



The White Horse
Team Ministry

NOTICE SHEET

6 & 13 Sept 2026 – 14th & 15th Sunday after Trinity

THE COLLECT

6 Sept: Merciful God, your Son came to save us and bore our sins on the cross: may we trust in your mercy and know your love, rejoicing in the righteousness that is ours through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

13 Sept: Lord God, defend your Church from all false teaching and give to your people knowledge of your truth, that we may enjoy eternal life in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SERVICES – THIS WEEK

Celebrating the festival of creation in Christ

Sun **6 Sept** – Holy Trinity: 9.30am P&W. All Saints: 9.30am Holy Communion. **Readings:** Isaiah 55:12-end OR Ezekiel: 33. 7-11. Matthew 8;23-27 OR Matthew: 18. 15-20. Wed **9 Sept** – All Saints: 9.30am First Steps to Worship. Chantry Court: 11am Holy Communion.

IN OUR PRAYERS

We were sorry to learn that Chris Perrin, husband to Jane, sadly passed away on Tues 18 Aug. Please include Jane and their family in your prayers. A thanksgiving service is being held for him on **31 Oct**, more details to follow. Please also pray for all our Children and Teachers as they return to School.

WEEKLY JOY AND PRAISE

This week we are celebrating all the *brand-new* opportunities that have been created with God to deepen our faith together, these include: Godparent Day, Celtic Praise, Dilton Home Group, Westbury Pilgrim Group, Dreaming Dreams Children & Families Vision Day and our Celebration Service in October. Psalm 100 (NIV): **His Steadfast Love Endures Forever.** ¹Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth. ²Worship the Lord with gladness; come before him with joyful songs. ³Know that the Lord is God. It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture. ⁴Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name. ⁵For the Lord is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations. Amen.

LAST CHANCE TO SIGN UP

For the Dreaming Dreams Vision Day on Sat **12 Sept** - 9.30am–3.00pm - to review our mission with our children, families and schools. There will be worship, prayer and group work. Contact Rev'd Rebecca if you intend on coming and the Westbury venue address will be sent to you. **If you are unable to come but would still like to participate, further opportunities will be arranged after the Vision Day has been held.**

CELEBRATION FOR ALL THAT IS GOOD

We are a joyful, prayerful and supportive congregation and we have so much to be grateful for. Your efforts and kindness are noticed and deeply appreciated. So much so that we shall be having a special Team Service on **18 Oct**, 10am, at All Saints Church - where we are going to be giving thanks for everything you offer to the church; your prayer, presence, time, offerings and skills. **Please keep this morning free!** More details to follow.

PRIVATE PRAYER GROUP

You can ask for confidential prayers for yourself or, with their permission, for your family and friends. During these two weeks contact: Rev'd Tracey for Dilton Marsh and Rev'd Rebecca for Westbury.

PASTORAL CARE AND SUPPORT

If you would like a chat, prayers, spiritual, pastoral, or practical support, please do get in touch with a member of the White Horse Team Ministry. Home visits can be requested for Holy Communion too.

STARTING TOMORROW!

Don't miss out on the opportunity to join our new Pilgrim Home Group on Mon mornings, 10.30-12noon. We shall meet in the home of one of our Westbury members. To join, even if you are unable to do the first few sessions, please contact Rev'd Rebecca. The group is open to all in Westbury or DM

THE QUIET GARDEN AT CHALFORD MANOR

Is open once a month for a day of prayer and quiet reflection – with a different speaker each time. The next one is **6 Oct**. Look out for a small supply of leaflets in church or visit: www.greatchalford.co.uk

NEWS FROM ALL SAINTS CHURCH

HARVEST THANKSGIVING SERVICE: will be on **27 Sept** at 10am and all are welcome. Members from our uniformed groups have also been invited to join us. Your kind donations of non-perishable items will be sent to Westbury Food Bank.

HARVEST GIVING LUNCH: will be held in the Parish Hall at 12noon on **27 Sept**. You are all invited – to book your place, please add your name to the sign-up sheet in church.

MOTHERS UNION: The venue of our next meeting has changed. Join us on Wed **9 Sept** at 90 Westbury Leigh. Speaker is: Lesley Longworth (Artist paintings). Speak to one of us to find out the time.

REGULAR WORKING PARTY: will be at All Saints on **12 Sept.** 9.30-1pm. Less physical and light tasks are available. All are welcome to join us.

CONGRATULATIONS: Celebrating his 70th year of bell ringing a gentleman who lives in Westbury Leigh will ring our bells on **12 Sept** 11.15-midday.

STARTING SOON: Tea, Toast and Talk starts on **14 Sept** at Westbury CofE Junior School on Mon's (term time), 8.30-10am, in their Family Hub. It's FREE and is aimed at supporting parents and care givers.

BAPTISM PREPARATION SESSION: Rev'd Rebecca is holding the next one on Sun **20 Sept**, 2.30pm at All Saints. If you know of anyone considering a baptism, please ask them to contact the Parish Office to be included.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY: Join us for Tea, Cake and Company on Tues **22 Sept**, 3pm-4pm at All Saints Church. You are very welcome indeed.

CHURCHWARDEN QUERIES: whilst we are without a churchwarden, please share any questions or concerns with a member of the Westbury PCC. Please also join us in praying for someone to emerge for this role in the coming months.

NEWS FROM HOLY TRINITY

HOME GROUP! If you would like to find out more about the bi-weekly Home Group starting **Tomorrow** (Mon **7 Sept**), 7pm-9pm, at The Vicarage, The Hollow, Dilton Marsh - please speak to Tess/Sonja

CHILDRENS BIBLES: I would like to thank you for the generous donations we have received so far towards the Children's Bibles. We are still continuing our appeal, and if supporting the gift of a Bible for new reception children at Dilton Marsh Primary School feels right for you, your contribution would be truly appreciated. *Rev'd Tracey.*

HARVEST FESTIVAL SERVICE: will be on **4 Oct**, at Holy Trinity. More details to follow.

EXCITING EVENT: Our Autumnal Variety Evening in DM will be on **17 Oct**. More details to follow.

PCC NEWS: The next meeting for the PCC is on Wed **9 Sept**. If you have anything you would like them to consider, please contact one of the PCC members **ASAP**. A copy of all our policies are now in the church for your perusal. They cover: Lone Working, Safeguarding, Health & Safety and much more.

WOMAN OF INFLUENCE: Join Mothers Union on Tue **6 Oct** for an interesting talk on this topic. For more info: jocelynpsshort@gmail.com To watch a YouTube video made by Jocelyn about Mothers Union for the White Horse Team Newsletter, visit: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qkjTCVKRNJ8>

ITS ALMOST HERE: The sewing day to make more pads is on Sat **12 Sept**, 10am 4pm, in DM Memorial Hall (we will not be affected by the repairs being made to the hall). All are welcome to join us for the whole or part of the day. Home kits are available to contribute from home. Please let Lynne know if you're able to take part, even in just a small way: vercoelynne@gmail.com

YOUR CHURCH NEEDS YOU: On Sat **19 Sept**. let's join together and take care of our church in readiness for the Big Band event at the end of Sept. There are a variety of tasks and you don't necessarily need to stay all morning. Please add your name to the sign-up sheet in church.

TIME TO GET YOUR TICKETS: join us on Wed **30 Sept** at Holy Trinity Church, 7.30pm, for an evening of Jazz, Swing and Latin with the Bath Community Big Band. Tickets £10 each: includes a glass of wine/soft drink. You can pay on the door or in advance from Tess/Garth: 01373 822414. In aid of Dorothy House and our Organ Fund.

COMMUNITY COFFEE MORNING: You will find us at The Weavers **every Wed** morning from 10.30-12noon All Welcome! We would love to see you.

THE NEXT COMMUNITY COFFEE & TABLE-TOP MORNING: is on Sat **3 Oct**, 10am-12noon.

COMMUNITY BLESSINGS: During **September**, please join us in praying for those living and working in Clearwood and Clivey.

UPDATE: The singing group will not be held in September, but it will resume in October.

NEWS FROM THE TIN CHURCH

CELTIC PRAISE: is returning to the Tin Church with Rev'd Tracey **Today** (Sun **6 Sept**) at 6pm. The service will include the beautiful Taizé Prayer.

DO YOU HAVE YOUR TICKET: for the Bingo Night on **19 Sept**, 6.30pm with a 7pm start. There will be games, supper & prizes. Bring your own drinks. To book tickets to attend contact: bhaggerty@hotmail.co.uk / 07990556727

HARVEST FESTIVAL: It's that time of the year for this lovely gathering at the Tin Church on Sun **27 Sept** at 7.30pm. All welcome.

WESTBURY AREA CHURCHES TOGETHER

CHRISTIAN WAY: magazine pulls together events, news and info. from all churches in Westbury. Contact Isabel for a copy of the NEW edition out now!

WACT MEETING: is on Thur **10 Sept** at the Methodist Church. If you have anything you'd like them to consider, please speak to Keith Melford (Treasurer), Isabel, Rev'd Rebecca or Rev'd Tracey.

HEALING CAFÉ: Tues 15 Sept, 11.30-1.00pm at Crosspoint Market Place. This will run monthly.

WACT TOWN PRAYERS: are at 2.30pm on Tuesdays at West End Baptist Church during **Sept**.

WACT SECRETARY AND CONTACT: Isabel Osborne: osborne110@outlook.com / 01373858121

WHITE HORSE COMMUNITY HUB NEWS

WHAT IS WHICH: We are a charity which has recently been set up to focus on making improvements to the All Saints Parish Hall. **THRILLED TO SHARE:** The charity has been chosen as one of the Westbury Mayors charities for the year! **OUR NEXT OPEN DAY:** is on **19 Sept**, 1-4pm, offering FREE kids crafting to coincide with the Chilli Festival. You are all welcome to join in with the crafts or just for a free drink. **FOR HALL BOOKINGS:** Contact the Parish Office.

NOTICE ABOUT THE NOTICE SHEETS!

Due to annual leave, the next one will be on **19 Sept**

SERVICE DIARY **All welcome**

CELTIC PRAISE: held monthly at the Tin Church. Starting on **6 Sept** at 6pm **Today**

FIRST STEPS TO WORSHIP: is returning on **9 Sept** at 9.30am, every Wed (term time), in All Saints Church. This is a group for pre-school children & carers with a story, songs, juice, biscuits.

TEAM CELEBRATION SERVICE: on **18 Oct**. 10am, with Communion at All Saints – more info to follow.

MAYOR CIVIC SERVICE: on **18 Oct**, 3pm at All Saints for Carol King – more details to follow.

SERVICES – NEXT TWO WEEKS

13 Sept – Holy Trinity: 9.30am Holy Communion. All Saints: 9.30am HC. Café Church, Westbury Juniors: 9.45am. Holy Saviour: 11am HC **Readings:** Genesis: 50.15-21. Matthew: 18.21-35 **16 Sept** – All Saints: 9.30am First Steps to Worship. Chantry Court: 11am Holy HC.

20 Sept – Holy Trinity: 9.45am Café Church. All Saints: 9.30am HC. Holy Saviour: 11am HC. **Readings:** Jonah: 3.10-end of 4. Matthew: 20.1-16 **23 Sept** - All Saints: 9.30am First Steps to Worship. Chantry Court: 11am Holy HC.

WHITE HORSE TEAM CONTACT DETAILS

Team Rector, Revd Rebecca Harris: 01373 822209 or teamrector@whtministry.org.uk.
(not available Fridays).

Pioneer Team Vicar, Revd Tracey Hallett: pioneerteamvicar@whtministry.org.uk or 07474 944063 (rest day on Fridays).

Parish Office: Michelle Coleman, Team Administrator: office@whtministry.org.uk OR 01373 859450. *On leave until 16 Sept*

Comms Team: To send any church related news or events: whtcomms@whtministry.org.uk