

**Calendar for 18th to 25th July  
2021**

**Sunday 18th July – Trinity 7**

8am and 10am services led by the Rev. Sally Prendergast

Readings: 2 Samuel 7.1-14a; Ephesians 2.11-end; Mark 6.30-34,53-end.

8.00am Communion (Book of Common Prayer) – **St Peter and St Paul**

10.00am Parish Communion – **St Peter and St Paul and live on-line**

6.00pm Evening Prayer – **St Peter and St Paul**

**Wednesday 21st July**

10.30am Coffee 'n' Share in the Oldham Hall. Please contact Catherine James for details (timandcatherinejames@gmail.com).

**Sunday 25th July – Trinity 8**

8.00am Communion (Book of Common Prayer) – **St Peter and St Paul**

10.00am Parish Communion – **St Peter and St Paul and live on-line**

11.30am Matins – **Little Hampden**

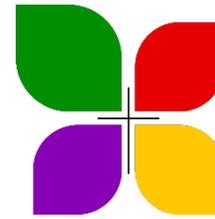
6.00pm Choral Evensong – **St Peter and St Paul**

**STAFF AVAILABILITY:**

*Please ring Tricia to fix a time for a chat in the week*

*Licensed Lay Minister: Patricia Neale 863 348 tricianeale8@gmail.com*

*Parish Office: Harriet Lemon 862 352 office@missendenchurch.org.uk*



**St Peter and St Paul  
Great Missenden  
St Mary's Ballinger  
Little Hampden**

**Helping one another to Know, to  
Serve and to Share God's love**

**18th July 2021**

**Trinity 7**

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This week please pray:

- with thanksgiving for a weekend of sport for everyone's pleasure;
  - for countries in deep distress with Covid increasing;
  - lead us from fear to trust, from error to truth, from despair to hope and peace.
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'Rejoice; let your gentleness be known to everyone...the Lord is near...'

Philippians 4.4

We welcome the Rev. Sally Prendergast to lead our 8am and 10am services

**Website: [www.missendenchurch.org.uk](http://www.missendenchurch.org.uk)**

### Collect

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; 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.

### Post Communion

Lord God, whose Son is the true vine and the source of life, ever giving himself that the world may live: may we so receive within ourselves the power of his death and passion that, in his saving cup, we may share his glory and be made perfect in his love; for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

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**Worship during Covid:** all services may now be attended by a congregation.

The 10am service will also be livestreamed each week at [www.facebook.com/greatmissendenchurch](http://www.facebook.com/greatmissendenchurch) (any other services to be livestreamed will be noted as such in the calendar). Livestreamed services can be seen on Facebook afterwards.

Please observe the following to help protect one another:

- only come to church if you are free of any symptoms and not expected to self-isolate;
- face coverings must be worn unless exempt. Please keep these on whenever you are in the church grounds;
- sanitise your hands when arriving at and leaving church;
- use the QR code to sign in or give the sidesperson your details;
- sit only in pews with green ticks and 2m distance from other households;
- take particular care to distance from others when arriving and leaving, filling from the front and leaving from the back;
- collection plate and contactless reader will remain near the door – contactless is safest;
- Communion is wafer only and the priest will come to you;
- toilets are open – please keep your mask on and wipe down all surfaces you touch.

**After Service Coffee.** After Service Coffees have re-started after our 10am services. Please collect your coffee and join us outside the church.

**Evening Services.** We are delighted that evening services have re-started. Please join us for Evening Prayer at 6pm each Sunday at St Peter and St Paul and for Choral Evensong on the last Sunday of every month (not including August).

**Cream Teas** are re-starting next Sunday, 25th July, with occasional music. We are looking forward to seeing everyone!

**Get involved in your Church, its Operation and new Vicar.** The Annual Parochial Church Meeting will be held on Wednesday, 28th July, in the Oldham Hall at 7.30pm. All are invited to attend. The Annual Report is available on the church website. Nominations are now open for membership of the PCC. If you'd like to help us during these interesting times, please see the forms that are displayed in the Churches.

**Next Stages – Watch this space.** The PCC is reviewing plans for use of the Churches and services following the opening up on Monday. More details will be available soon.

**Covid Test Kits and Testing.** Buckinghamshire Council's Covid-19 Rapid Testing Service is visiting St Peter and St Paul *today at 10.30am*. This will allow you to be tested, if you wish to partake, and be coached in how to administer a home test. They will also have a supply of home test kits to distribute. Please take up the offer if you can.

**It's really easy! Make coffee, tea and have a chat.** Could you spare just over an hour early morning to do this on Wednesday or Friday? If so, please contact Martin Webster on 01494 862 000. There may be a bit of washing up too.

There will be a **Table Top Sale for Rennie Grove Hospice** on 24th July, 10am, outside the Library of home-made cakes and nearly new gifts. To donate cakes contact Jill on 07846 534301.

**Financial Grants from Great Missenden Church of England School Charity** are available for young people between 18-25 years of age who live in the parish of Great Missenden or attended Great Missenden Church of England Combined School, and who now need some financial assistance to: pay fees and/or buy books, instruments etc. for a higher education course; enter an apprenticeship, trade or service; or finance educational travel with relevance to either of these. Please send your application in writing with your details, the course or profession you intend to follow and where you hope to study by email to: Elizabeth Webster (Grant Application Secretary) at [gmsch.trustees@gmail.com](mailto:gmsch.trustees@gmail.com) by no later than 30th September 2021.

**Going Free. Phone/plain paper fax and copier.** Please speak to Keith Miles if interested. Or a **Display Screen** about 17". In all instances you can also speak to Harriet.

**Bucks Culture Open Weekend, 22-25 July.** As part of the weekend, the Roald Dahl museum are publishing a self-guided walk around the village which visits stops with a connection to Roald Dahl, including his grave. You may want to take a look!