Pew News – week beginning 15th Sept 2025



StowCaple Churches

Word from RevLaura

The readings for 21st September are 1 Timothy 2:1-7 and Luke 16: 1-13. What is God saying to you through these scriptures this week.

This week we have a new service starting 'The Sanctuary', this will be a time of more contemporary worship (so come and learn some new songs), and we will be looking at the role of the Holy Spirit over the next few months. This week I will speak about 'the presence of God' and do an introduction to the Holy Spirit. There will be opportunity to discuss as well. We will also have an opportunity for prayer. The Sanctuary will be very informal and relaxed, all are welcome, and the hope is it will offer something different. All ways of worship are important, and it will be good to have a mix to help different people engage with the faith.

Services:

Sept 21st (Green)

- 9.30am St Bridget's, Bridstow, Common Worship Communion
- 9.30am St Peter's, Peterstow, Morning Prayer Book of Common Prayer
- 10.30am St John the Baptist, Kings Caple, Celtic Morning Prayer
- 11.15am St Michael's, Sollers Hope, Baptism Service (not communion)

6pm **St Bridget's, Bridstow, 'The Sanctuary'**- contemporary time of worship, Bible and prayer (New – every third Sunday of the month)

Sept 28th (Green)

- 9.30am St Tyslio's, Sellack, Common Worship Communion
- 10am St John the Baptist, Kings Caple, All Age Service
- 11.15am **St Andrew's with St Mary's,** How Caple, Morning Prayer Book of Common Prayer
- 11.15am **St Bridget's, Bridstow,** Common Worship Communion

Morning Prayer at Kings Caple Church- 9.30am - 10am Mondays

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 ask if you are interested! And we are STILL in need of a treasurer can you help URGENT NEED!

Harvest Lunch Sunday 5th October after the **11.15am Harvest Service at Church** – 1pm for 1.15pm Donations £15 (bring your own alcohol) at Poulstone Mill.

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

Harvest Lunch – Bridstow Village Hall 12.30pm Sunday 19th October (following 11.15am service in Church) - £15 per person (glass of wine inc) £7 children under 16 to book contact Marcia on 01989769021

<u>HOW CAPLE:</u> 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. **Every Friday 'gardening club** in the churchyard' all welcome contact Hilda: auersperglee@outlook.com

Curry and Quiz night (friends of How Caple Church) – at Brockhampton Village Hall – Saturday 11th October doors open 6.30pm foot at 7pm - £15 per person (max quiz team size 6), bring your own drinks, bookings and pre-payments essential: lizmorris28@hotmail.co.uk by 4th October

26th October Harvest Festival 11.15am followed by lunch 11.15am

CONGRATULATIONS TO VERITY LOOK – who will received the well-deserved Ethelbert Award – the special service will be held at Hereford Cathedral on Sunday 28th September 3.30pm

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

Harvest Songs of Praise 11.15am followed by Harvest Lunch 12.30pm – Sunday 12th October to book ticket £10 each contact Barbara on 01989 567429 barbaraisw@hotmail.co.uk – donations are invited for Ross Community Larder

SOLLERSHOPE: Sunday 19th October 11.15 **Harvest Festival Service** at Church 12.45pm for 1pm **Harvest Lunch** at Brockhampton Village Hall adults £15, under 15's £5, under 5's free (please bring your own alcohol and drinks – tea and coffee included) to book (before 5th October) contact Judy on 01989740213 <u>idse.powell@icloud.com</u>

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Family Harvest Service - Sunday 12th October at 3.30pm followed by Cider and Finger Buffet

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: <a href="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-profil

We pray for: all who are unwell, for Mike Swinnerton, Mike Tunnicliff, Margaret Artus, Eric Powell, Marilyn Humphries, Maggie Lewis, Mary Purry, Ann Owen, Sally Northcott, Hugh Thompson.

FUTURE NEW THINGS GOING ON PRE NOTICE: Wednesday 8th (every 2nd Wednesday of the month) at How Caple Church, Celtic evening Prayer 6pm (half an hour new service) - On Monday 13th October 'Contemplative Space' – a time of quiet and prayer, where we will use Ignatius and other contemplative forms of prayer at Ann Owen's House 2pm – 3pm

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