


CONTACT

**The Magazine of Crook Peak Parish
(June / July 2021 Edition)**



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY		CORRESPONDENTS	
	JUNE 2021	Biddisham	Vacancy
5 Jun	9am-1pm Axbridge Square - Axbridge Farmers Market – Many of the usual stalls and traders (featuring music from Jean & Bob – Axbridge Music Makers)	Weare	Julia James-Smith (jjames9691@gmail.com)
		Distribution	Pat Northmore (733172)
26 Jun	10am Cross Memorial Hall - First Coffee Morning since the end of lock down, in aid of Friends of Compton Bishop Church.	Loxton & Christon	Philip Davies (07881630629)
26-28 Jun	Badgworth Schoolroom “Time and Place “Exhibition opening night Friday 25th June 6-8pm, Exhibition continues Saturday 26th and 27th June 12-8pm. Village picnic outside Schoolroom Saturday 3pm (weather and lockdown restrictions permitting). Look out for local posters for more information nearer the time.	Cross	Richard Parker (732084) (richard.a.parker@btinternet.com
	JULY 2021	Printing	Charlie Hamilton Printing Solutions charlieroosehamilton@hotmail.co.uk
2nd July	10am Weare Church Room - Coffee & Cake 'ON US' . Please take this opportunity to come along and view the renovations. We look forward to welcoming you.		
3 July	9am-1pm Axbridge Square - Axbridge Farmers Market – Many of the usual stalls and traders (featuring music from Jean & Bob)	Treasurer	Peggy Farley (732989)
11 July	Farewell Services for Rev. Judith	Cover Photo	Sarah Pettifer & Ruth Orriss
18 July	2.30pm Afternoon teas with Live music Biddisham Church grounds	Edited by	Bob Foster (732935) rmfoster10@yahoo.co.uk
	AUGUST 2021	From the Editor:	
7 Aug	All Day – St Mary’s church, Wedmore – Street Fayre	All submissions were received in good time for this issue. Thank you.	
<i>From the Treasurer, Peggy Farley</i> <i>As we are pleased to be publishing Contact again, we would be most appreciative to receive donations to make the continuation possible of this Community magazine”.</i> <i>If you wish to make a donation to contact please contact Peggy Farley, Treasurer, 01934 732989 for the necessary details.</i>		<u>Next Issue</u> The return to printed issues of Contact has been a success, although some have indicated a desire to reduce printing costs by forgoing their printed copy. Please let your local distributor know if you do NOT want to receive a printed copy, and your copy will be sent to others who live outside the catchment area, but have indicated that they DO want one.	
		<p>Wedmore Friends of Weston Hospicecare are having a stall at the Street Fair at St Mary’s church Wedmore and are looking for complete jigsaws for sale. If anyone has some then please can you deliver them to Bramblings, Plud Street, Wedmore BS28 4BE Telephone 01934 712089</p>	
<u>Keeping Up with Parish News</u> CONTACT Magazine is amazing, but how do you keep up to date in between editions? 1. Go to www.crookpeakparish.org.uk for the latest Notices, Service venues and a mine of information about our Churches and the Parish. 2. Open the Crook Peak App. Search your App store for Chancel and Enter Crook Peak in the search box. Get notifications of upcoming events or link our Events to your calendar. 3. Subscribe to the Parish email list. Just email us at crookpeakparish@hotmail.co.uk AND you can carry CONTACT on your smartphone! – CONTACT is on the App and the website.		Using a 'window' for submissions has been so successful that I want to do this again. Please send your submission emails between July 10th and July 14th to rmfoster10@yahoo.co.uk	

From: the Reverend Judith Jeffery, Rector of Crook Peak United Parish
 The Rectory, Sparrow Hill Way, Weare, Axbridge, BS26 2LE
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Dear Friends

I can hardly believe that this is my last letter in Contact to you.

When I look at my Ministry here in Crook Peak over the last almost 6 years what I hope for most is that God has allowed me to plant seeds of hope, enquiry and faith or nurture and feed and encourage faith in some way.

As I look back over my life I can see many people that nurtured that seed in me. The two old ladies over the road who took me to Church as a child, my Grandmother, The Sandford Methodist Youth Club in Churchdown. Mr. Jones an RI Teacher from Wales, Primary Teacher Mrs. Howell, The Baptist Church in Stroud and many more on my journey have nurtured my seed of faith on my journey to Ordination and becoming your Rector, which I certainly did not expect. I wish they all knew, what it has meant and where it led.

My Grandmother sadly died while I was at Theological College in Oxford and hers was the first funeral I ever conducted. I wish I could say thank you to her and to them all and let them all know how much I value them and how much I remember them and what their influence and faith has resulted in, even with my Grandmother who knew that was my destination at University.

I think we can be inclined to think that coming to faith is a sudden change of heart and mind, a sudden conversion, a bolt out of the blue, which it can be sometimes but it is more often a slow burn, so to speak, a growing ember with many small encounters that grow and nurture us into becoming a person of more and more faith over many years to be counted as a Christian. I therefore think we can be a point on a journey to a final destination of faith and I think this is true for many of us who are of faith and not just me but we may never know!

Who knows where it may lead, only God does.

Be ready to answer on enquiry what your faith means to you and pray that you are a point on someone's journey to faith.

My sincere love to you all and my continuing prayers in the future.

Reverend Judith Jeffery

ASCENSION DAY

At Ascensiontide it is good to remember Jesus's last words to his disciples before ascending into heaven, known as the Great Commission:

“All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore, go and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age”.

(Matt 28: 18-20).

You are not an accident, you were born for a purpose. God designed you so that you might come to know him, be loved by him, and fulfil his purpose for your life. What a wonderful thought!

Do, please ring with any prayer request – 01934 750856

From the Parish

David Duckworth writes...

Royal Mail's planned closure of Axbridge Sorting Office

Dear Neighbours, You may have heard that the personnel of Axbridge Sorting Office have been told that it will close in twelve weeks. There is a danger that, if it did, it would be hard for the Post Office to survive if the Sorting Office was closed, so we may in the end lose that too! A petition is being co-ordinated by Ben Ferguson, Axbridge Town Councillor, and copies are available in the Post Office. Please do all you can to help support the Post Master, Richard, to retain this vital service.

Denise Mawdsley, Head Teacher AT Weare school writes...

Pyjamarama Day was celebrated at Weare on Friday 14th May. This is a Book Trust fund-raising initiative where schools around the country spend a day in pyjamas and donate a £1 per pupil, to help raise money, 'so every child can experience the benefits of a bedtime story'. Both staff and pupils enjoyed a fun day reaching out to those less fortunate as well as highlighting the importance and joy of reading.

This Summer Term will be an exciting time for the Academy. After many years, we finally received funding to insulate and re-clad the external walls of the school. We hope this will reduce our heating costs, help to maintain a steady temperature in the classrooms as well as improve the external appearance of the school. The work is scheduled to begin in June, and we hope it will be completed by September.

Due to the lockdown last summer, the children were not able to swim in our outdoor pool. This year we are making a big effort to get the pool ready for the children to start water confidence and swimming lessons in June and July. Unfortunately, the pool boiler has had to be replaced. Our huge thanks go to our plumber, Mike Melliush, for sourcing a second-hand boiler and fitting it for us free of charge. We extend our thanks also to our supportive parent community and PTA, without whom we wouldn't be able to continue with this wonderful community provision. Let's hope that the sun shines for us next half term!

Our pre-school, Rainbow Woods, are busy preparing their older children for the transition to our Reception Class this September. We have 27 children from various local settings due to start with us. This is always a very enjoyable time, and we very much look forward to welcoming them to our school.

David Parker writes...

Badgworth Mums and Toddlers group

In February a Mums and Toddlers Group was hatched as a Covid support initiative at St Congar's Church in Badgworth. It was instigated by assistant churchwarden Hollie, who said "As our little ones have missed out on playgroup activities during the pandemic, we see this as a way to help them transition back into socialising together." There is an adventure tunnel along the aisle, karaoke, an outdoor mud kitchen, a playhouse, games, stories, puzzles and art. At Easter an outdoor egg hunt was enjoyed by the children and mums alike in the church grounds. The sounds of the happy children has brought new vibrancy to the church. The playgroup is held every Tuesday 3-5pm in the North Aisle Chapel at St Congar's Church.

BEFORE AND DURING:

Hollie Bailey (Assistant Churchwarden) & Deborah Anderson (Churchwarden) - socially distanced spring cleaning



AFTER:

Max Joseph-Bailey, Rose & Lily Samuels trialling & exploring our 13th century church



From the Registers:

Funerals:

7.4.21

Veronica Kate Baxter-Ludlow

Loxton

News from the Villages

Badgworth

Tina Salvidge writes ...

Badgworth Schoolroom will be the venue for a village art project exhibition, funded by the Arts Council and Sedgemoor District Council, from the 25th June to the 27th June inclusive (lockdown restrictions permitting). The project, called Time and Place 2021, is presented by local artist Tina Salvidge and includes various community activities that have been able to take place during lockdown in a Covid safe way (such as creating a knitting bomb and erecting pin hole cameras) There will also be a short film reflecting villagers' experiences of lockdown showing at the Schoolroom during the exhibition. The show opens at 6pm on Friday 25th June, with a private view for those involved in the project. It continues on the Saturday 26th June 12 to 6pm. There will be a village picnic outside the Schoolroom at 3 pm, when villagers are encouraged to bring a rug and their picnic (we hope to have local singers serenading the gathering some of the time) The final exhibition day is Sunday, 12 -6pm. The above is dependent on the weather and on lockdown restrictions being removed, so look out for local posters with more information.

David Parker writes ..

Crook Peak Special Choir

We are thrilled to announce the revival of the Crook Peak special choir. As a small choir of six voices we were able to sing hymns in harmony for evensong at St. Congar's on 25th April. It was a joyful occasion for singers and congregation alike. Making harmonious music together was an uplifting experience after so many months of silence. In a spirit of renewed energy and zest for post-lockdown life, we invite singers in the Crook Peak parish to join us in the choir, singing traditional services. We will start gently with hymns in 4-part harmony, hoping to progress in the future to full choral evensong.

To whet your appetites, the choir has an outing on 26th June at the Badgworth Schoolrooms, as part of a celebration to mark the end of lockdown. We will be singing a short 15 minute programme outside the schoolrooms and there will be a village exhibition and picnic. If you would like to sing with us on this day, please contact Debra Anderson on 01934 732537 or email debratanderson16@gmail.com

The repair and conservation of the medieval rendering

The repair and conservation of the medieval rendering to St. Congar's Church has taken place in Badgworth, with Wells Cathedral Stonemasons Limited. You may have seen Simon and Edmund working on site. The process includes the application of a final coat of Harlin (locally pronounced Hurlin) that requires the stonemason using a small, square hand-held trowel to 'hurl' the limestone plaster (thin and watery) onto the Lime Putty that has been forced by trowel into the spaces where the medieval plaster is irrecoverable.

Badgworth (cont)

In two places on each gable the stonework was so eroded that the stonemasons had to rebuild with stone that they found lying in the churchyard, thus maintaining a conservation process.

Loxton & Christon

Philip Davies writes...

At last we can start to dream about a future not dominated by Covid restrictions! And with the future in mind the wonderful Loxton Monday lunches in the village hall are back on the horizon! All being well Mary Counsell and Mary Amesbury are thinking of restarting on Monday, September 6th. They have asked if all those who have attended Monday lunches in the past could get in touch with them so they can gauge whether there will be enough interest to make it a success. I do hope there will be a positive response as they have always been wonderful social occasions of real benefit to the community. The food's always excellent too!

The Friends of Loxton Church group tell me that rewiring of the church has been completed and that the new lighting really shows off the church's beautiful internal architecture to its best. They wish to publicly thank Tom Bugler, the electrician, for his excellent work.

A new group has been set up in North Somerset with the purpose of getting speed limits in all villages and town centres in the authority reduced to 20 MPH. The parish council is fully supportive of this initiative but would like to know if residents are of the same opinion. The group, '20's Plenty for North Somerset', are hoping that, if they can get enough support from residents across N. Somerset, they will be able to persuade the authority to take action and introduce it. The next Loxton & Christon parish council meeting where it will be discussed will be on Monday, July 5th. If there is enough interest the parish council will invite a member from the group to speak. Please let your parish councillors know of your opinion. We extend a very warm welcome to Tom and Tash Bougard and the twins who have recently moved into Westhill House following the departure of Pete and Lyn Bugler to their new house across the border in Webbington. We wish you well in your new home.

News from the Villages (continued)

Compton Bishop

Kerry McColgan From St Andrew's Church writes..
The United Parish of Crook Peak would like to welcome all new residents. There have been a lot of changes over recent months. In particular Martine and Giuseppe Bavetta and their three children, Octavia, Luna and Lily, not forgetting of course dachshund Bluebell. Also welcome to Compton Bishop George and Emma Pimm and your daughters. We wish all new families many happy times ahead within our community.

Food Bank

Just to remind everyone there is a box at the back of Compton Bishop Church and Weare Church for donations. I take this to The Healthy Living Centre on the Bournville estate each month and your contributions are very much appreciated. THANK YOU.... Items such as cereal, tinned meat, tinned vegetables, tinned fruit, beans and pulses, rice and pasta, pasta sauces, tea and coffee etc. Also other essential non-food items such as tooth brushes, tooth paste, shaving gel, shampoo, shower gel, soap, deodorant are most welcome. The objective is where a family has a sudden crisis they can be provided with basic essentials for a meal and toiletries.
Sent from my iPad

John Butt writes...

I hope my article (see 'Special Features') may be of interest to members of the parish. If anyone has any further information or indeed pictures of my family, I would be grateful to hear from them through my email address. Thank you. With best wishes, David Butt

Family Historian & Member of Bristol and Avon Family History Society

Biddisham

Claire Talbot (churchwarden) writes ...

Dear friends, Over the next few months the porch repairs will be completed and other work will begin to keep the Church in good repair – I will let you how things progress as they happen. There are always little things that need a bit of TLC so if you fancy helping out at all please let me know. In June we celebrate St John the Baptist day. This year we will be giving out GIFT DAY envelopes to raise money for the upkeep of the church. I am hoping to be able to deliver the envelopes to individual houses, if this is not possible I will hand you one when I see you! Thank you in advance for your donations.

Biddisham (cont)

On Sunday 18th July starting at 2.30pm we will be serving afternoon teas in the grounds of the Church. During the afternoon there will be some live music, a few stalls and a raffle. Do come along and meet up with fellow villagers and enjoy a relaxing summer afternoon with friends.

Weare

Sarah Pettiifer writes ...

'A BIG THANK YOU'

Coffee Morning - 2nd July 10am at Weare Church Room Committee are delighted (now that Covid restrictions have been lifted) to invite All in Crook Peak Parish, to enjoy Coffee & Cake 'ON US', as a Thank You for all the support which we've been given over the past few years. The endless meetings, fund raising and hard work have paid off and we are delighted that Phase One of the renovations are complete and the Church Room is open for all events. Please take this opportunity to come along and view the results. We look forward to welcoming you.



David Duckworth Duddon House, Sparrow Hill Way (davidjduckworth@hotmail.com) writes...

Weare Neighbourhood Watch

Dear Neighbours,

I am pleased to report that we now have a new Neighbourhood Watch Coordinator for Notting Hill Way. We welcome to our team, Kevin Davies, who has kindly agreed to take on the role, thank you Kevin. This means that there are now six active NHW Coordinators covering Weare. They are: Hilary Hugh, Paul Wattam, Terry Drinkwater, Ailene Brooks, Kevin Davies and myself.

Our thanks again go to all our Coordinators for giving freely of their time to this worthwhile scheme which helps to keep us safe and helps our community to be well informed. Sadly, the recent burglary and assault at Allerton bring home what a worthy scheme it is.

If anyone requires any further information or are unsure who their local coordinator is, please contact me on the email below and I will be happy to advise. I occasionally receive feedback on our activities and this is always welcome.

Regular Groups

Axbridge Music Makers

Jean Pickering writes... The Axbridge Music Makers want to record a public 'thank you' to Barry Cross, the Axbridge Country Market Traders, and the Community, for their support during our music making on the first Saturday of each month in Axbridge Square, on Market Day.

Up to the April 2021 Market day we have raised £1,595 and this was presented to Weston Hospice Care in April. We look forward to seeing you there again soon.



Axbridge Royal British Legion As I write this, 15th May 2021, British Legion Members around the country are commemorating the Centenary of the organisation. The British Legion was formed by a combination of charities, devoted to helping the veterans, at The Cenotaph on 15th May 1921. While having royal patronage from its founding in 1921, the Legion received its "Royal" appellation on 29 May 1971, on its golden anniversary. Somerset will be celebrating 100 years of the Legion in Somerset in June. As yet no definite event has been arranged for June 8th but for up to date information contact Brian on 01278 785696 or John on 07710 180847 or email john.hawkins@rimelo.com during the week before. At the time of going to press meeting in July is still in the planning stage please contact Brian or John nearer the time.

Axbridge District Trefoil Guild Locally no plans as yet fixed as to when the next meeting will be or where it will be. However there is news from County as follows. FRIENDS AGM - Saturday 3rd July 2021 & FRIENDS WEEKEND – 2nd – 5th July 2021. Friends are planning on returning to Foxlease - YIPEE! - will you be one of them? Girl-guiding Foxlease met on zoom on 4th May to take the decision that the Friends AGM & Weekend – first weekend in July - will be going ahead this year. Contact Sue Wild on swild34@hotmail.com Liz Hamilton liz_hamilton500@yahoo.co.uk or Ros Prince ros555prince@outlook.com if interested or for update on possible meetings in July.

AXBRIDGE ARCHAEOLOGICAL & LOCAL HISTORY SOCIETY



Our next meeting will be on

Wednesday 16 June at 7.30pm

when Ian Blake will give a talk on the history of Brean Down entitled

10,000 years in 1 ½ miles

This will be followed by a visit to the site in July – date to be confirmed. The talk will be by zoom
If you would like a link to access this or to go on the mailing list for future talks then please contact zoommaster@aalhs.co.uk
We look forward to you joining us.

Liz Friend, Secretary AALHS www.aalhs.co.uk

Full details of this and the full programme are on the website www.aalhs.co.uk

Special Events

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in aid of Friends of Compton Bishop Church***

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Street Fair
Saturday 7th August, St Mary's Church, Wedmore

Special Features

David Butt writes...

My family has a strong connection in the past with the parish of St Andrews Church, Compton Bishop and indeed Compton Bishop for at least 90 years with baptisms, marriages and funerals all carried out in the parish church. Originally born in Chew Stoke and brought up in Sandford, Somerset my great grandfather x2 John BUTT lived with his wife Hester (nee BANWELL) and their children Eliza Jane and James Henry and last son (Benjamin) William at Manor Farm, Compton Bishop as tenants of the MORDAUNT family from 1881 probably taking up the tenancy on Ladys Day of that year as was the custom. Recently there was an article by Alan Bambury's in the March 2021 edition of the Bristol & Avon Family History Society Journal (183) which touched on my family ancestry regarding the question of work carried out by Geoffrey A. K. Robinson.

To explain, originally John and Hester Butt started married life at Fydlas Farm (also called Vydlas Farm in the Welsh language), at Llanishen on the outskirts of Cardiff and had a fruitful marriage giving birth to seven children. However, three children were to die prematurely in Wales. Within a short space of time of just nine days in 1879 two of their young children had died. Buried in the graveyard at the front of St Isan's Church, Llanishen are the graves of three children – Frances Mary who died in February 1869 aged 18 months; Hester on 27 November 1879 aged three years, 10 months; and Michael John on 5 December 1879 aged 9 years. Their tombstones read for Frances Mary:- ‘Mourn not for me my parents dear I am not dead but sleeping here’ and for the two children Hester and Michael John:- ‘Not gone from home not gone from love but gone to our father's house above.’

The Western Mail Thursday, April 15, 1880 reported under the title of Cardiff Rural Sanitary Authority:- ‘Dr. F. W. Granger, medical officer, presented the quarterly report, from which it appeared the mortality during the last three months was high.. [including] One death from typhoid fever had occurred at Whitchurch, two from diphtheria at Fydlas Farm, Llanishen, and one from scarlatina at Pentrych. There had been 12 inquests..’

The Western Mail reported on Friday 13 May 1881 Cardiff Rural Sanitary District Medical Officer's Annual Report:- Dr. F. W. Granger, the Medical Officer of Health of the Cardiff Rural Sanitary Authority, has just issued his report for 1880, inspecting the sanitary conditions of rural districts. ‘..In my last report (1879) I referred at some length to the water-well at Mr. Butt's Farm, Llanishen. Subsequently a new well has been sunk, and the water from this was analysed and pronounced to be fit for drinking purposes.’ As a result of the death of their three children John and Hester were so distraught that they moved to Manor Farm, Compton Bishop in 1881 after staying with his brother and sister-in-law at James and Mary Butt's home at Lower Farm, Lympham.

In St Andrews Church Compton Bishop, the children's deaths are commemorated in a stain glass window together with John's wife Hester who died in 1913. The picture in the window depicts the scene of Jesus saying, ‘Suffer little children, and forbid them not, to come unto me: for of such is the kingdom of heaven.’ Matthew 19:14. The stain glass window recorded the inscription in the existing nave window altered after 1913 to the inscription to, “To the Glory of God and in memory of John and Hester Butt, their children Frances, John, Hester and William, also Louisa, wife of William, all of Manor Farm”. The window is marked Joseph Bell & Son Bristol 1914 and 1964. The work was carried out by Geoffrey A. K. Robinson – Associate of the British Society of Master Glass Painters through Joseph Bell & Son (Stained Glass) Ltd. Founded 1840 of 68 Park Street Bristol 1 and approved by the PCC on April 13th 1964. John Butt is buried outside in the graveyard at St Andrews Church in a family grave which includes John's first wife Hester and his second wife May together with and his last son (Benjamin) William and his wife Louisa together with their two daughters.

Epilogue: John Butt lived a colourful life and after he and Hester moved to Compton Bishop they quickly became involved in the local community and John became the parish warden at St Andrews as he had been at St Isan's Church in Llanishen. John also became an overseer of the poor for the parish and a supporter of the Axbridge Workhouse during his 47 years of life in the parish. As such he provided transport for their outings to Langford Court and also gave food to the Workhouse. John was involved with the Compton Bishop Cricket Club and as well as Cheddar Football Club. He and his son (Benjamin) William were also on the committee for the Compton Bishop Flower Festival.

John Butt was a successful farmer and was a regular at farming events either as a judge in Wales and more locally a competitor for example at the Banwell Horse and Agricultural Show, Bristol Stud Company Annual Show, Evercreech and mid-Somerset Agricultural Show, and Frome Agricultural Show. Both of John's brothers were also farmers and his three sister's farmer's wives, one sister however who married a baker and seedsman. After the death of his first wife Hester, John BUTT married his widowed sister-in-law Maria BUTT (nee FEATHERSTONHAUGH) known as May, despite their 29 year age difference. They settled into married life at Rackley House (also called Rackley Villa), Rackley but sadly May died of bowel cancer at the young age of 52 in 1922. John Butt died at the age of 87 in 1928.

If anyone has any further information or indeed pictures of my family, I would be grateful to hear from them through my email address d_r_butt@msn.com

	Badgworth		Biddisham		Compton Bishop			Christon	Loxton	Weare	
2021	Flowers & Dusting	Brass	Flowers	Cleaning & Brass	Flowers	Cleaning	Brass	Flowers, Cleaning & Brass	Flowers, Cleaning & Brass	Flowers & Brass	Cleaning
6 June			D Rogers	L Born						B. Channon	J. Whattam
13 June			“	“	M Jordan	S Thorne & C Laney				“	“
20 June			“	“						A Ham & J Jackson	A. Fox
27 June			“	“	B Kuipers v L		C Milkins & V Preece			“	“
4 July			F Doohan	S Steel						L Taylor	L Taylor
11 July			“	“	P Warner					“	“
18 July			“	“						L Parfitt	G Willis
25 July			“	“	H Dean	J Murray				“	“
Aug					J Stuchbery		S Acland & G Gravel			A. LeProvost	A LeProvost

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Weare

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Crook Peak United Parish - Six Buildings, One Church

We welcome believers of all denominations to the Lord's Table

SERVICES FOR JUNE AND JULY 2021

Sunday 6 June (1st)	9.00 am Short Holy Communion	Weare	2 Cor 4: 13-5.1; Mark 3: 20-end
Trinity 1 (White)	10.00 am Praise and Worship	Weare	2 Cor 4: 13-5.1; Mark 3: 20-end
Sunday 13 June (2nd)	8.00 am BCP Holy Communion	Loxton	2 Cor 5: 6-17; Mark 4: 26-34
Trinity 2 (Green)	10.00 am CW Holy Communion	Compton B	2 Cor 5: 6-17; Mark 4: 26-34
	4.00 pm Evening Prayer	Loxton	Special Readings
Sunday 20 June (3rd) - Birth of John the Baptist			
Trinity 3 (Green)	8.00 am BCP Holy Communion	Biddisham	2 Cor 6: 1-13; Mark 4: 35-end
Patronal Festival	10.00 am CW Holy Communion	Weare	2 Cor 6: 1-13; Mark 4: 35-end
On 21st June there will be a further announcement from the Government regarding the lifting of COVID restrictions. With this in mind there may be a change to the venue for the 10.00 am service on 27 June. Please check our website at crookpeakparish.org.uk or our phone app for any updates.			
Sunday 27 June (4th)	8.00 am BCP Holy Communion	Badgworth	2 Cor 8: 7-end; Mark 5: 21-end
Trinity 4 (Green)	10.00 am CW Holy Communion	Compton B	2 Cor 8: 7-end; Mark 5: 21-end
	6.00 pm Evening Prayer	Badgworth	Ps 53; Jer 11: 1-14; Luke 9: 51-end
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Trinity 6 (Green)	10.00 am CW Holy Communion	Compton B	Eph 1: 3-14; John 15: 1-8
	4.00 pm Evening Prayer	Christon	Special Readings
From Sunday 18 July 2021 the Parish will be in Vacancy and Reverend Judith will have retired. Please therefore note that in order to acquire help from the Area Dean with Chapter Clergy, Readers and Lay Worship Leaders the main Sunday Service will be at 10.30 am. There will be a Service of Communion each Sunday for 3 weeks of each month. Please also note that at 10.30 am on alternate 3rd Sundays there will be a Family Service at Loxton or a BCP Morning Prayer at Biddisham.			
Sunday 18 July (3rd)	8.00 am BCP Holy Communion	Compton B	Eph 2: 11-end; Mark 6: 30-34, 53-end
Trinity 7 (Green)	10.30 am Family Service	Loxton	Special Readings
Sunday 25 July (4th)	10.30 am CW Holy Communion (Rev Geoff Hobden)	Compton B	Eph 3: 14-end; John 6: 1-21
Trinity 8 (Green)	6.00 pm Evening Prayer	Badgworth	Ps 74: 11-16; Job 19: 1-27a; Luke 11: 1-13
Sunday 1 Aug (1st)	9.00 am Agape Last Supper	Weare	Eph 4: 1-16; John 6: 24-35
(An Agape is not a communion but a re-enactment of the last supper with Jesus and is taken by a Lay Minister and not a Priest.)			
Trinity 9 (Green)	10.30 am Praise and Worship	Weare	Eph 4: 1-16; John 6: 24-35