

THE HUB — By Revd. Canon David Baldwin

August is often thought of as a quieter month in church life, if only this was so. Across the team there are many activities going on, from the tower repair works in Toller Porcorum, Air Source Heat Pumps and Solar panels being fitted in Beaminster, the Netherbury late spring cleaning and church tidy up, Pop up babies and toddlers on the sports field in Beaminster, Summer play afternoons in Drimpton and Produce and Horticultural shows. Walk in Wednesday has been very busy and it was lovely to welcome Bishop Rufus and his wife Joyce from Laiyna Diocese South Sudan last Wednesday. Of course we continue to have baptisms, weddings and funerals and all the day to day work that goes on, often unseen. I would like to express my profound gratitude to you all for all that you do in the name of the Lord across the Team.

This week's update on the £10 Talent Challenge. I thought that last week's total was excellent but you continue to share your generosity with great abundance. As of today, the total that you have matched the Bishop's £10 note with, now stands at an amazing **£715.00** which in time will bring relief to those who will struggle with the increasing cost of living hike, especially in gas and electricity. Thank you to all who have contributed so far. If you would like to make a contribution simply place it in an envelope marked 'Talent' and hand it to me or leave it with Anne in the Team Office. Once again thank you.

The diocese of Salisbury are organising a rural ministry day at Kingston Maurward on 1st October. The details to book are on our website (beaminsterteamchurches.org) Do come and join in and be equipped to do new things in your community.

We are thinking of organising a team social activity in the late autumn. If you are interested in being part of a team organising a tea dance on a Saturday or Sunday afternoon in November then please register your interest with Jo on revneary@gmail.com.

PEW NEWS

Beaminster Area Team Ministry

15 Churches: One Community

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The Blessed Virgin Mary

Isaiah 61. 10,11
Psalm 45. 10-17
Galatians 4. 4-7
Luke 1. 46-55

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Collect

Almighty God,
who looked upon the lowliness of
the Blessed Virgin Mary
and chose her to be the mother of your only Son:
grant that we who are redeemed by his blood
may share with her in the glory of your
eternal kingdom;
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

God most high,
whose handmaid bore the Word made flesh:
we thank you that in this sacrament
of our redemption
you visit us with your Holy Spirit
and overshadow us by your power;
strengthen us to walk with Mary the joyful
path of obedience
and so to bring forth the fruits of holiness;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Please take this copy of Pew News away with you for reference during the week.

If you would like material about Church events included in the Pew News, please bring it to the Church Office, or e-mail beaminsterteam@gmail.com by 9am on the Wednesday before publication

What's happening in the Team this week

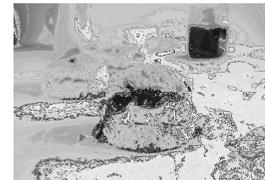
For more details of local events, please see Team News

Wed 17 August 10am Eucharist St Mary's, Beaminster
11-12.30 Walk in Wednesday St Mary's, Beaminster

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🍷 *Beaminster Area Team*
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🍷 **HOLIDAY FUN 2022**
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🍷 Free outdoor afternoon with
🍷 sports, activities and crafts.
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🍷 **Wednesday 17 August**
🍷 **2-4pm**
🍷 **Salway Ash Village Hall**
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🍷 Visit
🍷 beaminsterteamchurches.org
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ENJOY A CREAM TEA

St Mary's Church, Netherbury
Sunday 21 August
3-5pm



All proceeds to St Mary's Church

Help for Ukraine

We have been asked if we can help with specialised medical items for use in emergency injuries in Ukraine. A medical supplier, Reflex Medical, will supply these items for us at almost cost price because they are going directly to Ukraine. They will add to our order with any extra donations. Hence our pleading, that you phone Reflex Medical with your credit/debit card details on **0800 8620344** and ask to add to **order Ref 00000847**. Every little extra helps so much.

A van is going from Beaminster to Ukraine at the beginning of September. Donations of tents, sleeping bags, sleeping mats, stout footwear (walking boots), plates (non plastic) and metal cutlery to Simon Beard, please, at 26 Fleet Street (Tel: 861008) or Jonathan Robinson 3 The Beeches (Tel: 861738). Thank you.

First Reading — Galatians 4. 4-7

When the fullness of time had come, God sent his Son, born of a woman, born under the law, in order to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as children. And because you are children, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, 'Abba! Father!' So you are no longer a slave but a child, and if a child then also an heir, through God.

Gospel Reading— Luke 1. 46-55

'My soul magnifies the Lord,
and my spirit rejoices in God my Saviour,
for he has looked with favour on the lowliness of his servant.
Surely, from now on all generations will call me blessed;
for the Mighty One has done great things for me,
and holy is his name.
His mercy is for those who fear him
from generation to generation.
He has shown strength with his arm;
he has scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts.
He has brought down the powerful from their thrones,
and lifted up the lowly;
he has filled the hungry with good things,
and sent the rich away empty.
He has helped his servant Israel,
in remembrance of his mercy,
according to the promise he made to our ancestors,
to Abraham and to his descendants for ever.'

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🍷 **Eco Pause for Thought:** Scientists say that if the situation of
🍷 plastic getting into oceans is not dealt with promptly, by 2050
🍷 there will be more plastic in the seas than fish. So do your bit!
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