

St. Barts Weekly News

Sunday Worship • Parish Notices • Prayer
• Community Life

Welcome to this week's St. Barts newsletter. This front side gives you the essentials for Sunday worship, a short reflection, and the key notices for the week. Please take this home, keep it handy, and share it with anyone who may appreciate an invitation to join us.

This Sunday July 19th 2026

Time	Service	Notes
8.00 am	Holy Communion	The traditional service. BCP
10.00 am	Parish Eucharist	Hymns: 321, 518, 154, 366 Readings: On the weekly sheet
6.00 pm	Evening Prayer A peaceful end to the day.	A quiet end to the day

A Thought for the Week

"Surely the Lord is in this place, and I did not know it." — Genesis 28:16

Jacob wasn't in a holy place. He was in the wilderness, exhausted, anxious, and alone. The revelation wasn't that God *arrived* — but that Jacob finally *noticed*.

This is the quiet challenge for the week: **God is already present in the places you think are ordinary, pressured, or unremarkable. The question is whether you're moving slowly enough to see Him.**

Next Sunday July 26th. 2026

Time	Service	Notes
8.00 am	Holy Communion	A quiet, traditional service. BCP
10.00 am	Parish Eucharist	Hymns: 501, 467, 380, 99
6.00 pm	Evening Prayer	A peaceful end to the day

Notices

- **Coffee after the 10.00 am service:** Please stay for refreshments and conversation.
- **Volunteers needed:** Help is welcome with reading, flowers, welcoming and refreshments.
- **Foodbank collection:** Donations of tins, pasta, rice, toiletries and household essentials are gratefully received.
- **Prayer requests:** Please pass names or situations for prayer to the clergy or churchwardens or email revmike1@outlook.com

Diary Dates

Date	Event	Details
Every Thursday	Coffee and cake	Baptist Chapel Wigginton 10.30am to 11.30am
21st July	PCC meeting	7.30pm church room
22 nd July	School leavers service	11am in church

Prayer Focus

This week we continue to pray for all affected by the earthquake in Venezuela, with people now suffering from many forms of illness. The extreme heat across Europe and its effects on us all. The emergency services, the ill and suffering, those who have died. And finally, we pray for ourselves.

Get Involved

There are many ways to take part in church life, from music and hospitality to pastoral care, gardening, fundraising and practical support. If you would like to offer time or skills, please speak to one of the clergy or churchwardens.

Contacts

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Add to this Newsletter

If you would like anything added to our newsletter, please let Michael know. 075856408 or revmike1@outlook.com

Fundraising Flower Arranging Demonstration by Neil Gurney



Tickets £15
Includes glass
of Pimms

Tickets from jackie@ffarrow.com 07905 282341

Wednesday 5th August 7:30pm
Wigginton Village Hall

Keep Peddling



On September 25th Rev Jonathan will be cycling the 66-mile route around the Isle of Wight to raise money for Phakamisa. There is a JustGiving link for sponsorship:

<https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/ionathan-gordon-5>

Any sponsorship will be a great encouragement to keep peddling.

Children's entertainment
Brass Band
Dog show
BBQ
Cakes
Pimms and beer tent
Nearly new stall, bottle tombola, children's activity table, jewellery stall, book stall and much more!

JOIN US ON **SATURDAY** 5th SEPTEMBER 2026

St Bartholomew's Church Fete

Wigginton HP23 6HE

➤ Gates open 12 noon to 4pm ➤

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**Cream teas every Sunday
2-4pm in the church and
grounds.**

