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**Sunday** **27th July 2025 The Sixth Sunday after Trinity**

**Welcome** **to Buckingham Parish Church.**

**If you are new here, this section is for you!**

**Children and Youth:** We have great provision for children and youth. Scan QR code below for details.

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**Sermons:** These are recorded and available through our website and BPC app. See the QR code above.

**Streaming:** All our services are livestreamed and available to watch on our YouTube channel. See the QR Code above. If you do not wish to be included, please sit in the left aisle.

**Giving:** Please use a standing order (forms at the back of church) or the QR code above. We don’t take offerings during services, but you can make donations via ChurchSuite, the card reader at the back of the church or put cash into the wall box by the font.

**Sunday 27th July: Second Summer Sunday: Themes and Readings**

**10.00am: A thoughtful religious leader looking for answers**

Ps 118; John 3: 1-21

**Preacher:** Rev. Lesley Holman

**5.00pm: A thoughtful religious leader looking for answers**

John 3: 1-21

**Preacher:** Pastor Brendan Munro

**Prayer Ministry:** Available at all Sunday services in the Prayer Chapel. Receiving prayer brings the Lord’s healing and wholeness.

**Pray through the week for** those who mourn or are unwell, that they may be comforted by God’s presence.

**The Week Ahead:**

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| Mon 28th July | 2.00pm – 4.00pm | Tea and Chat, at The Centre, Verney Close |
| Tue 29th July | 10.00am – 12noon | Coffee and Company, at  The Centre, Verney Close |
| 12 noon | Community Lunch |
| Wed 30th July | 10.00am | Holy Communion |
| 7.00pm – 9.15pm | Bell Ringing practice |
| Thurs 31st July | 10.00am – 12noon | Coffee and Company, at  The Centre, Verney Close |
| Fri 1st August | 7.00pm – 7.30pm | Prayer meeting on Zoom: for details contact Paul Wallace on *bpcprayermeeting@protonmail.com* |
| 6.00pm – 10.00pm | Boules and BBQ at St Briavels, Stowe |
| Sat 2nd August | 10.30am – 12.00noon | Coffee Service Café |
| Sun 3rd August | **The Seventh Sunday after Trinity** | |
| 10.00am | Traditional Holy Communion Service followed by Bring-and-Share Lunch |
| 5.00pm | Family & Contemporary Service |

**Newcomers:** Please fill in a Welcome Card if you are new and want to be a part of the church family. We would love to invite you to the next afternoon tea on 27th September, where you will meet members of our staff team and church family. Please contact Sue Fox at *parector@bpchurch.uk* for details.

**Bring-and-Share Lunches for Summer Sundays:** There will be two bring-and-share lunches following the 10am service - 3rd and 17th August. As in previous years please bring along a sweet or savoury dish to share with others. We will aim to eat at 12.30pm so there will be time to collect your food after the service especially the weather is hot. Refrigeration space is limited. A signup sheet is at the back of church.

**Connect Groups:** If you would like to join one of our small groups who meet during the week, please contact Jo Wigley or Phil and Gill Blackledge by email on [*connect@bpchurch.uk*](mailto:connect@bpchurch.uk)

**Fundraiser update:** Thank you to everyone who donated and came to the fundraiser on Tuesday for Teenage Cancer Trust held at The Centre. We raised a staggering £1,107 for the charity so a huge thank you, Christine Barrell

**Deliver us from Evil and Heal us** - a day with **Adrian Galvin** on Saturday 6th September 9.30am to 4.00pm. Join us for a powerful day of partnering with the Holy Spirit to evict darkness and make no room for anything less than God's presence. Adrian Galvin is Associate Director at Bristol Healing Rooms. He is a compassionate and anointed deliverance minister with a passion for revival and revealing Jesus' glory. The day will begin at BPC at 9.30am, and then at The Centre, Verney Close. Refreshments will be provided, but please bring your own lunch. More details nearer the time. There is a suggested donation of £5 to cover costs. Sign-up through [*www.bpchurch.uk/adriangalvin*](http://www.bpchurch.uk/adriangalvin)

**Book club:** Our daytime ladies group met to discuss the book True Grit by Deborah Meroff which identifies the price and sacrifices of folk on the mission field from Nepal to Egypt. We found it a challenging book with much variety, which helped us consolidate our faith.

The book we have chosen for the next months is John’s Story, The Last Eyewitness from The Jesus Chronicles by Tim LaHaye and Jerry B Jenkins. This book is available on eBay for about £4.30.

We will meet to discuss our thoughts on Thursday 18th September at 9 Eider Close. Contact Flo Thornton for further details.

**Holiday Club 12th – 15th August**: If you'd like to give to Holiday Club but cannot do so through serving you can order some much-needed resources from their Amazon Wishlist. It has a delivery address already set up so it's very simple to use, you can check with Abi by emailing [*abi.holidayclub@gmail.com*](mailto:abi.holidayclub@gmail.com). Please continue to pray for the team and the children attending.

**Model of Buckingham 1725:** The scale model created for the Great Fire of Buckingham commemorations earlier this year will be in church for the next 3 weeks. It was made by Buckingham Rotary Club members, in collaboration with local primary schools, and depicts our town as it would have looked immediately after the fire. Do take a look, Jane and Chris Wardale

**Confirmation Service:** Our next Confirmation Service is in November. If you're thinking about being confirmed, feel free to talk to Will or Jo Wigley for more details.

**Moving to Buckingham:** If anyone knows of a property to rent out to a young family from Autumn this year, please contact: Danny Randell, on [*danielccrandell@gmail.com*](mailto:danielccrandell@gmail.com).  Danny will be taking up a place on a doctoral program at the University in September and is looking forward to joining BPC.

**Useful contact details:**

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Prayer Chain: If you need or know of someone who needs prayer,

Please call Gill Croxton who heads up the Prayer

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Connect Groups: Phil & Gill Blackledge *connect@bpchurch.uk*

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**Full-service information:** [***www.bpchurch.uk/services***](http://www.bpchurch.uk/services)

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**Notice Sheet:** If you would like to submit an item for the notice sheet, please email the office: [*office@bpchurch.uk*](mailto:office@bpchurch.uk) by 6pm on Wednesday. Any items received after this time will be listed in the following week’s notice sheet.