



LOOKING AHEAD:



HOLY COMMUNION BENEFICE SERVICE

with BISHOP PHILIP

Sunday August 30th 10.30

St John the Baptist, Church Lane,
Burley, BH24 4AP



We are delighted to be welcoming Bishop Philip to come and lead us in worship so make a note in your diary now!

Bishop Philip Mountstephen became Bishop of Winchester in 2023 having previously been Bishop of Truro. He has worked for the Church Mission Society and the Church Pastoral Aid Society as well as serving in Parish Ministry.

As we have limited parking outside the Church please note that you can park up the hill at the school or in the village car park, a short walk away.

MAKING POPPIES FOR REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY IN BURLEY

The Knit and Stitch group with the help of villagers are all busy knitting or crocheting poppies to remember our brave young men. We are beginning to attach them to our netting which is making us realise how many more we need to make a cascade of them!! If you would like to help us by making a poppy we would be very grateful. You can drop them into the box at the back of Burley Church anytime.



NEW FOREST EDGE BENEFICE

NEWSLETTER for Sunday 19th July



*Please send all newsletter contributions by Wednesday evening to
pam.masonsmith@gmail.com or message 07850 984571.*

Services for Sunday 19th July

- 9.00 Hinton - Communion with Rev. Richard Emblin
- 9.00 Thorney Hill - Communion with Rev. Ian
- 10.30 Bransgore - Service with Oliver Rundell
- 10.30 Burley - Communion with Rev. Ian
- 11.00 Sopley - Communion with Rev Mo



Sunday, 19th July
is **The Seventh
Sunday after
Trinity.**

In the liturgical calendar, it marks the middle of the "Ordinary Time" period following Pentecost, focusing on themes of spiritual growth, prayer, and living out Christian discipleship.

During Ordinary Time the altar frontals in Church are GREEN

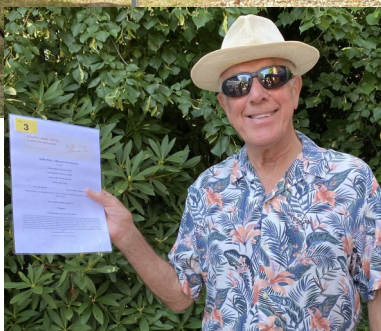
Holding a grudge
doesn't make
you strong, it
makes you bitter.
Forgiving doesn't
make you weak,
it sets you free.





NEWS FROM AROUND OUR BENEFICE

Last weekend was the Summer Garden Party at St Michael's and All Angels at Hinton—the 240th anniversary garden party believe it or not!. The gazebo's were not to keep off the rain but the sunshine! The raffle was popular and Lizzie won the first prize of a hundred pounds! Here are some pictures of a great day:



Can you just imagine the joy of 2,500 people gathered on Boscombe beach over 2 days a few weeks ago to witness 120 young people being baptised in the sea. They were from the Churches of St Swithun's, St Clement's and St Andrew's in Bournemouth.



Don't forget about



St Mary's Bransgore
Friday mornings 9am

FareShare is NOT a food bank - it's helping to stop food waste from supermarkets going into landfill.

Come along, have a coffee and chat to find out more.



Reverend Simon Newham who you may remember came to talk to us about becoming a working together benefice a few months ago is the acting Assistant Archdeacon of Bournemouth at the moment as well as an Area Dean and Vicar of Brockenhurst, Boldre and South Baddesley! He will be coming back to us in September to run an all day workshop on being a Benefice. Our 'homework' was to see what our particular church would like to focus on and was good at eg children's ministry. **Do we know the answer for our own Church yet?**

Revd Dr Gemma Foster will be officially licensed as the **Archdeacon of Bournemouth** in September 2026.