

Holy Trinity News: August

Vacancy news

As many of you will know Revd Angela is leaving us at the beginning of September to take up a new Charge at Clipston, with Naseby and Haselbeck and Kelmarsh in the Peterborough Diocese.

Revd Angela's last service will be the Joint Service at Holy Rood on Sunday 1st September. Please come, if you can, to say goodbye to Angela.

Bishop Nigel chaired an informal Joint Vestry Meeting on Wednesday 24th July where he gave us the very good news that he will be the Interim Rector for both our churches for the next 12 months. Bishop Nigel said that he would chair a Joint Vestries Vacancy meeting on Monday 9th September in Holy Trinity Church Hall when he will map out the process and timetable for the vacancy together with his early thoughts about the current twinning and each Charge's particular challenges and opportunities. He added that there is plenty to get on with in mission and ministry and he is excited to come alongside the two Charges more closely for a while.

Both Vestries are very grateful to Bishop Nigel for taking on this task.

Dates for August

Sunday 4th August: 10.30am Joint Service at Holy Trinity, Monifieth

2.30pm: Ecumenical Safari Service starting at Panmure Church, then on to Holy Trinity and finishing at St Bride's.

Wednesday 7th August: 7.30pm Vestry Meeting at Holy Trinity

Sunday 11th August: 11am Sung Eucharist

6.30pm Sing-a-long Service

Sunday 18th August: 11am Sung Eucharist

Sunday 25th August: 11am Sung Eucharist

6.30pm Sing-a-long Service

Saturday 31st August: 3pm Summer Barbecue

5.30pm Service of Confirmation

Sunday 1st September: 10.30pm Joint Service at Holy Rood, Carnoustie (Revd Angela's final service)

Ecumenical Safari Service: This service on Sunday 4th August is a way for our churches in Monifieth to worship together in an informal way. The service will start at 2.30pm in Panmure Church, we will then walk to Holy Trinity for the next part of the service and finally on to St Bride's to conclude the service and have some refreshments. Do try to come along if you can.

Summer Evening Sing-a-long Services: The service in July was a joyous occasion, much enjoyed by those who attended. Do try to join us on the 11th or the 25th.

Sunday 31st August:

Summer Barbecue 3pm: This is always a popular event. The sun usually shines and the food and the company are always first class! Please bring your family and friends. Sign up on the notice at the back of the church to give Dorothy an idea of numbers.

Confirmation 5.30pm: The Barbecue will be followed by a service of Confirmation led by Bishop Nigel. This will be a joint event with two young people from Holy Trinity and one from Holy Rood being confirmed. Please try to come to support our young people and their families at this very important time.

Farewell to Revd Angela: We will be saying goodbye to Angela after the Joint Service at Holy Rood on the 1st of September. If you are unable to be at that service the last Sunday that Angela will be at Holy Trinity is Sunday 18th of August. She will also be at the Confirmation Service on Saturday 31st of August. Please keep Angela in your prayers as she prepares to move to Northamptonshire to take up her new appointment. Angela has promised to keep us in her prayers when she travels south.

Website: Do visit our church website, if you have access to a computer, for information of events, church rotas, contact details and much more.

www.holytrinitymonifieth.org

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