

Dereham and District Team Ministry  
 The parishes of Dereham, Scarning, Swanton Morley, Beetley with East Bilney, Hoe,  
 Shipdham and East with West Bradenham  
<http://derehamanddistrictteam.org.uk>

# This Week in our Churches

Week beginning 31<sup>st</sup> July 2022

<b>Seventh Sunday after Trinity</b>	31	8.00am	Holy Communion, Dereham	The Revd P Cubitt
		9.30am	Parish Communion, Dereham	The Revd P Thomas/ The Revd P Cubitt
		9.30am	Holy, Communion, Hoe	The Revd J Rosie
		11.15am	Songs of Praise, Scarning	Lay led
		11.15am	Parish Communion, Swanton Morley	The Revd J Rosie
		11.15am	Holy Communion, Shipdham	The Revd L Purnell/ The Revd P Cubitt
		4.00pm	Choral Evensong, Bradenham	The Revd L Purnell/ The Revd P Cubitt
		6.00pm	Churches Together, Dereham	The Revd P Cubitt
<b>Monday</b>	1	10.15am	Visiting Bell Ringers, Dereham	
<b>Tuesday</b>	2			
<b>Wednesday</b>	3	10.00am	Holy Communion, Dereham	The Revd L Purnell
		10.00am	Holy Communion, Shipdham	The Revd P Cubitt
<b>Thursday</b>	4			
<b>Friday</b>	5			
<b>Saturday</b>	6	10.00am	Coffee Morning, Scarning	
		12.30pm	Wedding, Shipdham	
		3.00pm	Wedding, Bradenham	
<b>Eighth Sunday after Trinity</b>	7	8.00am	Holy Communion, Dereham	The Revd P Cubitt
		9.30am	Parish Communion, Dereham	The Revd P Cubitt
		9.30am	Morning Praise, Beetley	Tom Cross
		9.30am	Café Church, Shipdham	The Revd D Fotherby/ Helen Jeckells/ The Revd L Purnell
		9.30am	Holy Communion, Bradenham (BCP)	The Revd D Ackroyd
		11.15am	Morning Praise, Scarning	The Revd L Purnell
		11.15am	Parish Communion, Swanton Morley	The Revd P Cubitt
		2.00pm	Baptism, Bradenham	The Revd L Purnell
3.00pm	Eckling Grange, Dereham	The Revd P Cubitt		

**The St Nicholas Sanctuary Flowers last Sunday** were given to Sue and Grenville Smith who have written to say 'our sincere thanks for the beautiful sunflowers we received today. We are glad to say that we are now feeling much better'.

**Shipdham Play Van:** We have been fortunate to have diocesan help to run the play van this last term. We would like to continue to provide this service to our community. It is a carers and tots group. We would like to get a team together. If this is something you feel you might be able to help with on a rota basis please contact Revd. Laura for an initial chat. Thank you.

**Benefice Prayer Meeting – August 2<sup>nd</sup>:** Our next prayer meeting will take place via Zoom, at 7.00pm, on Tuesday August 2<sup>nd</sup>. The invitation link can be requested from Carolyn, emailing [carolyn@woodengate.plus.com](mailto:carolyn@woodengate.plus.com) We will begin with a Bible passage from Philippians, with time for reflection, followed by our focus on praying together. If you haven't taken part in these meetings before, please be assured that you will receive a warm welcome and can choose to listen and pray silently, or to reflect, share prayer needs and pray aloud.

**Strawberry Tea:** On Tuesday of last week a Strawberry Tea was held in the garden of a member of the congregation of Shipdham Church. In excess of £350 was raised for Christian Aid.

**Scarning Coffee Morning:** The next coffee morning is Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> August 10.00am-12 noon. Please join us for a chat over a nice cup of coffee or tea, a bacon buttie or a delicious slice of cake. If anyone is able to bake a cake or donate a raffle prize, do please let me know. Your help would be very much appreciated. Tricia Foreman 01362 687082.

**The Thomas Bullock Trust, Shipdham,** provides financial support to Thomas Bullock C of E Primary Academy and grants to individuals under 25. The Trustees of the Trust are looking to appoint a Clerk and a Custodian Treasurer to manage the administration and finances of the Trust, either as one or two appointments. These are voluntary non-voting positions, but a small honorarium will be offered. There are further details about the history and working of the Trust on the Shipdham website. For further details please contact John Larwood, Chairman – 01362 820049

**Vacancy – All Saints Church, Shipdham**  
The Parochial Church Council is seeking a Treasurer to support the work of the PCC and our community building. Familiarity with finance is useful but not essential: more important are administrative skills and an interest to learn. Full handover from retiring treasurer. This is a voluntary position. Further details from the Churchwardens: John Larwood or Lynda Turner

### **Our Clergy**

Team Rector  
Team Vicar  
Team Vicar

The Rev'd Canon Paul Cubitt  
The Rev'd James Rosie  
The Rev'd Laura Purnell  
The Rev'd Doreen Fotherby

tel 694107 day off Monday  
tel 637311 day off Friday  
tell 821249 day off Friday  
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**Mothers Union:** All members are invited to Fakenham Parish Church on Tuesday August 9<sup>th</sup> for a Service at 2.00pm when Felicity Randall will be commissioned as our new Diocesan President. This will be followed by an Afternoon Tea.

**The West End is Coming to Dereham:** St Nicholas Church will be hosting a fantastic concert, **West End Has Faith**, on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> August at 7.00pm. Stars from London West End Shows perform songs from Hit Musicals whilst talking about their careers and journeys of faith, featuring numbers from Les Mis, The Greatest Showman, and other hit musicals. Tickets £12.50/under 18s £5, available at Green Pastures (20 Norwich Street), [eventbrite.co.uk](http://eventbrite.co.uk) or at the church office (opening hours Mon/Tues/Thurs 9.30am – 12 noon).

Please be aware that services in our churches may be Live Streamed to Social Media (Facebook) and you may be visible if you enter camera

# Today's Worship

## Sixth Sunday after Trinity

### Collect:

Generous God,  
you give us gifts and make them grow:  
though our faith is small as mustard seed,  
make it grow to your glory  
and the flourishing of your kingdom;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord

### Psalm: 49.1-12

- 1 Hear this, all you peoples;  
listen, all you that dwell in the world,
- 2 You of low or high degree,  
both rich and poor together.
- 3 My mouth shall speak of wisdom  
and my heart shall meditate on understanding.
- 4 I will incline my ear to a parable;  
I will unfold my riddle with the lyre.
- 5 Why should I fear in evil days,  
when the malice of my foes surrounds me,
- 6 Such as trust in their goods  
and glory in the abundance of their riches?
- 7 For no one can indeed ransom another  
or pay to God the price of deliverance.
- 8 To ransom a soul is too costly;  
there is no price one could pay for it,
- 9 So that they might live for ever,  
and never see the grave.
- 10 For we see that the wise die also;  
with the foolish and ignorant they perish  
and leave their riches to others.
- 11 Their tomb is their home for ever,  
their dwelling through all generations,  
though they call their lands after their own  
names.
- 12 Those who have honour, but lack  
understanding,  
are like the beasts that perish.

**New Testament Reading:** Colossians 3.1-11

**Gospel Reading:** Luke 12.13-21

### For our prayers:

**The Sick:** Sylvia Blacker, Jean Fairweather,  
Keith Otty, John Smith, Justin Hammond,  
Doug Speed, Ong Song. Joan Gibson,  
Chris Bush, June Pye, Gordon Taylor.

**The Recently Departed:** Hilary Clark.

**Those on the Anniversary of their Death:** Roger  
Wade, Leonard Herbert, Eddie Harvey, Muriel Hunt.

### The Peace:

We are all one in Christ Jesus.  
We belong to him through faith,  
heirs of the promise of the Spirit of peace.

### Post Communion Prayer:

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.

**Readings for next Week:** Psalm 33.12-21, Hebrews  
11.1-3,8-16, Luke 12.32-40

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deadline 9.00am Wednesday, Barbara D'Art