



October 2022

Newsletter of the Churches of Ashby St. Ledgers, Braunston and Welton

SUNDAY SERVICES

2nd October **Braunston** (Communion)

9th October **Ashby** (Communion)

16th October **Harvest** (The barn at Bragborough Hall Farm) followed by lunch. (The entrance is on the lane from Braunston to Welton).

23rd October **2.30pm Braunston** (Licensing of the Rev. Kathryn Evans)

30th October **Welton** (All Souls Day Communion, led by Rev. Kathryn Evans)

All Services are at 10.30am unless otherwise stated. Coffee and edible goodies available from 10am.

Please bring a mug and we will fill it.

Wednesday Zoom mid-week communion services 7pm. Please see your church warden to go on the e-mail list

THE PARISHES OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY & ST LEODEGARIUS, ASHBY ST LEDGERS, ALL SAINTS, BRAUNSTON AND ST MARTINS, WELTON

The Licensing of our new vicar, Reverend Kathryn Evans, will take place on Sunday 23rd October, 2.30pm at All Saints, Braunston. The service will be led by Bishop John Holbrook, Bishop of Brixworth and the Venerable Richard Ormston, Archdeacon of Northampton.

PROPOSALS AFFECTING THE BENEFICE OF DAVENTRY

A Notice giving the objects of a proposed pastoral scheme affecting our parishes has or will be displayed near the main doors of our church buildings and is on the Church of England website. The Notice includes the last date by which representations regarding the proposed reorganisation may be made to the Church Commissioners.

<https://www.churchofengland.org/consultation/Daventry>

The Church of the Blessed Virgin Mary and St. Leodegarius. Ashby St. Ledgers

Rev. John Stevenson, Parochial Church Council and Friends request the pleasure of your company at the

Patronal Festival and Friends' Day on Saturday 1st October 2022

beginning with The Festival Eucharist at 11.00am

Lunch will be served in the Village Hall at 1pm £10 per head.

RSVP Mrs J. Weaver, 10 The Stook, Daventry, NN11 0SB or telephone 01327 312045

Please let Janet know if you are staying for lunch, and if so, any special dietary requirements.

Prayer Chain

If you would like to be included in the prayer chain and receive a copy of the prayer chain or receive prayer for yourself, please contact either suejennens21@gmail.com or your church warden. The list is updated each month (first names only).

Outdoor Family Church

We have now organised two Outdoor Family Church sessions in and around the Scout Den in Braunston. We have searched for lost coins in the woods (linked to one of Jesus' parables); found mini-beasts and built them hibernation hotels (linked to the parable of the wise man who build his house on a firm foundation); made pictures; played with toys; played hide and seek in the woods; sung; prayed and eaten a lot of bacon, sausage, rolls and croissants.

Instead of an October Outdoor Family Church, we are inviting our "regulars" to the Harvest Service at Bragborough Hall Farm.

If you would like to be involved in future, please see Sandra Stapley, Jackie Hibbert or Suzanne Goodyer

Thank you to the organisers and sponsors of the annual **Ride & Stride** which took place on Saturday 10th September. Sponsor monies are still being collected and we will know final amounts in due course.

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Braunston:

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Facebook: All Saints Church Braunston

Ashby St. Ledgers:

Facebook: Ashby St Ledgers Church

Welton:

Website: www.stmartinswelton.org.uk

Facebook: St Martin's Church Welton

The Churchwardens do a fabulous job keeping our churches organised, warm, ready for services, welcoming, etc. etc. You can support them in little ways, e.g. pray for them; check on their welfare; look out for newcomers to church and make sure they feel welcome.

A verse for October

May the God of endurance and encouragement grant you to live in such harmony with one another, in accord with Christ Jesus, that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. *Romans 15:5-6*

Please send all contributions for the November Edition of the Newsletter to Jackie at safeguarding@stmartinswelton.org.uk by 18th October.

If you would like to receive this newsletter and other church notifications by e-mail, please contact your church warden (details above)