PEW SHEET

Sunday 4th June: Trinity Sunday

Vicar: Revd Louise Holliday - revdlouiseholliday@gmail.com / 01636 704811

St Giles' Community Hall Bookings: Deborah Pollard - 01636 672923

Vestry Hour in St Giles: Every Tuesday 6.00 - 7.00 pm

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COMING UP

Sunday 4th June: Trinity Sunday
10.00 am Family Communion, St Giles
6.00 pm Commemoration Service, St Giles

Tuesday 6th June
10.00 am Coffee & Prayer Time (online)
2.00 pm Mothers' Union, St Giles' Community Hall
6-7pm Vestry Hour, St Giles

Wednesday 7th June
10.00 am Walk & Talk, from St Giles
2.00 pm Barnby PCC Meeting
7.30 pm Encounter (online)
7.30 pm The "Sound of Musings" St Giles

Thursday 8th June
10.00 am Holy Communion, St Giles
11.45 am Funeral of Jean Jessop, St Giles
2-4pm Community Café, St Giles' Community Hall

Friday 9th June
6.30 pm Choir Practice, St Giles
7.30 pm Youth Group, St Giles' Community Hall

Saturday 10th June
9.00 am Men's Breakfast,
St Giles' Community Hall

Sunday 11th June: 2nd of Trinity
10.00 am Family Communion, St Giles
10.00 am Family Communion,
All Saints, Barnby in the Willows

Tuesday 13th June
2-4pm A Crafty Cuppa, St Giles' Community Hall
7.30 pm St Giles' PCC Meeting

Wednesday 14th June
10.00 am Funeral of David O'Brian, St Giles
Time TBC: Wednesday Group Orchid Walk

Saturday 17th June
2-3pm Cuppa & A Chat, St Giles' Community Hall
4.00 pm SONGS OF PRAISE,
Balderton Churches Together outside St Giles

Sunday 18th June
10.00 am Family Communion, St Giles
4.00 pm 4 @ The Hall, St Giles' Community Hall

Tuesday 27th June
7.30 pm Men's Group Outing & Meal

What are you doing on Wednesday evening? Please do come along and support Revd Bryony Wood in St Giles as she presents "The Sound of Musings" based on her recent book.

BENEFICE BULLETIN

The next benefice bulletin will cover August, September and October inclusive.

June is upon us and so it's getting time to think about what you'd like including, what you've been up to that you'd like to tell everyone about and what's happening during these months.

The deadline for entries is 10th July. Please drop off your entries to the vicarage or email me at stgilesbalderton@gmail.com Thank you !

If you have any feedback about the previous issue we'd love to hear from you.
Please drop us a line at stgilesbalderton@gmail.com

Readings for 4th June 2023

Collect
Holy God, faithful and unchanging: enlarge our minds with the knowledge of your truth, and draw us more deeply into the mystry of your love, that we may truly worship you, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Isaiah 40. 12-17; 27-end
12 Who has measured the waters in the hollow of his hand, or with the breadth of his hand marked off the heavens? Who has held the dust of the earth in a basket, or weighed the mountains on the scales and the hills in a balance?
13 Who can fathom the Spirit of the Lord, or instruct the Lord as his counselor?

14 Whom did the Lord consult to enlighten him, and who taught him the right way? Who was it that taught him knowledge, or showed him the path of understanding?
15 Surely the nations are like a drop in a bucket; they are regarded as dust on the scales;he weighs the islands as though they were fine dust.16 Lebanon is not sufficient for altar fires, nor its animals enough for burnt offerings.
17 Before him all the nations are as nothing; they are regarded by him as worthless and less than nothing.

27 Why do you complain, Jacob? Why do you say, Israel, "My way is hidden from the Lord; my cause is disregarded by my God"? 28 Do you not know? Have you not heard? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He will not grow tired or weary, and his understanding no one can fathom.

29 He gives strength to the weary and increases the power of the weak.30 Even youths grow tired and weary, and young men stumble and fall; 31 but those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength.
They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint.

2 Corinthians 13. 11-end
11 Finally, brothers and sisters, rejoice! Strive for full restoration, encourage one another, be of one mind, live in peace. And the God of love and peace will be with you.
12 Greet one another with a holy kiss. 13 All God's people here send their greetings.
14 May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

Matthew 28. 16-end
16 Then the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. 17 When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. 18 Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. 19 Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

Post Communion Prayer
Almighty and eternal God, you have revealed yourself as Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and live and reign in the perfect unity of love: hold us firm in this faith, that we may know you in all your ways and evermore rejoice in your eternal glory, who are three Persons yet one God, now and for ever. **Amen**.

The Sound of Musings

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We are absolutely delighted to invite you to spend the evening with Revd Bryony Wood

The Sound of Musings deftly traces Maria von Trapp's journey through the iconic film, The Sound of Music.

Dancing from scene to scene with the captivating and much-loved, 'flibbertigibbet' nun turned governess, author Bryony Wood draws out profound and accessible insights to encourage our own journey of faith.

Bryony holds true to the film's spellbinding spirit and inspiring script. Prompted by the songs, story, and characters of the film, each short chapter looks at different aspects of life, love, and faith to help us discover more about God's love in our own lives. It's inspiring, biblically rooted, honest and quite a lot of fun! So, as Maria would say, let's start at the very...(you know where!)

Free Tickets required via Eventbrite
https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/the-sound-of-musings-with-revd-bryony-wood-tickets-629960146757

Wednesday 7th June
@ 7.30 pm in St Giles Church
Main Street, Balderton

Refreshments Free Event

IF YOU CAN'T COME TO CHURCH, THE CHURCH WILL COME TO YOU...

Requests for Home Communions should be made to Revd. Phil Smith.

Requests for Home Visits should be made to the group co-ordinator, Chris Wilkes, who will arrange for someone to visit. His contact details are as follows: crwilkes@btinternet.com
(e-mail is preferred means of contact)
or phone: 01636 385650.

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