



## Word from RevLaura

**The readings for 3<sup>rd</sup> August are Col 3:1-11 and Luke 12:13-21 . What is God saying to you through these scriptures this week.**

The scripture we read today in morning prayer was about how the Kingdom of God being like a mustard seed. The smallest seed but it grows into a massive plant. We live in a place where nature is growing all around us. It is the same with the Church, there are many seeds in the Benefice that are growing. Faith starts small but as we develop our prayer life, read the bible and learn how Jesus wants us to live then the church grows. Prayer is the foundation of all that we do, because when we spend time conversing and listening to God (Father, Son and Holy Spirit) through prayer, we then begin to do the will of God, because we know the will of God. Time with Jesus changes how we see things and how we respond to the difficult things around us. Time with Jesus helps us believe that the impossible is possible. That is why we are gathering on a Monday to pray at 9.30am, that is why we pray on a Sunday. We will be thinking about other ways we can pray together. We the church are called to pray and to reach out into our communities together. Let us over these next month's think about how we can engage more, amen

### **August 3<sup>rd</sup> (Green)**

9.15am **St Andrew's with St Mary's, How Caple**, BCP MP (NOTE NEW TIME)

9.30am **St Peter's, Peterstow**, CW Communion

11.15am **St Bridget's, Bridstow**, MP BCP

11.15am **St John the Baptist, Kings Caple**, CW Communion

6pm **St Michael's, Sollers Hope**, Evensong

### **August 10<sup>th</sup> (white)**

11.00am **St Mary's Church, Foy**, Patronal Festival – CW Communion

3.30pm **St Peter's, Peterstow** Evensong

**Morning Prayer Monday 4<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> August at Kings Caple Church– 9.30am** (there will be no morning prayer on 18<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> August, back 1<sup>st</sup> Sept)

## **OTHER DIARY DATES**

**KINGS CAPLE:** Every 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday, “DROP INN” at Kings Caple Old School 3. – 4.30pm for Coffee, tea cake and chat.

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> August – 9am – 11am ‘The Big Breakfast at Kings Caple Old School** – Donations (suggested £5) in aid of the Church (bacon / black pudding / sausages / mushrooms / tomatoes / beans / bread/ teas & coffee

Also: is anyone interested in Bell Ringing ask if you are interested! **And we are STILL in need of a treasurer can you help URGENT NEED!**

**BRIDSTOW:** Church coffee morning 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the month – Bridstow Village Hall 10.30am – 12noon, coffee, chat, raffle, bring and buy table.

**Open Day at St Bridget's on Saturday 16th August from 2-5pm.**

Cream teas & cakes, raffle, have-a-go bellringing, games. A great afternoon for all the family.

**HOW CAPLE:** 1<sup>st</sup> TUESDAY of the month, – ZIGGISAURUS’ in Church Playgroup 10 am – 12 noon. Lots of fun for everyone.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month, in Church ‘coffee and chat’ 10.30am - 12.00.** Friendly, informal for everyone from How Caple and surrounding areas. [veritylook@aol.com](mailto:veritylook@aol.com).

**Every Friday ‘gardening club** in the churchyard’ all welcome contact Hilda: [auersperglee@outlook.com](mailto:auersperglee@outlook.com)

**PETERSTOW:** Coffee Mornings at St Peter’s 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday each month

**SELLACK:** ‘Sellack’ Summer Saturdays’. Although the church is open every day throughout the year, during July and August we try to encourage visitors. The church, including the toilet will be open every Saturday in July and August. There will be a tray left with cold drinks and flapjacks/ cakes, together with a notice encouraging people to help themselves. A welcome break for walkers. Come and visit St Tysilio’s this summer!

**SOLLERS HOPE** Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> July ‘The Whittington Way Walk’ 10.30am at Sollers Hope Church – Sollers Hope to London walk, send-off ceremony, and a talk by Heather Hurley. All welcome, refreshments – following the likely walk that young Dick and maybe his cat took to find his fortune.

### **ZOOM Meetings:**

**Mid-day prayer** – Tuesday and Thursday ID: 922 223 7750 Password: 77.

**Wednesday Bible Study** – led by Bishop Anthony (no theological background needed) For more info please contact Ann Owen ([ann@owenfamily.me.uk](mailto:ann@owenfamily.me.uk)) ID: 862 6084 4541 Password: Bible

**COMING UP - 21<sup>ST</sup> October Spiritual Question Time at the New Harp Inn, Hoarwithy, 7pm with Bishop Richard and Dean Sarah** - Eventbrite to book: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/spiritual-question-time-hoarwithy-tickets-1356210204229?aff=ebdsshcopyurl&utm-campaign=social&utm-content=attendeeshare&utm-medium=discovery&utm-term=organizer-profile&utm-share-source=organizer-profil>

**We pray for:** all who are unwell, for Mike Swinnerton, Mike Tunnicliff, Margaret Artus, Eric Powell, John Watkins and Marilyn Humphries, Maggie Lewis, Mary Purry, Ann Owen, Sally Northcott.

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