

WHAT'S ON IN THE NORTHLEACH BENEFICE



Wednesday 17th October

Northleach 10.30 am Holy Communion – CW +David Jennings

Sunday 21st October

Haselton	9.00 am	Holy Communion – CW	David Ford
Northleach	10.30 am	Holy Communion – CW	David Ford
Cold Aston	10.30 am	Holy Communion – BCP	+David Jennings
Notgrove	6.00 pm	Harvest Festival	David Ford
Northleach	6.30 pm	Evensong	Bill White

Welcome to Worship

A very warm welcome to everyone in church today, especially if you are new to this church or visiting the area this weekend. May our time together today bring renewal in our faith, strength to manage the challenges of life and encouragement to live as faithful friends of Jesus.



For your prayers

In your prayers this week, please pray for the village of Hampnett, residents of Crail View and The Ox House. Ruth Cotton, Camilla Trotter, Brian Hartigan, Lizzie Hall, Debbie Davies, Ron Haines, David Cotton, Betty Harris, and all others whose needs we know and who have asked for our prayers.



Church News

Northleach Church finances are facing a difficult year with rising costs and falling donations. If you are not yet part of the **Parish Giving Scheme** please speak with Tony Antoniou or with David who can give you an information pack. The Parish Giving Scheme is the most cost effective way for the church to receive regular giving, especially if you are a tax payer. Thank you!

Keith Blundell is collecting donations of wallpaper leftovers for craft activities in our Monthly Family Service. If you have any end rolls that you no longer need please bring them to church and leave them for Richard to collect from the children's area. Thank you!

Lady Sally Wade-Gery's final service at Cold Aston church is on Sunday 21st October at 10.30am before she moves nearer to family in Suffolk. Sally has been devoted to St Andrew's for many years and has been a most diligent and caring Churchwarden. We give thanks to God for her years of service and pray that her move will go smoothly and that she quickly settles amongst new friends in Woodbridge.

Post Communion Hymn at Northleach (10.30am):

Wait for the Lord, whose day is near

Wait for the Lord, be strong take heart!

Dates for your Diaries

Monday 15th October - Turkdean PCC meeting at 6 p.m. and Notgrove PCC meeting at 7.30 p.m.

Prayer for the week ahead

Lord God, help me to be a blessing. Let me not be focused on seeking others' approval, but instead to reach out in love. May love become my default setting, so that, every day, my responses will become more gracious, more compassionate, and more like you. In Jesus' name. Amen.

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