monday of the month 10am -12midday.

HOMEMADE SOUP AND SOCIAL In DB church 1st Tuesday of the month from 12 noon.

ART GROUP In DB church on Wednesday morning 10.30-12.00:
As always it will be a lovely mix of people knitting, sewing, maybe sketching or painting...or just chatting and drinking coffee.

All Saints Worcester interviewed by ITV News about 'The Quiet Revival'



ITV Central News visited All Saints Worcester's 6pm service on Sunday 17th August at St Helen's church on Fish Street.

They interviewed three young adults from All Saints Worcester's congregation ranging in age from 18-34 and Rev Rich Johnson about 'The Quiet Revival' and the research data from The Bible Society, conducted by YouGov, that shows that more young 'Gen Z' adults are coming to church!

It was aired on ITV Central News on Wednesday 20th August. It was the third news item around 9-10 minutes in. The programme may still be available on some TV Catch up services or on ITVX.

If you are interested in learning more about 'The Quiet Revival' and the data and research behind it, The Bible Society have produced a report which is available from their website here: [The Quiet Revival](#)

BE SURE TO VISIT THE DIOCESE OF WORCESTER WEBSITE FOR VARIED INFORMATION AND NEWS ARTICLES, PLUS A WEEKLY SERMON PODCAST

There are also a variety of Training Opportunities available to all. The list is updated frequently.

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A Worcester Deanery Event



One of the Worcester Deanery's Priorities is prayer and, following the positive response to last year's 'No Limits!' event, the Deanery is hosting another one in September.

The evening will kick off with a time of worship, followed by interactive prayer sessions around Health and well-being e.g. 'Retreats', 'Life Balance', 'Ageing' and 'Education'; all within the gloriously inspiring atmosphere of this ancient church!

Refreshments will be served throughout the evening and there will be a further time of contemplative worship to close. It is hoped that the evening will appeal to all ages and stages who have a heart for prayer...or who want to be rekindled!

Do join in at St Helen's Church in Worcester on Wednesday 10 September, 7-9pm.

More information

Revd Paul Wilcox: paulfwilcox429@gmail.com.

DAILY HOPE phonline of hymns, reflections and prayers

0345 6462206

The phonline has previously operated on a free service, but now has a new number which
will be charged at the same rate as a standard UK telephone number

Prayer Diary

The Prayer Diary is produced three times a year and made available to parishes as a booklet.
The daily prayers are also posted each day on the Worcester Diocese homepage and their social
media channels.

Click on the link below to read and download your copy.

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A number of hard copies will be available in church.



**If you would like The Flyfords Flyer and/or the weekly Reflection to
come directly to your Inbox then please contact Caroline on
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We will be happy to add you to our mailing list.**

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