



SUNDAY 25TH JUNE, 2017

Church News

TODAY
Trinity 2

Joint Patronal Festival Holy Communion

10:00
SSP, Dinton

Leaders: Canon Phil Groves

Readings: Acts 13. 14b – 26 & John 13. 1-17

THIS WEEK

Tues 27	19:30	Choir Practice, SPP, Dinton
Thurs 29	19:30	Wychert Vale Benefice Council Meeting, SPP, Dinton
Sat 1	15:00	Wedding, SPP, Dinton
Sun 2	10:00	All Age Holy Communion, SJB, Stone Leaders: Canon Phil Groves & Rev Nadine Rose Readings: Acts 11. 19-26, 14.21-23 & John 21. 15-17
	12:30	Bring and Share Lunch, Bernard Hall, Cuddington To celebrate the Ordination of Rev. Nadine Rose & Rev. Nigel Featherston
	18:00	Evensong, SJB, Stone Leaders: Raymond Medhurst Readings: 2 Samuel 2.1-11, 3.1 & Luke 18.31-19.10 & Psalm 56



Save The Date: Sunday 2nd July 2017

Nadine Rose was priested on Saturday 24th June and Nigel Featherston is being ordained on Saturday 1st July and to celebrate everyone is invited to a Bring and Share lunch on Sunday 2nd July.

JUNE 25 – JULY 1

TRAVELLING

"There arose a great storm on the sea, so that the boat was being swamped by the waves; but Jesus was asleep. And they went and woke him, saying, "Save us, Lord; we are perishing." And he said to them, "Why are you afraid, O you of little faith?" Then he rose and rebuked the winds and the sea, and there was a great calm."

MATTHEW 8:24-26 (ENGLISH STANDARD VERSION)



SUN } DAY OF THE SEAFARER

25 Father, we pray for all seamen, many of whom are poorly paid and living in uncomfortable conditions at risk from piracy and bad weather. Please watch over them and comfort them when they feel homesick and afraid. Amen.

MON } 26 Pray that the numbers of people being killed or hurt in road traffic accidents in Britain – still high in 2015 at 1,732 fatalities and 22,137 serious injuries – will continue to fall. Pray that wise speed restrictions, improved vehicle design and more effective public safety information for all road users will contribute to this.

TUES } 27 Remember all those whose jobs involve travelling, drivers and others working on planes, ships, trains, buses, taxis, lorries and cars. Pray that they will be able to fulfil their responsibilities safely and not experience too much stress in the event of delays and other difficulties.

WED } 28 Lord, please rescue those who have paid people smugglers only to be packed into overcrowded unseaworthy boats in search of new lives. Give governments the wisdom and courage to find answers to this terrible human tragedy. Amen.



THURS } 29 Praise God for for the amazing Light and Life movement among the Gypsy, Travelling and Roma communities, which has resulted in thousands of lives being transformed through the gospel. Pray that thousands more will become Christians during this summer's many tent meetings and conventions.

FRI } 30 **THANKSGIVING:** for opportunities for young people to take gap years abroad before starting a new job or university. Especially remember Christians on mission trips, that they would grow in faith and be a real blessing to those they serve.

SAT } 1 Ask God to make a way for vulnerable refugee children to be able to come to Britain and settle in the many communities that have promised to welcome and care for them. Pray particularly for the many churches that are seeking to help do this.