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Church E-News

from the Parish of Fladbury, Hill & Moor, Wyre Piddle, Cropthorne & Charlton
and the Parish of Bishampton & Throckmorton

Sunday 16th August

11.00am - Holy Communion - Cropthorne

Wedding

Saturday 15th August at 2pm at Cropthorne - Laura Greening and David Honey

Living for Eternity - Knowing the God of Forever

“What a joy to discover that nothing about God is temporary.....God is not just our Father for a moment but for eternity, not crumbling sand but the Rock that remains, not just my Good Shepherd today but forever, not only the One who created me but the Eternal Creator who is constantly working for good in my life and always will be. All that God is, God always is” writes Kate Patterson in her book of the above title. Kate writes about how when we set our lives towards the eternal, we live differently. Anticipation of the destination changes the journey, and more, in that we discover eternity is not only about the future. Eternal life is found in knowing the ever-present eternal God in the here and now.

This is an advance notice and invitation to come along to four Wednesday evenings in November (4th, 11th, 18th and 25th) at Cropthorne Village Hall to discuss (or listen to others discuss) chapters of this book. “Living for Eternity – Knowing the God of Forever” by Kate Patterson is available for £12.99 from Muddy Pearl Publishers

<https://muddypearl.com/product/books/biography-and-spiritual-memoir/living-for-eternity/> An E-book is also available from the same publisher. Getting a copy to start

Sustainable Floral Art

You are warmly invited to come along to St James Bishampton on **Wednesday 26 August at 7.30 pm** for a talk and demonstration on how to arrange flowers sustainably, [particularly in church] avoiding using oasis, or similar.

Renata, an award winning Master Florist, currently based in Pershore, is coming to give us advice and tips on how to produce pedestal and free standing arrangements, if you have a tricky location, bring along a photo and she will advise on that too.

Renata will also give details of local growers where we can purchase flowers to further assist in our drive for sustainability.

£5 a ticket to include a drink and nibbles. If you could let us know if you are likely to attend so that we can best arrange seating in the church it would be appreciated.

Thank you



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Prayer Requests

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CHURCH SERVICES

AUGUST 2026

Sunday 2nd August

11:00 Benefice Holy Communion inside Throckmorton Church, followed by picnic - bring your own picnic food & chairs, or sit in church.

Sunday 9th August

11:00 Holy Communion Wyre Piddle

Sunday 16th August

11:00 Holy Communion Cropthorne

Sunday 23rd August

11:00 Holy Communion Bishampton

Sunday 30th August

11:00 Holy Communion Lower Moor

Sunday 6th September

9:30 Harvest Celebration Charlton
followed by Harvest Brunch, Old School Room
11:00 Holy Communion Fladbury

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