Local abbreviations

BR : Broomfield KSM: Kingston St Mary WM: West Monkton

CF : Cheddon Fitzpaine

Trad HC: Communion from Book of Common Prayer HC: Holy Communion E.Song: Choral Evensong Morn. Wsp: Morning Worship; Eve Wsp: Evening Worship

DATE	Br	CF	KSM	WM
6 th July	6.00pm Evening		10.00am HC	8.30am Trad HC
	Prayer			10.00am Morn.Wsp
13 th July	6.00pm Deanery Reflective service		8.30am Trad HC	10.00am HC
20 th July	11 am HC	9.30am HC	10.00am HC	8.30am BCP HC
				10.00am Morn.Wsp
27 th July			8.30am Trad HC	10.00am HC
			6.00pm Choral E.song	
3 rd Aug	6.00pm Lammas		11.00am Patronal	8.30am Trad HC
	Service		Festival followed by bring & share lunch in the Village hall	10.00am Morn.Wsp
10 th Aug			8.30am Trad HC	10.00am HC
17 th Aug	11 am HC	9.30am HC	10.00am HC	8.30am BCP HC
Tuesda				10.00am Morn.Wsp

Tuesday 8.30am morning prayer on Zoom. Contact the office for the link if you'd like to join in

Morning Prayer in Kingston church: Normally Rev Jim Cox will say Morn Prayer in Kingston church on Mon -Weds at 8.00am do come and join him if you wish.

Parish ministry team

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OUR MISSION STATEMENT: "To know, share and spread the love of God"

Welcome

3rd Sunday after Trinity

6th July 2025

Collect for 3rd Sunday after Trinity

God our Saviour, look on this wounded world in pity and in power; hold us fast to your promises of peace won for us by your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen

Readings: Isaiah 66: 10-14 ; Luke 10: 1-11, 16-20; Galatians 6: 7-16 (WM)

For your prayers:

contact the Office

Charlie Way and his family, Carol Carter, Andy, Barbara Hastilow, Philippa, Bob Pettitt, Ray Cleave, Sandy & Brian Adams, If you know of someone who wishes us to pray for them, please obtain their permission before you

Those who have died and those who mourn them:

John Pugh – Mon 7th July 11.20am Taunton Crematorium

Margaret Weston - Mon 14th July 1pm Bridgwater Crematorium

Receiving Communion: All who are baptised are welcome to receive bread & wine in our churches.

If you want to receive bread intincted in the chalice come to the LEFT half of the altar rail and to drink from the common cup to the RIGHT.

(a collection for the work of the church may be taken during the service)

Readings 13th July – 4th Sunday after Trinity Deuteronomy 30: 9-14; Luke 10: 25-37 Colossians 1: 1-14 (WM)

THE BENEFICE OFFICE IS CLOSED Re-opens Tuesday 8th July

July

Sat 5th 10am WM Coffee in West Monkton church Mon 7th Jim off 7-11th July

Sun 13th 6pm Broomfield Deanery Reflective service

Sat 19th 4pm Kingston – Celebration of Marriage

Sat 25th 2.30pm Cheddon Flower Show

Mon 28th 10.00am Wardens Meeting in the office

Mon 28th 7pm WM PCC at BACH

Aug

- 2nd / 3rd KSM church flower festival part of the KSM 800 years celebrations
- Sat 2nd 10am WM Coffee Ian Tyers talking about how he rowed across the Atlantic
- Sat 2nd 7pm KSM church Ray Stokes talk on the history of KSM church
- Sun 3rd 6pm Lammas Service in Broomfield
- Frid 15th West Monkton Church will be decorated commemoration of Victory in Japan 80th

Anniversary which signified the end of World War II

Sat 23rd WM annual BBQ 3pm – save the date! Sept

Weds 3rd 7.00pm Bible Group starts in the office Runs weekly for 8 weeks

Sat 6th 10am WM Coffee - Our guest speaker this month is Rob Raju who talks about his time behind the scenes at Heathrow, Terminal 4

- Sat 6th 10am-4pm KSM 800 years Open Tower day with refreshments
- Sun 7th 3.30pm KSM 800 years Saxaphone concert pre-booked ticket only event
- Sat 13th 2pm-6pm KSM 800 years Medieval Banquet – pre-booked ticket event

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Sat 19th July – KSM – 'Celebration of Marriage'. If you are married, in a partnership with someone or even planning to marry, come along and celebrate that union. Part of KSM 800 years events. 'Bubbles' and refreshments will be served. We'd love any photos of weddings at the church or elsewhere to display! Contact Margaret Way: 07717418030

Kingston St Mary 800 years Events: For all 800 events the village have organized see the webpage: https://www.kstm.uk/content/church/church1225#c1 225patronal

Reading: Luke 10: 1-11, 16-20

After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. ² He said to them, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send

out labourers into his harvest. ³Go on your way.

See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. ⁴ Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. ⁵ Whatever house you enter, first say, "Peace to this house!" ⁶ And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you.⁷Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the labourer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. ⁸ Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; ⁹ cure the sick who are there, and say to them, "The kingdom of God has come near to you." ¹⁰ But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, ¹¹ "Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near."

¹⁶ 'Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me.'

¹⁷ The seventy returned with joy, saying, 'Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!' ¹⁸ He said to them, 'I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. ¹⁹ See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. ²⁰ Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.'

Reflection on Luke 10: 1-11, 16-20

The comedian / actor Robin Williams said he was an Anglican because it was a church where he didn't have to pick up snakes and scorpions. Some of us might find even that easier than spreading the word to neighbours. But we are called to be witnesses in some way or other.

Jim Cox

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PRAYERS:

Please pray for the events taking place across the Benefice, that we make Christ known in all we do and in all our conversations.

Whilst the office is closed please contact the Rector or local Churchwarden if needed

For weddings, banns of marriage, baptisms and funerals please contact the benefice office.