



The Benefice of Long Barrow

Pimperne • Stourpaine • Durweston with Bryanston
Tarrant Hinton • Tarrant Gunville • Tarrant Monkton with Launceston

Pews News for 20th September 2026

Contact your Church Wardens if there are any enquiries regarding Weddings, Baptisms, Funerals and churchyard memorials)

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We are now in a period of Interregnum if you have any questions then please direct them to your Church Wardens, contact details on Page 4

Services for the week

Day	Time	Service	Location
20th <i>Trinity 16</i>	09:30	Holy Communion	Holy Trinity, Stourpaine
	11:00	Holy Communion	St Mary, Tarrant Gunville
	18:00	Evening Prayer	St Nicholas, Durweston
Monday	09:00	Morning Prayer	Zoom
Wednesday	10:00	Morning Prayer	Holy Trinity, Stourpaine
Thursday	20:00	Compline	Zoom
Friday	09:00	Morning Prayer	Zoom
27th <i>Trinity 17</i>	09:15	Holy Communion	St Peter, Pimperne
	10:30	Worship for All	All Saints, Tarrant Monkton
	11:00	Holy Communion	St Mary, Tarrant Hinton
	18:00	Evensong	Holy Trinity, Stourpaine

Collect for 20th September 2026

O Lord, we beseech you mercifully to hear
the prayers of your people who call upon you;
and grant that they may both perceive and know what things they ought
to do,
and also may have grace and power faithfully to fulfil them;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

First Reading

Philippians 1.21-end

²¹For to me, living is Christ and dying is gain. ²²If I am to live in the flesh, that means fruitful labour for me; and I do not know which I prefer. ²³I am hard pressed between the two: my desire is to depart and be with Christ, for that is far better; ²⁴but to remain in the flesh is more necessary for you. ²⁵Since I am convinced of this, I know that I will remain and continue with all of you for your progress and joy in faith, ²⁶so that I may share abundantly in your boasting in Christ Jesus when I come to you again.

²⁷ Only, live your life in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that, whether I come and see you or am absent and hear about you, I will know that you are standing firm in one spirit, striving side by side with one mind for the faith of the gospel, ²⁸and are in no way intimidated by your opponents. For them this is evidence of their destruction, but of your salvation. And this is God's doing. ²⁹For he has graciously granted you the privilege not only of believing in Christ, but of suffering for him as well — ³⁰since you are having the same struggle that you saw I had and now hear that I still have.

Gospel

Matthew 20.1-16

The Labourers in the Vineyard

²⁰For the kingdom of heaven is like a landowner who went out early in the morning to hire labourers for his vineyard. ²After agreeing with the labourers for the usual daily wage, he sent them into his vineyard. ³When he went out about nine o'clock, he saw others standing idle in the market-place; ⁴and he said to them, "You also go into the vineyard, and I will pay you whatever is right." So they went. ⁵When he went out again about noon and about three o'clock, he did the same. ⁶And about five o'clock he went out and found others standing around; and he said to them, "Why are you standing here idle all day?" ⁷They said to him, "Because no one has hired us." He said to them, "You also go into the vineyard." ⁸When evening came, the owner of the vineyard said to his manager, "Call the labourers and give them their pay, beginning with the last and then going to the first." ⁹When those hired about five o'clock came, each of them received the usual daily wage. ¹⁰Now when the first came, they thought they would receive more; but each of them also received the usual daily wage. ¹¹And when they received it, they grumbled against the landowner, ¹²saying, "These last worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us who have borne the burden of the day and the scorching heat." ¹³But he replied to one of them, "Friend, I am doing you no wrong; did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage? ¹⁴Take what belongs to you and go; I choose to give to this last the same as I give to you. ¹⁵Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or are you envious because I am generous?" ¹⁶So the last will be first, and the first will be last.'



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THROUGH
**MUSIC &
READINGS**

INCLUDING MUSIC FROM
HANDEL'S MESSIAH
AND MORE HYMNS TO JOIN IN WITH



ADVENT

*Hope in
His coming*

O Come,
O Come,
Emmanuel



CHRISTMAS

*Joy at
His birth*

Glory to God
in the highest



HOLY WEEK

*Grace in
His sacrifice*

Behold the
Lamb of God
Surely



EASTER

*Victory in
His resurrection*

Since by Man
came Death



PENTECOST

*Power in
His Spirit*

Come Down,
O Love Divine



HARVEST

*Thankfulness
for His gifts*

Come Ye
Thankful People



ALL SAINTS

*Glory in
His kingdom*

For All
the Saints



SUNDAY

11 OCTOBER 2026

4:00 PM

BLANDFORD PARISH CHURCH

Blandford Forum DT11 7AD

SINGERS FROM

Milton and Blandford Deanery church choirs



**ALL ARE
WELCOME!**

Come and be part of
this joyful celebration.



RETIRING COLLECTION
for the Diocesan Sudan Link



**DIOCESAN
SUDAN LINK**

PIMPERNE INDOOR BOOT SALE

Saturday 26 September, 11am-4pm • Pimperne Village Hall

BUY • SELL • DECLUTTER • BAG A BARGAIN!

Pre-loved goods only
(no new goods or trade stalls)



Clear out your cupboards, loft, wardrobe or garage!

Bring your cash to find new treasures!
refreshments available

Want to sell?

(table dimensions are approximate)

- Small table (3') £5
- Large table (6') £10
- Add a clothes rail £5 per rail (BYO)

BOOKING AND PAYMENT IN ADVANCE ONLY.
LIMITED SPACES. NO REFUNDS.

Table fees go to St Peter's Church, Pimperne

To book your space contact Carole Beckford: 07979 524284 or email
carolebeckford222@gmail.com

Saturday 26 September, 11am-4pm, Pimperne Village Hall

Scan the code to save
details on your phone!



(point your smartphone camera at the box
above and open the link it gives you)



God says you are

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Special
lovely
Precious
CHOSEN
FORGIVEN



Seasoned logs, full load of pick up van.
£100. Contact Gary. 07801133836



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