

THE PARISH CHURCH OF  
**St PETER & St PAUL**  
BASSINGBOURN



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**St MARY**  
WHADDON

*Lives transformed through knowing Jesus*

# BULLETIN

22nd July

## **A very warm welcome**

Whether you are reading this in Bassingbourn or Whaddon, we are delighted that you have joined us and we pray that you will be blessed by your time here. We are two congregations who share a common desire to worship God through our varied pattern of services. If this is your first time here, we would love to get to know you. Please do make yourself known to one of our welcome team and stay for a while for refreshments after the service. If there is anything for which you would like to receive prayer, please speak to our Vicar, Caroline, or one of our other leaders.

## **Prayer for the week**

Loving Lord, thank You so much for holiday times, we thank You that rest and relaxation were Your idea. We pray for protection on our local school children and staff as they take a break over the coming weeks. We pray, especially for our mission partners Paul and Andrew, who are both in the UK at the moment and ask a special blessing on them as they spend time with family and friends. **Amen**

## **Bassingbourn Prayer meeting:**

Sunday 10:15 – 10:30 in the Church Room

## Prayers & prayer notices

### **Please pray:**

For the members of Whaddon Bassingbourn PCC as they meet and make decisions this Tuesday

### **From the prayer diary, please pray for:**

Steve & Sue Brooker  
Emily Brooker  
The Robertson family  
Val and Alan Hayden  
Sue Cannon & David Clapp  
The Holcroft family  
The Ives family  
The Thompson family

## Notices for week commencing 22<sup>nd</sup> July

### Bible Readings for today

Ephesians 1:3-14, Mark 6:14-29

### News and events

#### Thank you... to the Cambourne Community Gospel Choir

It was a great night on Wednesday when we joined Cambourne Community Gospel Choir in making a 'joyful noise to the Lord'!

We are very grateful to CCGC for a great performance and to everyone who came along. I'm delighted to say that we raised just over £400, plus money from the sale of produce, towards the Building Fund. **Caroline**



#### Bassingbourn Church BLITZCLEAN with Fish & Chips -

**Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> September 3:00pm – 6.00pm**

Please pop this date in your diary. We aim to clear and clean inside and out, working through a list of jobs. Your help would be MUCH appreciated with tasks to suit everyone from polishing to high level cobwebbing!

Fish & chip supper for those who would like it. Many hands make light work.

Ask your Churchwardens for more detail. Thank you **Vic S and Michelle**

#### Retirement of Bishop David

Bishop David is retiring as Suffragan Bishop of Huntingdon and there will be a special Service of Thanksgiving to say farewell to him and his wife Jean.

The service is on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> September at 4pm at Ely Cathedral. Light refreshments will be provided. **Caroline**



#### Got any plastic takeaway tubs?

I am in need of some plastic tubs for a treasure hunt being run for the village by the Village Conservation Group – hope you can help.

Thanks **Lesley B**

# Teddy Bears' Picnic

**Mothers' UNION**  
Christian care for families  
**Shingay Deanery**

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> July

From 12 noon till 2pm

18 Greenbanks, Melbourn SG8 6AS

See posters for details. RSVP to [diane.blundell@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:diane.blundell@hotmail.co.uk)

## Late Summer BBQ at the Vicarage 4pm Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> September



Please put this date in your diary; a time to come together as the church family to enjoy good company and fine food! Guests are welcome. **Caroline**

## Bassingbourn Consistory Court Judgment

We have received the Chancellor's 48-page Judgement and it contains wonderful news. The Church has been given permission for all the major elements of our building development plan: remove Victorian pews and pulpit; install gallery, undergallery room, kitchen, three WCs, vestry, upper tower room and two further teaching rooms; install under floor heating, new lighting throughout, stairs, lift, dais, and move the font..... and more than that the judgement is a very clear vindication of the Church, including our vision for the use of the building and the way that we conducted the consultation with the village. More details are on the Church website. Thank you to everyone, and let's give praise and thanks to God!

**Caroline**

### Dates for your diary

July	24 <sup>th</sup>	Bassingbourn PCC, Church Room 7:30pm
	25 <sup>th</sup>	MU Teddy Bears' Picnic, Melbourn, 12noon-2pm (see flyer)
Aug	10 <sup>th</sup>	Play Group Summer Special - Church Room 10:00am – 12:00 noon
Sept	1 <sup>st</sup>	Bassingbourn Church 'Blitz Clean' 3:00pm
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Vicarage BBQ, 4pm
	8 <sup>th</sup>	Ride and Stride – details to follow

## Sunday services for the following weeks

### Next week's readings: Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> July

Ephesians 2:11-end, John 20 1-2 11-18

#### Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> July

##### 8<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

9:30 Holy Communion, Whaddon  
11:00 Morning Praise, Bassingbourn

#### Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> July

##### 9<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

9:30 Joint Service Holy Communion,  
Whaddon

#### Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August

##### 10<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

9.30 Morning Worship, Whaddon  
11.00 Holy Communion, Bassingbourn

#### Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> August

##### 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

9:30 Holy Communion, Whaddon  
11:00 Kids service, Bassingbourn

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**Key information:** An induction loop has been fitted in Bassingbourn Parish Church – please sit in the left-hand pews and switch hearing aids to “T”. Please remember that a key source of information about our churches is the two websites: [www.bassingbournchurch.org.uk](http://www.bassingbournchurch.org.uk) and [www.whaddon.org](http://www.whaddon.org)

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