St Giles, Balderton
All Saints, Barnby-in-the-Willows
All Saints, Coddington

Welcome to the United Benefice of

St Giles Balderton, All Saints Barnby in the Willows & All Saints, Coddington

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Sunday 3rd February
Candlemas

8.00 am	**Holy Communion** St Giles, Balderton *Canon Martin Baldock*
9.30 am	**Family Service** St Giles, Balderton
9.30 am	**Holy Communion** All Saints, Coddington *Revd Phil Smith*
11.00 am	**Holy Communion** All Saints, Barnby *Revd Phil Smith*
6.00 pm	**Evensong** St Giles, Balderton
First Reading	Mic. 6. 1-8 Barbara Lee
Second Reading	1 Corinthians 6. 12-20 John Dodd

Notts Historic Churches Trust Ride and Stride. Each church receives 50% of their sponsor money. £696.50 has been returned to St Giles. Many thanks to all the riders and striders. This money goes into the fabric fund and is used for the upkeep of our beautiful church.

A grand £427.90 has been sent to the Children's society. This was collected at the Christingle Service.

Sunday 10th February
Fourth Sunday before Lent

9.30 am	**Parish Eucharist** St Giles, Balderton *Revd Louise Holliday*
OT Reading	Isaiah 6. 1-8 (9-end) John Denny
Epistle	1 Corinthians 15. 1-11 Terry Wilshin
Gospel	Luke 5. 1-11 Michael Wilson
Intercessions Offertory	Cathy Cross Bellringers
11.30 am	**Baptism** St Giles, Balderton *Revd Louise Holliday*
6.00 pm	**Evensong** St Giles, Balderton
First Reading	Jeremiah 26. 1-16 Kath Hirst
Second Reading	Acts 3.1 –10 Deborah Pollard

Songs of Praise 24th February is at 4.00pm and NOT 6.00pm as stated in the magazine.

Sunday 3rd February

Collect

God of our salvation,
Help us to turn away from those habits which harm our bodies
And poison our minds
And to choose again your gift of life,
Revealed to us in Jesus Christ our Lord

Ezekiel 43. 27-44, 4

7 When these days are over, then from the eighth day onwards the priests
shall offer upon the altar your burnt-offerings and your offerings of well-
being; and I will accept you, says the Lord GOD.
44 Then he brought me back to the outer gate of the sanctuary, which
faces east; and it was shut. 2 The LORD said to me: This gate shall remain
shut; it shall not be opened, and no one shall enter by it; for the LORD, the
God of Israel, has entered by it; therefore it shall remain shut. 3 Only the
prince, because he is a prince, may sit in it to eat food before the LORD; he
shall enter by way of the vestibule of the gate, and shall go out by the
same way.
4 Then he brought me by way of the north gate to the front of the temple;
and I looked, and lo! the glory of the LORD filled the temple of the LORD;
and I fell upon my face.

1 Corinthians 13

13 If I speak in the tongues of mortals and of angels, but do not have love,
I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. 2 And if I have prophetic powers,
and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so
as to remove mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. 3 If I give
away all my possessions, and if I hand over my body so that I may boast,[a]
but do not have love, I gain nothing.

4 Love is patient; love is kind; love is not envious or boastful or arrogant
5 or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful;
6 it does not rejoice in wrongdoing, but rejoices in the truth. 7 It bears all
things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

8 Love never ends. But as for prophecies, they will come to an end; as for
tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will come to an end. 9 For we
know only in part, and we prophesy only in part; 10 but when the complete
comes, the partial will come to an end. 11 When I was a child, I spoke like a
child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child; when I became an adult,
I put an end to childish ways. 12 For now we see in a mirror, dimly,[b] but
then we will see face to face. Now I know only in part; then I will know
fully, even as I have been fully known. 13 And now faith, hope, and love
abide, these three; and the greatest of these is love.

Luke 2, 22-40

22 When the time came for their purification according to the law of Mo-
ses, they brought him up to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord 23 (as it is
written in the law of the Lord, 'Every firstborn male shall be designated as
holy to the Lord'), 24 and they offered a sacrifice according to what is stat-
ed in the law of the Lord, 'a pair of turtle-doves or two young pigeons.'
25 Now there was a man in Jerusalem whose name was Simeon;[d] this man
was righteous and devout, looking forward to the consolation of Israel,
and the Holy Spirit rested on him. 26 It had been revealed to him by the
Holy Spirit that he would not see death before he had seen the Lord's
Messiah.[e] 27 Guided by the Spirit, Simeon[f] came into the temple; and
when the parents brought in the child Jesus, to do for him what was cus-
tomary under the law, 28 Simeon[g] took him in his arms and praised God,
saying,

29 'Master, now you are dismissing your servant[h] in peace,
according to your word;
30 for my eyes have seen your salvation,
31 which you have prepared in the presence of all peoples,
32 a light for revelation to the Gentiles
and for glory to your people Israel.'

33 And the child's father and mother were amazed at what was being said
about him. 34 Then Simeon[i] blessed them and said to his mother Mary,
'This child is destined for the falling and the rising of many in Israel, and to
be a sign that will be opposed 35 so that the inner thoughts of many will be
revealed—and a sword will pierce your own soul too.'
36 There was also a prophet, Anna[j] the daughter of Phanuel, of the tribe of
Asher. She was of a great age, having lived with her husband for seven
years after her marriage, 37 then as a widow to the age of eighty-four. She
never left the temple but worshipped there with fasting and prayer night
and day. 38 At that moment she came, and began to praise God and to
speak about the child[k] to all who were looking for the redemption of
Jerusalem. 39 When they had finished everything required by the law of
the Lord, they returned to Galilee, to their own town of Nazareth. 40 The
child grew and became strong, filled with wisdom; and the favour of God
was upon him.

Post Communion Prayer

God of truth, we have seen with our eyes
And touched with our hands the bread of life
Strengthen our faith, that we may grow in love for you and for each other;
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

EVENSONG

First Reading Mic. 6. 1-8

6 Hear what the Lord says:
Rise, plead your case before the mountains, and let the hills hear your
voice. **2** Hear, you mountains, the controversy of the Lord, and you en-
during foundations of the earth;
for the Lord has a controversy with his people, and he will contend with
Israel. **3** 'O my people, what have I done to you? In what have I wearied
you? Answer me!
4 For I brought you up from the land of Egypt, and redeemed you from the
house of slavery; and I sent before you Moses, Aaron, and Miriam.
5 O my people, remember now what King Balak of Moab devised, what
Balaam son of Beor answered him,
and what happened from Shittim to Gilgal, that you may know the saving
acts of the Lord.'
6 'With what shall I come before the Lord, and bow myself before God on
high? Shall I come before him with burnt-offerings, with calves a year old?
7 Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, with tens of thousands
of rivers of oil?
Shall I give my firstborn for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the
sin of my soul?'
8 He has told you, O mortal, what is good; and what does the Lord require
of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with
your God?

Second Reading 1 Corinthians 6. 12-20

12 'All things are lawful for me', but not all things are beneficial.
'All things are lawful for me', but I will not be dominated by any-
thing. 13 'Food is meant for the stomach and the stomach for
food',[a] and God will destroy both one and the other. The body is
meant not for fornication but for the Lord, and the Lord for the
body. 14 And God raised the Lord and will also raise us by his pow-
er. 15 Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ?
Should I therefore take the members of Christ and make them
members of a prostitute? Never! 16 Do you not know that whoev-
er is united to a prostitute becomes one body with her? For it is
said, 'The two shall be one flesh.' 17 But anyone united to the Lord
becomes one spirit with him. 18 Shun fornication! Every sin that a
person commits is outside the body; but the fornicator sins against
the body itself. 19 Or do you not know that your body is a temple
[b] of the Holy Spirit within you, which you have from God, and
that you are not your own? 20 For you were bought with a price;
therefore glorify God in your body.

Grand Quiz with fish and chip supper.
Friday 8th March.
7.30pm at the Community Hall.
Tickets from Jean, Alison or the Wardens.
All monies to the Hall Refurbishment fund.

Looking Ahead in the Benefice...

Monday 4th February
7.00 pm Bellringing Practice, St Giles
Tuesday 5th February
6-7pm Surgery, St Giles
7.00 pm Coddington PCC Meeting, The Vicarage
Wednesday 6th February
9.30 am Prayer Time, St Giles
7.30 pm Wedding Couples' Get Together in St Giles
Thursday 7th February
9.45 am Holy Communion, St Giles
11.00 am Holy Communion at The Oaks
Friday 8th February
7.00 pm Choir Practice, St Giles
7.00 pm Fundraising Band Concert, St Giles Community Hall
Wednesday 13th February
2.00 pm Barnby PCC Meeting
Thursday 14th February
2.30 pm Funeral of Mrs Audrey Stevens, Coddington
Saturday 16th February
3.00 pm for 3.30 pm Afternoon Tea,
St Giles Community Hall
Friday 1st March
2.00 pm World Day of Prayer Service, St Giles
Friday 8th March
7.30 pm Grand Quiz with fish and chip supper.
St Giles' Community Hall
Saturday 9th March
10-12 noon Joint Groups Coffee Morning
Monday 25th March
7.00 pm Barnby's APCM Meeting in Church
Friday 29th March
7.30 pm BCT Lent Quiz, Salvation Army
Sunday 7th April
7.15 pm St Giles' APCM, St Giles Community Hall
Good Friday
"This is Easter": 10.00 am - 12.00 noon - St Giles, Balderton
An opportunity to explore the events of Holy Week and Easter through craft, story and worship.
Easter Sunday:
6.00 am Dawn Service - St Giles, Balderton
Come and celebrate the wonder of the Resurrection and share breakfast together.
9.30 am Holy Communion Services at
St Giles, Balderton & All Saints, Coddington
11.00 am Holy Communion Service at
All Saints, Barnby in the Willows
Sunday 12th May
6.00 pm Commemoration Service, St Giles

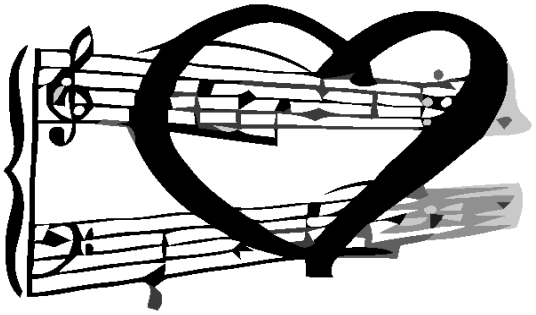
A Musical Evening

Friday 8th February @ 7.00 pm
St Giles' Community Hall

An evening of wide ranging musical items including 60's and 70's music and Jazz.

It will be an evening of two halves with Bingo in the middle.

Drinks and biscuits served.
Cost £5 for adults. Children free.



Afternoon Tea

will be served in the Community Hall on
Saturday 16th February 2019.

Doors open at 3.00pm with entertainment until tea is served at 3.30pm.

This event proved to be very popular last September so we may have to limit numbers. Get your tickets early to avoid disappointment. Only £6

All monies raised are towards the Community Hall.

See Kath H, Jean N, Dilys C, or Lynn G for tickets or ask in church.

happiness lab

Lent Happiness Lab

Come along and explore what psychologists, doctors and faith leaders have to say about happiness.
Topics explored include gratitude and savouring, kindness, forgiveness, friends and family, body and soul and developing coping strategies

Wednesdays through Lent

@ 7.30 pm:

13th March
20th March
27th March
3rd April
10th April
17th April
Concluding on the 1st May

Venue: The Willow Tree, Barnby in the Willows

All Saints' Coddington

PRE-LOVED TABLE TOP

SATURDAY
9TH MARCH 2019
10.30am – 12.30
CODDINGTON COMMUNITY CENTRE

REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE

TO BOOK A TABLE (COST £10)
SET UP AT 10.00am
CONTACT: SHEILA BACHE - 674741 OR 07727040504
BARBARA HORTON - 678788

BOOKS & JIGSAWS - CRAFTS - CHILDREN'S TOYS HOUSEHOLD ITMES - CHILDREN'S & ADULT CLOTHES & LOTS MORE BARGAINS.

SONGS OF PRAISE

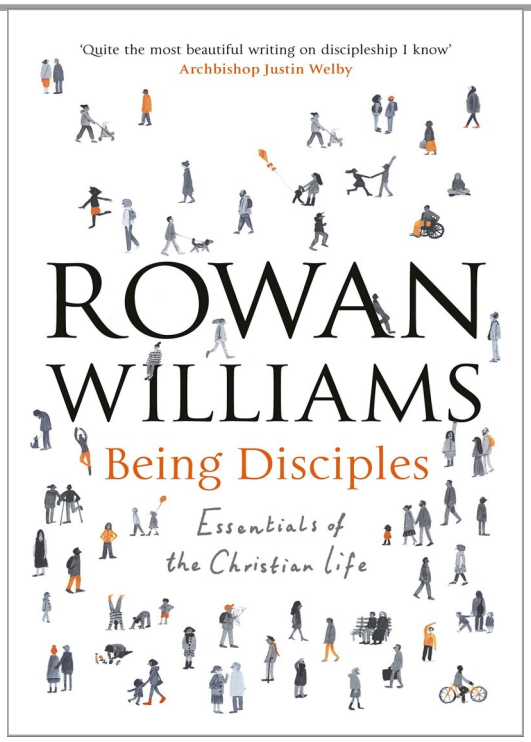
ALL WELCOME.

COME ALONG AND BRING YOUR FRIENDS

Sunday 24th February 2019

St Giles, Balderton

@ 4.00 pm



It's not too late to join the "Being Disciples" Home Group.
Please call Revd Louise on 01636 704811 for venue details.

Choose a favourite hymn and place it in the box at the back of church.
Please take some invitations and give to your friends.