

Hello Everyone

What glorious weather we are having! Next week's forecast is promising too - promising a heat wave, so blue skies, sunshine and summer days are upon us.

Last weekend was such a lovely time with the open gardens in Toddington, and the fete at Westoning. People came out in strength to support the churches, which is such a blessing. Thank you so much to everyone who contributed to making the events so special.

Last weekend was also special because the Reverend Jenna Dearden, who used to be at Westoning Church, was ordained as priest at The Priory Church in Dunstable, alongside 3 other curates from different churches. The service was led by the Bishop of Bedford and was well attended. We send our heartfelt congratulations to Jenna who will continue to serve in Dunstable. For those wishing to see the service of ordination last Friday and the following Sunday service where Jenna led and celebrated Communion, please go to the links below.

<https://youtu.be/19roYLcgMUI>

<https://youtu.be/3qNQPab2njc>

Next Saturday Harlington Church will host the Nature Day (postponed from this Sunday).

We are also excited to announce the charity concerts at both Harlington Church tomorrow evening 7.00 pm and at Toddington Parish Church next Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> at 7.00 pm. Do please come along if you can and invite your friends and neighbours. Donations in aid of Ukraine.

### **Our services this Sunday 10 July 2022**

9.30 am Chalgrave Church Holy Communion Service - Linda and Malcolm

9.30 am Harlington Church, Holy Communion Service - Nigel and Robert

11.00 am Toddington Church, Holy Communion Service - Linda and Malcolm

11.00 am Westoning Church, Holy Communion Service - Nigel and Steve

No service at Tingrith this Sunday

No Upper Room online Service this week. Now on 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday each month. Next service - 24 July 6.00 pm

**7.00 pm Ukraine Charity Concert with music and songs, setting the scene about Ukraine.. with Izabella and Mariia, Harlington Church 10 July, 7.00 pm (see attached poster)**

### **This week's services and events:**

Activities at Westoning are as normal this week.

#### **Monday 11 July**

9.30 am Morning Prayer, Toddington Church

**Tuesday 12 July**

10.00 am Westcaf - Westoning Village hall  
10.30 am Knitting Group, Wilkinson Hall  
1.00 pm Sewing Bee, Westoning Village Hall  
(No Toddington Youth group this week)

**Wednesday 13 July**

10.00 am Morning Service, Harlington Church  
Dunstable Deanery Synod 7pm  
7.30 pm An Evening with the Vicar, Flitwick Cricket Club (ticket only - event sold out)

**Thursday 14 July**

Funeral of Mark Bonner, Westoning Church, 2.00 pm  
Toddington PCC at the Rectory 7.30 pm

**Friday 15 July**

10.30 am Painting for Pleasure, Wilkinson Hall, Toddington  
1.15 pm Little Stars, Westoning Church  
2.00 pm Friday Fellowship, Westoning Village Hall

**Saturday 16 July**

Harlington Church hosts the Nature Watch Day (More information from Tricia)  
Toddington Cake stall on the Green from 9.30 am

**Sunday 17 July**

9.30 am Tingrith Church, Morning Prayer Service - Jon  
9.30 am All age family Service at Harlington Church - Nigel and Linda (with Nicholas)  
9.30 am Chalgrave Church, Holy Communion Service - Rev Roger Wood  
11.00 am Holy Communion Service, Toddington  
11.00 am Outdoor Open Air Service at Westoning - Nigel

**7.00 pm Ukraine Charity Concert with music and songs, setting the scene about Ukraine..  
with Izabella and Mariia, Toddington Church 17 July**

Tickets are available for an Evening with the Vicar (Nigel) at Harlington Village Hall on 22 July 2022. More information from Tricia... see attached poster.

We wish you a blessed week.

Linda and Nigel