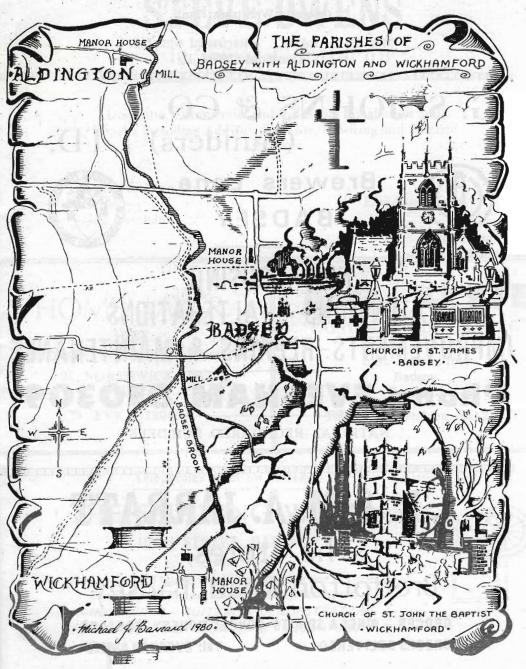
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THE VICAR'S LETTER

September 1986

My dear Friends,

The Nature of Christian Belief

You are cordially invited to a gathering on Thursday, 25th September at 7.30 pm at Hartlebury Castle to hear the Bishop of Worcester and the Bishop of Dudley speak and answer questions on The Nature of Christian Belief. This is the response of the House of Bishops to the General Synod's debate in February 1985. The Booklet is available price £1.25 at the SPCK Bookshop, Worcester. Come, hear and question your own Bishops on this key issue.

Mission Consultation

This year the Diocesan Committee for Mission is organising a Mission Consultation on Sunday, 26th October, from 10.00 am to 4.00 pm at the North Worcestershire College, Bromsgrove.

The Consultation is to consider the changes that have taken place in Mission over recent years, both at home and overseas. Our approach to people of other faiths, and those with none, and our relationship with the worldwide church are matters all Christians should be encouraged to think and pray about. This can only happen if we know what is going on. This is the purpose of the Consultation. Each PCC is prepared to meet the cost of attending the Consultation and travelling expenses incurred. It is hoped two representatives will attend from each parish, with the brief to report back to their PCC and parishioners. Those who would like to attend this Consultation are asked to contact the Vicarage as soon as possible.

Your sincere Friend and Vicar,

Peter Mitchell.

CHURCH SERVICES - SEPTEMBER

St James', Badsey			
7th Pentecost 16	11.00 am Sung Eucharist	6.30 pm	Songs of Praise
14th Pentecost 17	8.00 am Holy Communion	6.30 pm	Evensong
21st St Matthew the Apostle	11.00 am Childrens' Family Service	6.30 pm	Evensong
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28th Pentecost 19 October	8.00 am Holy Communion	6.30 pm	Sung Eucharist
5th Harvest Festival & Pentecost 20	11.00 am Sung Eucharist	6.30 pm	Evensong
12th Pentecost 21	8.00 am Holy Communion	6.30 pm	Evensong
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St. John the Baptist, W	lickhamford		
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12th Pentecost 21	9.30 am The Eucharist		
Lectionary			
7th Pentecost 16	I John 4 15-end Luke 16 19-end	Lev. 19 Luke 10	1-4, 9-18
14th Davids and 17		Joshua I	
14th Pentecost 17	Gal. 2 15-3.9 Luke 7 1-10	Acts 19	
21st St Matthew the	2 Cor. 4 1-6	I Chron	
	Matt. 9 9-13	I Tim 6	
Apostle			
28th Pentecost 19	Romans 5 1-11 Luke 19 1-10		28 10-end s 11 1-16
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Harvest Festival			
(Wickhamford)	JOHN 4 31-38		
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5th Harvest Festival	I Tim 6 6-10		
(Badsey)	John 6 27-35	Luke 12	13-34

Pentecost 20 I Cor 9 19-end (Wickhamford) Matt. 7 13-27 12th Pentecost 21 I Peter 1 13-21 Habakkuk 2 1-14 John 11 17-27 Luke 18 1-14

Sunday Themes

Pentecost 16	The Neighbour
Pentecost 17	The Proof of Faith
Pentecost 18	The Offering of Life
Pentecost 19	The Life of Faith
Pentecost 20	Endurance
Pentecost 21	The Christian Hope

PARISH REGISTERS

Baptisms Jesus said, "Suffer the little children to come unto Me"

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3rd August Kathryn Alice Formanuik of 'Hollycroft', 23 Bretforton

Road, Badsey

Darrell Andrew Smith of 'Stepping Stones', 5 Chestnut

Close, Aldington

Jason Andrew Harris of 72 Horsebridge Ave, Badsey

Wickhamford

Rachel Emma Barrett of 18 Sandys Avenue, Wickhamford 10th August

David Thomas Edmund Stanbra of 76 Kings Road, Evesham

Weddings "Those whom God has joined together let not man divide"

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26th July Paul Kenneth Brown and Sharon Ellen Taylor

Philip Anthony Ballard and Leslie Michelle Arthur

Mark Nicholas Vann and Julie Ann Bearcroft 2nd August

Funerals "I am the Resurrection and the Life" saith the Lord

Badsey

Joyce Owens of 13 Horsebridge Ave, Badsey aged 66 13th August

years (at Badsey)

Wickhamford

Alice Lilian Annie Cox of 93 Pitchers Hill, Wickhamford 5th August

aged 84 years (at Wickhamford and Cheltenham)

DONATIONS

Wickhamford

In memory of Alice Lilian Annie Cox - £363, including £100 family donations.

NOTES FOR YOUR DIARIES

Tues Sept 2nd Badsey PCC - 7.30 pm

Sun Sept 7th Wedding Floral Display, 2 - 5 pm

and Songs of Praise - 6.30 pm - Badsey Church

Mon Sept 8th Mothers' Union Wave of Prayer - Badsey Church

2 - 2.30 pm

Wed Sept 10th Wickhamford PCC - 7.30 pm

Badsey Appeals Committee - 26 Seward Road, 8 pm

Fri Sept 12th Social Committee - 7 School Lane - 7.15 pm

Wed Oct 1st Wickhamford Harvest Supper

Fri Oct 10th Badsey Harvest Supper

Personal

Mrs Win Harrison would like to express her thanks for the many letters and cards received at the time of her sad bereavement and for the practical support and comfort given so willingly.

Decoration of Badsey Church for Harvest

The decoration of Badsey Church for Harvest will begin at 9.30 am on Saturday 4th October. All offers of help, gifts of fruit, flowers and vegetable produce will be welcome.

Distribution of Harvest Produce - Badsey

Distribution of the Harvest Produce to the sick, elderly and housebound of Badsey and Aldington will take place on Monday, 6th October beginning at 9.30 am. All offers of help would be welcome especially those with cars. Names and addresses of those who would welcome a gift may be given to Mrs Marjorie Perkins, the Vicarage, or any member of the PCC beforehand.

Sunday School - Badsey

Badsey Sunday School will re-commence on Sunday 28th September at Mrs Goldstraw's Play School at 11.00 am. All children between the ages of 3 and 8 years are welcome.

October Parish Review - latest date for copy - Wednesday September 17th.

Badsey Churchyard

Help in the Churchyard

Grateful thanks are due to those who helped tidy up the churchyard on

Saturday, 12th July. The appearance of the churchyard and paths has been much improved as a result and the efforts of those concerned are much appreciated.

Care of the Churchyard

To avoid fouling the graves, parishioners are kindly asked not to allow their dogs to roam loose in the vicinity of the churchyard. - Thank you.

MOTHERS UNION

Although there were no meetings during August we did spend a delightful afternoon with Mrs Ivy Leigh in her new home at Mickleton. She had prepared a lovely tea for us and as the sun was shining those who wished were able to sit in the garden. Our very grateful thanks to Mrs Leigh for having us all and for giving us such an enjoyable time.

For Your Diaries

Wed 3rd Sept	10.00 am Corporate Communion
Mon 8th Sept	2.00 - 2.30 pm Wave of Prayer
Tues 9th Sept	2.30 pm "Agape" The Vicar
Thurs 18th Sept	2.30 pm Committee Meeting at "Middle Bank" Aldington.
Tues 23rd Sept	7.30 pm "Passport to Russia" Miss M. Vaudin. Pat Mitchell

BADSEY W.I.

Although we did not have a meeting in August, members have still been very busy and active. On July 27th six members took part in a sponsored walk in the lovely area around Temple Guiting. The walk organised by Mrs Sheila Knight raised £37.00 for Denman College and was thoroughly enjoyed by the walkers. On July 31st our rounders team played Broadway W.I. at Badsey and after a very enjoyable game, Broadway were the victors with a 7 - 2 win. However, undaunted, we had a return match on August 7th at Broadway and this time we were the victors with a 9 - 2 win! August 9th saw us once again providing tea and cakes at the annual Flower Show. The show this year seemed better than ever and we were kept very busy all day. Many, many thanks for all the hard work done by our helpers and for the lovely cakes supplied which went like wild fire. On August 13th members and visitors enjoyed an evening outing to the Vineyards at Newent where the entirely English "Three Choirs" wine is made. The outing was delightful and very interesting and after a tour of the vineyard and winery we all sat down to a delicious supper. Wine tasting went on all evening and it was a very merry coach of people

that arrived back at Badsey. Don't forget two of our members, Anna Tucker and Carol Gutcher, will be taking part in a sponsored swim organised by County, on Monday 8th September at Pershore Swimming Pool 10.00 am - 12 noon. Please sponsor and support them as half the proceeds will go to our funds and the other to Denman College. On Wednesday, September 24th we are having "An Evening with Harry Frost", curator of Perrins Museum, Worcester, and of the Antique Road Show. The evening is open to members and non-members and will cost £2 which will include a light supper. Tickets available from Yvonne Haynes (830063) and Joyce Lashford (830700) do come along, all are welcome and it should be an interesting evening.

Next W.I. Meeting - Wednesday 10th September - 7.15 pm at Badsey Village Hall. Talk and demonstration on Microwave Cooking. 1986 Mastermind Quiz and a competition for a jar of Home Made Chutney. Visitors are welcome so do come and spend a pleasant evening with us

and see what the W.I. is all about.

Yvonne Haynes

BADSEY SIXTY PLUS CLUB

The mystery tour in August was enjoyed by some 57 members. The weather was very good and enabled us to appreciate the beautiful scenery of the Malverns. We ended the tour at the "Gay Dog" in Baughton where supper was speedily eaten after a short delay!

The September meeting is on the 3rd when the speakers will be members

of the local Police Force.

I have received a letter from the Broadway Youth Community Aid Scheme. This is a project where young people carry out various jobs to help the elderly and infirm. If any of our members or eligible persons in Badsey would like help in the home or garden in any way please let me have your names and addresses not later than the middle of this month and I will pass the information on.

The open day for the club will be at the end of October this year. Details

later.

It was with great sadness that we heard of the death of Dick Harrison. He was a much loved and respected member of the club. He will be greatly missed. Our deepest sympathy goes out to Win in her sad loss. Our thoughts and prayers are sent to our several members who are ill and we hope they will soon feel much better.

Mary Callaghan

BADSEY WIVES

Our first meeting after the August break is on September 1st, when we shall have a Quiz evening.

On September 15th we are holding a Beetle drive. Anyone wishing to join us will be very welcome at our meeting room at 25 Brewers Lane. October 6th will be the date of our first meeting in October.

Wendy Beasley Wendy Clark

1st BADSEY GIRL GUIDES

The last two terms have been very full and eventful for the company. A Patrol entered the British Meat Competition and came second in the Division round.

Jo Haynes, Nicky Bell and Gillian Tweney won a trophy in the Jubilee Hike, completing 25 miles.

We entered a float in the Evesham Carnival, joining up with Badsey Scouts to form "Sport Aid".

We have helped at Badsey Church Fete, Badsey School fun day and the Flower Show.

Have held a successful Tupperware Party, Coffee evening and barbecue and still had time to do the exhausting and lengthy Emergency Helper Badge.

Badsey Guides won the area District Sports in July. We are currently undertaking a service project in the village in conjunction with British Telecom - hence the clean telephone boxes in Badsey.

We survived the hurricanes at Spring Bank on Bredon Hill when we held an enjoyable canoeing camp and also held a lovely camp in a cherry orchard in July.

Elizabeth Bolland - Guide Guider

WICKHAMFORD GARDENING CLUB

The Club held its 10th Annual Show on Wednesday August 13th. Despite the late Spring and the discouraging weather of a non-existent summer, exhibitors provided a colourful display of flowers and vegetables. The domestic section for cake and preserves proved to be popular and a good standard was attained.

Successful exhibitors were

I.	Mixed Vegetables:	 Mr Tayler 	2. Mrs Stone
II	Marrows:	1. Mrs Stone	2. Miss Dyke
III	Longest Runner Bean	1. Mrs Astley	2. Mrs Stacey
IV	Tomatoes	1. Mr Tayler	2. Mrs Hale
V	Plums	No Entries	
VI	Mixed Flowers	1. Mr Gardner	2. Mr Tayler
VI	I Dahlias	1. Mrs Stacey	2. Mr Bowles
VI	II Flower Arrangement	1. Miss Dyke	2. Mrs Bowles

IX	Miniature Arrangement	1. Mrs Fairbrother	2, Mrs Bowles
X	Jam	1. Mrs Fairbrother	2. Mrs Bowles
XI	Bottled Fruit	1. Mrs Stacey	2. Miss Holland
XII	Shortbread	1. Mrs Smith	2. Mrs Stone
XIII	Impatiens Plant	1. Mrs Dunkerley	2. Mrs Stacey

The Show Cup for the most successful exhibitor was won by Mrs Stacey and Mr Tayler was runner-up. Both competitors exhibiting a variety of high standard entries. Congratulations to them and all Class winners. The Club is most grateful to the judges who performed their tasks so competently and who were able to leave the judging area unscathed! Mr and Mrs Baldwin from Pershore Horticultural College judged the flowers and vegetables, Mrs Witts the flower arrangements and Mrs King had the pleasure of sampling the preserves and cake.

Next meeting of the Club September 3rd. Subject: Winemaking. Competition: Plate of 4 vegetables. It is hoped that there will be some home-made wine to taste plus a little cheese.

The Autumn outing will be on October 8th to Sezincote and Batsford Arboretum leaving the Sandys Arms at 11 am. Bookings should be made before or at the September meeting. Details from Mr. T. Hale, 852319. Date to note: A.G.M. on November 19th, when nominations for Committee members will be welcomed.

W. Holland.