

8th October 2017

17th after Trinity

# Welcome

This church is part of

## The Heart of England Group of Parishes

in the villages of Bidford, Binton, Exhall,  
Salford Priors, Temple Grafton & Wixford

*A very warm welcome if you are visiting us  
today or are here for the first time.  
Do please introduce yourself to someone  
after the service.*

### SERVICES TODAY

8.00am	Holy Communion	Bidford
8.00am	Holy Communion	Temple Grafton
10.00am	Holy Communion	Bidford
10.30am	Holy Communion	Salford Priors
11.00am	Harvest Village Praise	Exhall

### SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY (15th October)

8.00am	Holy Communion	Exhall
8.45am	Holy Communion	Salford Priors
10.00am	Family Service	Temple Grafton
10.00am	Holy Communion	Bidford
10.30am	Village Praise	Salford Priors
3.30pm	Mix	The Barn
7.00pm	Fresh Expressions	Salford Priors MH

## Please pray this week for:

- those who are unwell, especially Peter Butcher; Joanna Cotterell, Les Foster, Cheryl Jefferson, Chloe Lambert, Geoff Mullett, Linda Mullett, Andrew Mumford, Frank Oakley, Laurence, and all their families, carers and the medical staff who treat them
- those who mourn the loss of a loved one and especially the Orchard family with Sam's funeral this week
- victims of the mass shooting in Las Vegas last Sunday night
- setting up the teams to take forward the Refugee Resettlement scheme in our area
- half a million Rohingya people who have fled violence in Myanmar's Rakhine state and are seeking refuge in Bangladesh
- St Matthew's Ministry Team meeting this week
- Carys Jeffries and her helpers as she organizes the Light Party at the end of the month
- Binton and Temple Grafton PCCs meeting this week
- our Churchwardens as they meet together on Wednesday

*"The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective." James 5.16*



St Laurence's are hosting a Quiz night and would love to see a team from your church join us.

### VILLAGE QUIZ NIGHT - SATURDAY 14th OCTOBER

ST LAURENCE'S CHURCH HALL - 7pm for 7.30pm  
Teams of 4 - questions to be answered as a team  
Entry £10 per team. Light nibbles, tea and coffee included  
You are welcome to bring your own refreshments  
Cash prize - everyone welcome - proceeds to church funds  
To enter a team contact Midge 01789 490234 / Sylvia. 01789 490566



Worshipping God  
Making new Disciples  
Transforming Communities



Our **Annual Memorial Service** will be held at St Laurence Church, Bidford on Sunday 5th November at 3.30pm. Every year we try to invite all those who had a funeral service in one of the six churches or who asked a minister from one of our churches to officiate at the Crematorium over the last 2 years. The service will include some familiar hymns and readings, then there will be an opportunity to light a candle in memory of your loved one before the list of names is read out. The theme of this service will be Christian Hope and we trust that you will find it both inspiring and comforting. The service will last just less than an hour and we hope to offer a cup of tea at the end before people have to leave.



Families sometimes have other loved ones who died in previous years that they would like to have added to the list of those we commemorate, if you would like to add anybody else to this list please send the full name to Roger Huggins



An alternative to Hallowe'en  
You are all invited to a **Light Party**

On Friday 27th October  
at Salford Priors Memorial Hall

For younger children (age 3-9yrs) from 6pm—7.30pm

For older children (age 10-16yrs) from 7pm—8.30pm

Younger children must be accompanied by an adult

Refreshments available—Disco for all ages—neon glow lights—face painter—candy floss—popcorn and BBQ

Feel free to dress up, the brighter the better; however no scary costumes please!

Children in scary costumes will not be given entry

This is a free party for all children in the village.

Any support and help would be much appreciated—  
please call or text Carys on 07791 675123

<u>Readings:</u>	8th October	15th October	22nd October	29th October
1st Reading	Exodus 20.1-4,7-9,12-20	Exodus 32.1-14	Exodus 33.12-23	Deuteronomy 34.1-12
2nd Reading	Philippians 3.4b-14	Philippians 4.1-9	1 Thess.1.1-10	1 Thess. 2.1-8
Gospel	Matthew 21.33-end	Matthew 22.1-14	Matthew 22.15-22	Matthew 22.34-46

### What's happening during the week around the Group:

Monday	1.30pm	<b>First Steps</b> —Bidford Church Hall
Tuesday	7.00pm	<b>Tuesday Prayers</b> at St Laurence's, Bidford
	7.30pm	<b>St Matthew's Ministry Team Meeting</b>
	7.45pm	<b>Binton PCC Meeting</b>
Wednesday	10.00am	<b>Temple Grafton PCC Meeting</b>
	3.00pm	<b>Funeral of Sam Orchard at St Matthew's</b>
	7.45pm	<b>Churchwarden's Meeting</b> at Suzy Fryer's home
Thursday	9.00am	<b>Thursday Prayers</b> at St Matthew's Salford Priors
	7.30pm	<b>Community Group Meeting</b> —Memorial Hall
Friday	6.30pm	<b>Friday Prayers at Salford Priors</b> —in Edna's house
Saturday	9.00am	<b>St Matthew's Ministry Team Prayers</b>
	7.00pm	<b>St Laurence's Quiz Night</b>

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