

**Calendar for 31st July to 7th  
August 2022**

**Sunday 31st July – Trinity 7**

Readings: Hosea 11.1-11; Colossians 3.1-11; Luke 12.13-21

**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**

**3.00pm** Cream Teas – **St Peter and St Paul**

**6.00pm** Evensong – **Little Hampden**

**Wednesday 3rd August**

**10.00am** Ukrainian Guests Coffee Morning with Host Families – **St Mary's Church, Ballinger.**

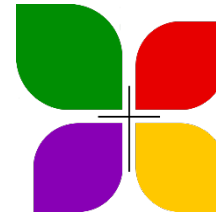
**Sunday 7th August – Trinity 8**

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

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

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

**31st July – Trinity 7**

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Please include in your prayers:

- shortages in the medical profession here and worldwide;
- success in restoring grain exports from Ukraine;
- renewal and refreshment during the holiday season;
- all living in fear and shortage of necessities of life.

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'O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;  
for his steadfast love endures for ever.'

Psalm 107.1

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Please drive Peacefully through the churchyard.

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### 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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**Current Covid Arrangements.** Please only come to church if you are Covid free. Be sensitive to your neighbours as they may feel differently from you about social distancing and mask wearing. Communion is still in the transept following a one-way system and includes the priest dipping the wafer into the wine. If you don't want this please indicate to the priest, and please do not dip the wafer yourself. Remember there is hand sanitiser available at the door.

**Rotas Correction.** Further to last week's notice, please note that Brenda Harris will be taking over the production of the rota and that Kathleen Mustoe will be co-ordinating the readers. Thank you to both Brenda and Kathleen.

**The Choir** and Wendy are taking a break during August. We are very grateful to Graeme and Adrian who will be playing for our 10am services during this time. We look forward to re-uniting in September!

**Services at St Mary's Church, Ballinger.** There will be no services at St Mary's during August. You are very welcome to attend the services at St Peter and St Paul instead.

**Ballinger Host English as a Second Language (ESL).** St Mary's Church, which was originally a school, will be hosting adult English lessons for our Ukrainian guests this August. We therefore ask if you can avoid visiting, if possible, between 8th – 19th August (weekdays) 9am-3pm. Many thanks.

**The Wednesday Coffee Mornings for our Ukrainian Guests** will continue as normal on 3rd August, but will then take a break on 10th and 17th August to allow for the ESL course mentioned above. Coffees will resume on 24th August. If you can help, please contact Anne, Maggi or Chloe.

**PCC meeting.** The next meeting of the PCC will be on Tuesday 9th August at 7.30pm in Church. Members of the congregation are welcome to attend the meeting.

**Summer Finale Picnic.** 10th September, 12noon - 4pm at St Peter and St Paul. Enjoy an afternoon catching up with old friends and making new ones. Join us for Craft Activities, Summer Sports for all ages and abilities, and a Bear Hunt. Food will be provided, but feel free to bring your own along too with a rug to sit on.

**Help in the Community: Family Friday Lunch.** It is becoming apparent that there are some families locally experiencing financial hardship and various schemes are being set up to see what can be done.

One initiative being set up is a 'Family Friday Lunch' being run at the Great Missenden Baptist Church from 11.30am-1.30pm on August 5th, 19th and 26th. This will include a packed/cold buffet, a craft activity and a story,

The Baptist Church resources are very small at this time and more help is needed. If anyone is able to volunteer for this project on any or all of these dates, please contact Nicki Pitt: 07395 032 432.

From the Outreach Team

**A Wonderful Music Evening** at St Peter and St Paul. Hear Orlando Jopling play the Three Bach Cello Suites – save the date of 3rd September at 7.30pm. Tickets will be £15, students £5, incl. refreshments. On sale from 1st August.

**Do your shop online?** Then by using either of these platforms you can give for free to Church.

**Easyfundraising:** register on their website, choosing 'Missenden Church', then any order you place through over 6,000 retailers (including John Lewis and M&S) will result in a varying donation to the church.

**Amazon Smile:** this is a programme that donates ½% of your eligible purchases on Amazon to a charity of your choice. Have you set up yours? All you need to do is start your shopping at smile.amazon.com. The donation will be made at no extra cost to you and you can choose from over one million public charitable organisations including "The Parochial Church Council Of The Ecclesiastical Parish Of St Peter And St Paul Great Missenden with Ballinger and Little Hampden".