

Our prayers are asked:

- for our parish and Cathedral Church, that God's Holy Spirit will equip us to share the life and love of Jesus Christ in our community
- for Sylvia Bullock & Dom Arthy being confirmed today
- for the appointment of a Children and Families worker for Hempsted
- for those taking school and public exams
- following the D Day commemorations, for our task as peacemakers
- for wisdom & guidance for all our political leaders
- for all who are sick
- for all who have died including Lise Noakes, John Stokes & Reg Dyer

Collections are taken during most services to pay for the running of the churches. If you are a UK tax payer, please use the Gift Aid envelope in the pew, complete your details and sign it. This is required to verify that it is you making the donation, so that we can

recover tax at no extra expense to yourself. Better still, join our Planned Giving Scheme.

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The Parish of Hempsted with St Mary de Lode
and St Mary de Crypt, Gloucester
in partnership with Gloucester Cathedral



9 June 2019

Pentecost

10.00am	United Parish Holy Communion	St Mary de Lode
Readings	Acts 2: 1-21; Romans 8: 14-17; John 14: 8-17	
Hymns	175; Psalm 104. 26-36, 37b; on sheet; 179	
Preacher	Pauline Godfrey	
10.15am	Eucharist w Confirmation	Cathedral
3.00pm	Choral Evensong	Cathedral

We welcome the Rev'd Canon Pauline Godfrey to St Mary de Lode today whilst Nikki is in the Cathedral.



Tuesday, 11 June

11.30am Holy Communion The Dean Centre

Wednesday, 12 June

2.00pm Dementia-friendly Songs of Praise St Mary de Lode

Thursday, 13 June

8.30am Morning Prayer St Mary de Lode

Friday, 14 June

9.15am Morning Prayer St Swithun's

10.30am Coffee, Cake & Conversation Discover DeCrypt

12noon Charity Lunch Lysons Hall *see notice*

1.00pm Prayers for the City Discover DeCrypt

Saturday, 15 June

10.00am Coffee Morning St Mary de Lode

3.30pm Grave Talk training Discover DeCrypt

7.00pm Pudding and Pimms Lysons Hall

Sunday, 16 June *Trinity Sunday*

9.15am Sung Eucharist St Mary de Lode

11.00am Holy Communion St Swithun's

3.00pm Choral Evensong Cathedral

There are just a few tickets left for **Pudding and Pimms** on Saturday 15 June at 7pm in the Lysons Hall. Join us for a glass of pimms, magnificent pudds and entertainment from Hempsted Community Choir. Organised by FOSS. Tickets £3 are available from the Post Office, Jane Critchard 301333 and Diane Turner 524321.

Gravetalk and Tea: an opportunity to learn more about this highly successful resource for opening up conversations about death. Sandra Millar will be leading a free training session on Sunday 16 June 3.30-4.30pm at Discover DeCrypt. To book your free place call or text Jess 07818 485863 or mail@discoverdecrypt.org.uk

Discover DeCrypt will be holding a **Festival of Death and Life** on 21-23 June. There will be talks, music, poetry, Gravetalk café and a Messy Church workshop from Lucy Moore on exploring death and bereavement with children. See the full programme and book tickets at www.discoverdecrypt.org.uk

Dennis Collins is in need of a local person to deliver the parish magazine once a month to addresses in **Soren Larsen Way**. If you are able to help please contact Dennis on 303175.

On Friday 14th June, at 12noon in the Lysons Hall, Joanne and Mark Stock will be hosting our **2nd Friday Charity Lunch** for the Macular Society. Every day over 200 people in the UK face the shock of this diagnosis which robs them of their independence. Solely funded by generous donations, the Macular Society funds research to find a cure. Your support is very welcome.

Thank you so much for your gifts, prayers and support of **Christian Aid**. We raised the wonderful sum of £1928.55 (incl Gift Aid). *Mary*

Bishop Rachel has announced that the interim **Area Dean** will be the Rev'd Michael Garland who has recently retired to the city. Michael will work with the Rev'd Ruth Fitter, assistant Area Dean and we look forward to getting to know him.