



What's On in the Northleach Benefice

Wednesday 15th February

Northleach 10.30 am Holy Communion – CW Rector

Sunday 19th February

Notgrove	9.00 am	Holy Communion – CW	Celia Woodruff
Haselton	10.00 am	Word and Worship	Curate
Northleach	10.30 am	Holy Communion – CW with Junior church	Owen Barraclough
Hampnett	10.30 am	Matins	John Hollows
Cold Aston	10.30 am	Holy Communion – BCP	Celia Woodruff
Northleach	6.30 pm	Evensong	Bill White

Prayers



We pray for the village of Haselton, Northleach residents of East End and the Westwood Centre. We continue to pray for Bishop Michael and Alison, Ruth Cotton, Camilla Trotter, Brian Hartigan, Lizzie Hall, Debbie Davies and the family of John Ferris.

Daily morning prayer is said in Northleach Church at 9.30am on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday. Evening prayers are said in the villages as advertised locally.

Dates and Notices



Funeral of Mrs Nesta Marjorie Stone at 11.30 am, **Wednesday 15th February** at Compton Abdale Church.

Funeral of John Ferris will be at 1pm on **Friday 24th February** at Northleach Church.

Three Choir Concert on **25th February, 7 for 7.30pm** at Northleach Church. Tickets £10 (under 16's from Post Office, Fruit Cakes and Castles Butchers. Bar provided. Come and hear the Ffrindiau – Youthful Welsh choir established 40 yrs ago, Wine Direction, our own Northleach local choir celebrating first together and our resident Church Choir. A wonderful evening of a broad range of music in different styles.

Our Lent course this year is called **Faith Pictures** and will take place over six evenings beginning in **late February**. The course – devised by the Church Army – encourages us to use pictures and images to explore and share our faith. Posters and sign up sheets are appearing in the benefice churches this weekend so please take a look, check your diaries and come along whenever you can!

The date of the **Annual Parochial Church Meeting** at Northleach Church has been changed to **4.30pm on Sunday 9th April (Palm Sunday)** and will conclude in time for Evensong at 6.30pm. Please begin thinking about who you would like as your churchwardens for the next year, discuss it with the people concerned and pass name suggestions to the Rector. Thank you! Also at the Annual Parochial Church Meeting, during the Vestry Meeting that appoints churchwardens, we will also be **nominating a new Town Trustee**. Two names are required from which the existing Trustees will choose one for the vacancy created by Phil Harris' retirement.

Would you like to be a **Church Link representative** for your road? Our role is to welcome new neighbours to Northleach and to share with people details about our church. On the notice board at the back of the church you will find a map of Northleach, please look at gaps and sign up on the board to help.

Words for Post Communion Hymn at Northleach Church

<i>Seek ye first the kingdom of God</i>	<i>Ask, and it shall be given unto you</i>	<i>Man shall not live by bread alone,</i>
<i>And His righteousness;</i>	<i>Seek, and you will find</i>	<i>But by every word</i>
<i>And all these things shall be added unto you.</i>	<i>Knock, and it shall be opened unto you</i>	<i>That proceeds out from the mouth of God</i>
<i>Hallelu, Hallelujah!</i>	<i>Hallelu, Hallelujah</i>	<i>Hallelu, Hallelujah</i>

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