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**Sunday** **7th September 2025 The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity**

**Welcome** **to Buckingham Parish Church.**

**If you are new here, this section is for you!**

**Children and Youth:** We have great provision for children and youth. Scan QR code below for details.

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**Sermons:** These are recorded and available through our website and BPC app. See the QR code above.

**Streaming:** All our services are livestreamed and available to watch on our YouTube channel. See the QR Code above. If you do not wish to be included, please sit in the left aisle.

**Giving:** Please use a standing order (forms at the back of church) or the QR code above. We don’t take offerings during services, but you can make donations via ChurchSuite, the card reader at the back of the church or put cash into the wall box by the font.

**Sunday 7th September: Themes and Readings**

**9.00am: The cost of discipleship**

Jeremiah 18: 1-12 pg 778; Luke 14: 25-33 pg 1048

**Preacher:** Rev. Jo Wigley

**11.00am: Living in God’s Way**

Deuteronomy 6: 1-25 pg 185

**Preacher:** Rev. Ope Ayileye

**6.00pm: Living in God's way**

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**Prayer Ministry:** Available at all Sunday services in the Prayer Chapel. Receiving prayer brings the Lord’s healing and wholeness.

**Pray through the week for** those who mourn or are unwell, that they may be comforted by God’s presence.

**The Week Ahead:**

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| Mon 8th Sept. | 2.00pm – 4.00pm | Tea and Chat, at The Centre, Verney Close |
| Tue 9th Sept. | 10.00am – 12noon | Coffee and Company, at  The Centre, Verney Close |
| 12.00noon | Community Lunch |
| Wed 10th Sept. | 10.00am | Holy Communion |
| 4.00pm – 6.00pm | Lighthouse |
| 7.00pm - 10.00pm | Student Dinner |
| Thur 11th Sept. | 9.30am - 11.00am | The Ark |
| 10.00 am – 12noon | Coffee and Company at The Centre, Verney Close |
| 7.00pm – 8.30pm | Choir Practice |
| Fri 12th Sept. | 7.00pm – 7.30pm | Prayer meeting on Zoom: for details contact Paul Wallace on *bpcprayermeeting@protonmail.com* |
| Sat 13th Sept. | 10.30am – 12noon | Coffee Service Café |
| Sun 14th Sept. | **The Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity** | |
| 9.00am | Traditional Holy Communion Service |
| 11.00am | Family Service |
| 6.00pm | Contemporary Service |

**Newcomers:** Please fill in a Welcome Card if you are new and want to be a part of the church family. We would love to invite you to the next afternoon tea, where you will meet members of our staff team and church family. Please contact Sue Fox at *parector@bpchurch.uk* for details.

**Harvest Thanksgiving** will be celebrated on the 21st of September at 9.00am at the Traditional Service. Please join us for our Harvest Barn Dance & Curry Night on Saturday 20th September 6.00pm – 9.30pm at Buckingham Parish Church. Doors open at 6.00pm with curry supper at 6.30pm, followed by two lively 40-minute barn dance sessions from 7.30pm. No experience needed – just come ready for fun! Sign-up is essential for catering purposes at *www.bpchurch.uk/barndance*

**Flowers and Vegetables for Harvest Sunday.** Do you have home-grown produce you can loan or gift to the Flower Team to display over the weekend of 20th and 21st September? Anything you've grown and want to use to praise God please bring to church on Friday 19th September so the Flower Team can arrange them on the Saturday morning. If they are on loan please make sure your name is on a label attached to the items. Any queries please contact Susan Mileham 07821 800619

**Alpha:** A new course will be starting on Thursday the 2nd of October at The White Hart. Do please start to think of who you would like to invite. To sign up visit *bpchurch.uk/alpha* or speak to Lara Burt for more information.

**Women's Creative Breakfast 'Be refreshed'.** Saturday 11th of October 8.30am-10.30am @BPC. Come and enjoy a delicious breakfast, a time of special fellowship and create a memento to take home. Tickets £10. Book your place at *bpcchurch.uk/women* or pop into the office. We look forward to seeing you!

**Bereavement Course:** We will be running a new bereavement course starting Wednesday 29th October and lasting for six weeks. For more information and to book go to b*pchurch.uk/bereavement*

**Confirmation Service:** Our next Confirmation Service is on Sunday 30th November during the 6.00pm Service. If you're thinking about being confirmed, feel free to talk to Will or Jo Wigley for more details.

**Connect Groups:** If you would like to join one of our small groups who meet during the week, please contact Jo Wigley or Phil and Gill Blackledge by email on [*connect@bpchurch.uk*](mailto:connect@bpchurch.uk)

**Tupperware & Bottles:** There is an ever-increasing assortment of Tupperware, water bottles, and kitchen bits, at the back of church. Please take a look and remove what is yours. Any items remaining after the 21st of September will be rehomed, thanks.

**Useful contact details:**

Rector: Rev. Will Pearson-Gee: *rector@bpchurch.uk (830221)*

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Kids and Families Leader: Lucia Pearson-Gee: *kidsand*[*families@bpchurch.uk*](mailto:families@bpchurch.uk)

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Prayer Chain: If you need or know of someone who needs prayer,

Please call Gill Croxton who heads up the Prayer

Chain *(815100)*

Connect Groups: Phil & Gill Blackledge *connect@bpchurch.uk*

Stewardship Co-ordinator: Brian & Tracy Roskell: [*stewardship@bpchurch.uk*](mailto:stewardship@bpchurch.uk)

Women’s Fellowship: [*women@bpchurch.uk*](mailto:women@bpchurch.uk)

**Full-service information:** [***www.bpchurch.uk/services***](http://www.bpchurch.uk/services)

**Website: *www.bpchurch.uk***

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The Centre: Amir Kamali [*centre@bpchurch.uk*](mailto:centre@bpchurch.uk) (*830228)*

**Notice Sheet:** If you would like to submit an item for the notice sheet, please email the office: [*office@bpchurch.uk*](mailto:office@bpchurch.uk) by 6pm on Wednesday. Any items received after this time will be listed in the following week’s notice sheet.