

BADSEY, ALDINGTON and WICKHAMFORD

PARISH REVIEW

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WELCOME TO
THE REV. PETER MITCHELL & TO MRS. MITCHELL

The arrival of a new Vicar is an important and exciting moment in the life of a Parish Church and the Community which it serves. On Tuesday, 16th September, at 7.30 pm the Lord Bishop of Worcester will "institute" the Rev. Peter Mitchell as Vicar of Badsey with Aldington and Vicar of Wickhamford, and the Archdeacon of Worcester, the Venerable J.C. Williams, will "induct" him with the full legal authority for the two Parish Churches. Archdeacon Williams is retiring from his high office at the end of September and the day is thus made more memorable by the fact that it is the Archdeacon's last Induction, performed at Badsey in the middle of the celebrations of the Diocese's 13th Centenary.

We extend to the Rev. Peter Mitchell and to his Wife and Daughter the very warmest of welcomes, and we hope that their stay among us will be long and happy. We look forward to Mr. Mitchell's Ministry with lively anticipation. He comes at a time of challenge and will doubtless soon discover plenty of problems to be resolved. He will need our prayers continually and a congregation fully committed to support his leadership. He will conduct a celebration of the Eucharist at Badsey at 10.00 a.m. the morning after his Induction; four days later comes the Badsey Church Fete and twelve days after that the Badsey Harvest Supper. These events will give us early opportunities to meet our new Vicar and to demonstrate to him in practical fashion our united determination to respond to the Church's needs.

The Service of Institution is due to start at 7.30 p.m. and we hope that you will be in your seats in Badsey Church by 7.15 p.m. We shall be welcoming a coach load of visitors from Lund, a warm Lancashire tribute to the affection that Mr. Mitchell has built up in his last Parish. Other visitors will include the clergy and their wives from the Evesham Deanery, and Don Hartwell and Ralph Taylor, the Sidesmen for the occasion, will do their best to squeeze the congregations of our two Parishes into Badsey Church. After the Service there will be refreshments in the hall of Badsey Village Primary School, the catering being in the hands of Mrs. Leigh of School Lane, assisted by a Committee of Badsey and Wickhamford Ladies; all are welcome.

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Church Services during September

St. James Church, Badsey

7th Pentecost 15	11.00 The Eucharist	6.30 Evensong
14th Pentecost 16	11.00 The Eucharist (said)	6.30 Evensong
16th Service of Institution for the Revd. Peter Mitchell		7.30
17th Wednesday	10.00 The Eucharist	
21st Pentecost 17	11.00 The Eucharist	6.30 Evensong
24th Wednesday	10.00 The Eucharist	
28th Pentecost 18	8.00 The Eucharist	6.30 Eucharist
Oct. 1st Wednesday	10.00 The Eucharist	
Oct. 5th Pentecost 19	11.00 The Eucharist	6.30 Evensong

Lectionary for September

	<u>At the Eucharist</u>	<u>At Evensong</u>
7th Pentecost 15	1 Kings 3, 4-15	Isaiah 45, 1-13
Trinity 14	Matt. 14, 1-12	Matt. 22, 1-33
14th Pentecost 16	Deut. 15, 7-11	Lev. 19, 1-4, 9-18
Trinity 15	Luke 16, 19-end	Luke 10, 25-37
21st Pentecost 17	2 Cor. 4, 1-6	1 Chron. 29, 9-18
Trinity 16	Matt. 9, 9-13	1 Tim. 6, 6-19
28th Pentecost 18	Neh. 6, 1-16	Haggai 1
Trinity 17	Matt. 25, 14-30	Matt. 5, 13-26
<u>Oct.</u>		
5th Pentecost 19	Daniel 6, 10-23	Genesis 28, 10-end
Trinity 18	Luke 19, 1-10	Hebrews 11, 1-16

St. John the Baptist, Wickhamford

Sept. 7th	9.30 The Eucharist	
14th	9.30 The Eucharist	
16th	Induction of Rev. Peter Mitchell at Badsey	7.30 p.m.
21st	9.30 The Eucharist	
28th	11.00 Matins and Harvest Festival	

Badsey Church Fete - Saturday 20th September

We have a number of side shows but urgently need more help to run them. If you would be prepared to man a show for part of the afternoon so that helpers are not tied the whole time we would welcome your name and the time available. Please give your name to Peter Embleton or one of the Social Committee Members.

BOTTLE STALL - if you can donate something for this particular stall please take your gift to Mr. Seaman, 31 High Street, Badsey or to one of the P.C.C. members.

Harvest Supper Badsey - Thursday 2nd October

We shall be celebrating with our Harvest Supper as usual but with a change of entertainment this year. Tickets will be on sale by mid-September and we recommend early application to any member of the P.C.C. as numbers will be limited to avoid overcrowding, so that everyone can enjoy the evening together.

Harvest Supper Wickhamford

The Harvest Supper will be held at the Memorial Hall on Wednesday October 1st at 7.30 p.m. for 8.00. Tickets will be available from P.C.C. members nearer the date.

Donations

We gratefully acknowledge receipt of:
£5 from Mr. Donald Barnard of Leamington Spa.

Holy Matrimony - Badsey

July 19th: Joseph L. Peplow (Bromsgrove) and Sharon L. Welch (Aldington)
July 19th: Royston G. Thomson (Badsey) and Sally E. Bindoff (Badsey)
August 9th: Graham E. Jordan (Willersey) and Sharen H. Brockie (Badsey)

Baptisms - Badsey

July 20th: Matthew Simon Ridgers, 53 Seward Road.
July 20th: Victoria Jane Ford, 13 Willersey Road.
August 3rd: Craig Peter Jones, 33 Green Leys.
August 3rd: Emily Jayne Early, Badsey Police House.

Baptism - Wickhamford

August 10th: Matthew Peter Owen, at Wickhamford.

MAINTENANCE of the Church, Churchyard and Vicarage

It has come to our knowledge that parishioners cannot understand why we appealed for voluntary help to decorate the interior of the Vicarage. The reason is that we, the members of the churches in Badsey, Aldington and Wickhamford, are responsible for the maintenance of all the items headed above, but only the interior of the Vicarage. The Worcester Diocesan Parsonages Board inspected the Vicarage in March and instructed on the work necessary. This inspection is normally carried out on a quinquennial basis, which would have been due next year, but as a result of the present comprehensive effort no more work should be necessary for six years at least.

Having explained the situation, may we say "thank you" to those who have helped in the work, and if you so wish we would be happy to accept a donation towards the balance of the cost which exceeds the grant given by the Parsonages Board.

Red Cross

The Red Cross Collection for Badsey and Aldington was £102.22p. Thanks to all who contributed.

Mother's Union

- Sept. 3rd Wed. 10.00 a.m. Corporate Communion
8th Mon. 2.00 p.m. to 2.15 p.m. Wave of Prayer in Church
9th Tues. 2.30 p.m. Mrs. Carter to speak on Social Services.
20th Sat. CHURCH FETE we have a cake & general stall.
23rd Tues. 7.30 p.m. Mrs. M. Mytton - Talk with Slides.
on "A French Holiday"

At the beginning of this new session the committee wish me to welcome any parishioner who is interested in our meetings.

Daphne Bell.

Under '8' Sunday School

We restart on Sunday September 7th at 11.00 a.m. in Mrs. Goldstraw's.

NURSERY SCHOOL - Children aged 4 to 8.

Mrs. Kathy Small will be taking charge from Mrs. D. Bell in the Autumn with help from Carol Burton and Lesley Hockenhill. Anyone interested in helping with Sunday School please let either Mrs. Small or Mrs. Bell know.

Daphne Bell.

Sixty Plus Club

Next meeting Wednesday, September 17th, as usual. During the afternoon we hope to hold a "Mini Auction" to raise funds.

Thursday, September 4th - A "money raising day" at 1, Binyon Close, to provide a Christmas Treat for members.

Morning Coffee - 10 to 12 am.

Afternoon "Cuppa" - 3 to 5 pm.

Evening Coffee - 7 to 9 pm.

20p each session. Bring & Buy Stall.

Wickhamford Sunday School

The Autumn term will commence on September 7th in the Memorial Hall at 11.00 am. when we hope to see all our regular attenders. Could the parents of any child who wishes to start Sunday School please contact Mrs. A. Poulter or Mrs. C. Collis.

I would like to thank Helen Baker who has helped at Sunday School for the past eighteen months. She has been very reliable and consciensious in her work with the younger children, and we wish her success and happiness in her new career.

Wickhamford Friendship Club

Our Annual Outing took place on Wednesday 6th August, when a visit was made to Prinknash Abbey by a coach party of 44. The weather was kind, a picnic tea was taken en route, and a safe return home was made by 7.15 pm.

The next Club Meeting will take place on Wednesday, 3rd September, when we shall be holding a Musical Quiz.

A Coffee Morning will be held on Friday 12th September (10 am to 12 noon) at 6 Coombfield Road, by kind permission of Mrs. P. Sutton, also Cake Stall and Bring & Buy Stall.

Admission 25p. Members and friends welcome.