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**Pew News – week beginning 14th July 2025**

**StowCaple Churches**

**Services:**

**Sunday July 20th (Green)**

9.30am **St Bridget’s, Bridstow,** CW Communion

9.30am **St Peter’s, Peterstow,** MP BCP

11.15am **St Michael’s, Sollers Hope**, BCP Communion

**July 27th (Green)**

9.30am **St Tysilio’s, Sellack,** Baptism Service (No Communion)

11.15am **St Bridget’s, Bridstow,** CW Communion

11.15am **St Andrew’s and St Mary’s, How Caple,** BCP MP

**Monday 21st July – 9.30am Morning Prayer at Kings Caple Church (half an hour)**

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**Word from RevLaura**

**The readings** **for 20th July are Col 1:15-28 and Luke 10: 28-end and . What is God saying to you through these scriptures this week.**

We had the great pleasure of welcoming Christine as our curate last week. I know that you will be a great blessing to her as she will be to you. Christine has responded to the call on her life to serve Jesus in a particular way. We are all called to be part of the Kingdom work for Jesus, and this may be in many ways. If you have a sense that you would like to test whether you are called to be involved in services, pastoral or outreach (sharing Jesus with others) in a more organised and recognised way please do talk to me about this. There are several routes and training opportunities. Most of these are not a heavy burden but will just equip you to do things well. Some of these can be done here in the Benefice by us, please do pray and think if this is you. All of us get to be part of the work here and many of you serve tirelessly and it is joy to be here as you have such a heart to be the Church not just do Church. Thank you for all you do. Amen

**DIARY DATES**

**KINGS CAPLE: Every 4th Sunday, “DROP INN” at Kings Caple Old School** 3. – 4.30pm for Coffee, tea cake and chat. Also: is anyone interested in Bell Ringing, every two weeks at 7.30pm on Wednesday next one is 9th July !

**And we are STILL in need of a treasurer can you help URGENT NEED!**

**BRIDSTOW: Church coffee morning 1st Wednesday of the month – Bridstow Village Hall 10.30am – 12noon, c**offee, chat, raffle, bring and buy table.

**Bridstow - Open Day at St Bridget's on Saturday 16th August from 2-5pm.**

**Cream teas & cakes, raffle, have-a-go bellringing, games. A great afternoon for all the family.**

**HOW CAPLE: 1st TUESDAY of the month – ZIGGISAURUS’ in Church** Playgroup 10 am – 12 noon. Lots of fun for everyone.

**2nd Wednesday of the month, in Church ‘coffee and chat’ 10.30am** - **12.00**.  Friendly, informal for everyone from How Caple and surrounding areas.  veritylook@aol.com.

**July 24th to 26th Exhibition of paintings** of local artist, Karen Hartwell-Baker.  Opens 6pm Thursday 24th July.

karenhartwellbaker@gmail.com.

**Every Friday ‘gardening club** in the churchyard’ all welcome contact Hilda: auersperglee@outlook.com

**PETERSTOW**: Coffee Mornings at St Peter’s 1st and 3rd Monday each month –

**ZOOM Meetings:**

**Mid-day prayer** – Tuesday and Thursday ID: 922 223 7750 Password: 77.

**Wednesday Bible Study** – led by Bishop Anthony (no theological background needed) For more info please contact Ann Owen (ann@owenfamily.me.uk) ID: 862 6084 4541 Password: Bible

**COMING UP - 21ST October Spiritual Question Time at the New Harp Inn, Hoarwithy, 7pm with Bishop Richard and Dean Sarah -** Eventbrite to book: https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/spiritual-question-time-hoarwithy-tickets-1356210204229?aff=ebdsshcopyurl&utm-campaign=social&utm-content=attendeeshare&utm-medium=discovery&utm-term=organizer-profile&utm-share-source=organizer-profile

**We pray for:** all who are unwell, for Mike Swinnerton, Mike Tunnicliff, Margaret Artus, Eric Powell, John Watkins and Marilyn Humphries, Maggie Lewis, Mary Purry, Ann Owen, Sally Northcott, Richard Green.

**(Rector) Reverend Laura Hewitt email:** **revlaurajane@gmail.com** **Tel: 07500345048 Day off: Friday**

**(Curate) Reverend Christine Cattanach email:** **RevCatt@yahoo.com** **Tel: 07810701679 Days off: Thur/Fri/Sat**

**Facebook: StowCaple Group Website:** [**www.stowcaplechurches.co.uk**](http://www.stowcaplechurches.co.uk) **If you would like to join the StowCaple Churches Whatsapp Group please email Laura with your mobile number and giving permission for your number to be added. (This will be for news and prayer requests, and updates)**