



# ***The Link Benefice***

*Serving the villages of Bawdrip, Cossington,  
Pawlett, Puriton and Woolavington*

**Vision statement:** *To live and journey together, striving to be the body of Christ, in our villages.*

## **Next Sunday – 11<sup>th</sup> January – The Baptism of Christ**

Readings: Isaiah 42:1-9, Acts 10:34-43, Matthew 3:13-end

9.30am Holy Communion, Pawlett

9.30am, Breakfast Church, Bawdrip Parish Hall

11.00am Holy Communion, Cossington

*The 11.00am service from Cossington will be livestreamed.*

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8036197054?pwd=cTJYeWRiT1NnUzNiMXA5Vy9HYTdPUT09&omn=81567941287>

Meeting ID: 803 619 7054 Passcode: 188399

## **Collect**

Eternal Father,  
Who at the Baptism of Jesus  
Revealed him to be your Son,  
Anointing Him with the Holy Spirit:  
Grant to us, who are born again by water and the Spirit  
That we may be faithful to our calling as your adopted children;  
Though Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
Who is alone and reigns with you,  
In the unity of the Holy Spirit  
One God, now and for ever.

**Amen**

## **Banns of Marriage**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Tristan Alexander Smith & Cindy-Lou Grace-Toms of Woolavington**  
to be married in Crowcombe.

## **Please pray for**

Peace in our world, fair distribution of resources.

For peace in our world.

Jenny and Lynda as they continue their ministry training.

For those exploring a call to ministry.

## **News & Notices**

**Bridgwater Foodbank** thank you for your continued support. The current needs are Long Life milk, Long life fruit juice, squash, nappies and toiletries.

**Lent Course** – following the Diocesan Year of Prayer this year's Lent Course will be 'The Prayer Course' an 8 week study on The Lord's prayer. The course will be run on Zoom starting at 2:30pm on 17<sup>th</sup> February. Please let [revkirsty@hotmail.com](mailto:revkirsty@hotmail.com) know if you would like to attend. See p.4 for more information

## **Weekly Events**

Monday	7:00pm	Bell Ringing Practice, Woolavington
	7.30pm	Bell Ringing Practice, Puriton
Tuesdays	10.30am	Coffee Morning, Puriton Clist Room
Wednesdays	10:45am	Coffee Morning, Cossington
	3.15pm	Messy Church Club, Woolavington
Thursdays	12-2:30pm	Bakeability Café Bawdrip Parish Hall
	7.30pm	Pause for Thought, Bawdrip
Fridays	2.00pm	Pop Up Choir, (resumes 6 <sup>th</sup> Feb)
	5.00pm	Choir Practice, Pawlett

## ***The diary***

Monday 12 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am	Assembly Pawlett School
	7.00pm	Woolavington PCC, Rectory
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup>	7.00pm	Puriton Parish Council Meeting
Wed 14 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Ministry Team Meeting, Rectory

2.00pm	Deanery Zoom meeting
7.00pm	Deanery Reorganisation Meeting

### **Morning Prayer on Zoom Monday – Thursday 8.30am**

[www.zoom.us/join](https://www.zoom.us/join) Meeting ID: 803 619 7054 Passcode: 188399

### **Next Sunday – 18<sup>th</sup> January, Epiphany 2**

#### *Week of Prayer for Christian Unity*

Readings: Isaiah 49:1-7, 1 Corinthians 1:1-9, John 1:29-42

- 8.00am Holy Communion, Puriton
- 9.30am Holy Communion, Woolavington
- 11.00am Holy Communion, Bawdrip
- 11.00am Songs of Praise, Cossington

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# Lent Course 2026



An 8-week course based on The Lord's Prayer. Luke 11:1-5

2.30pm on Zoom [www.zoom.us/join](https://www.zoom.us/join)

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Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> February – Why Pray?

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> February – Adoration

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> March – Petition

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March - Intercession

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March – Unanswered Prayer

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> March - Contemplation

Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> March – Listening

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> April – Spiritual Warfare.



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Year of Prayer

*It is hoped to record the sessions and make them available on the church Facebook page for those unable to attend.*

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