

5th August 2018

10th 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

*If you are visiting us today or are here for the first time, we hope you have felt welcomed and have enjoyed worshipping here. Do please introduce yourself to someone after the service.*

### SERVICES TODAY

8.00am	Holy Communion	Bidford
8.45am	Holy Communion	Salford Priors
10.30am	Café Church	Bidford
10.30am	Family Service	Salford Priors
6.30pm	Evensong	Wixford

### SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY

8.00am	Holy Communion	Bidford
8.00am	Holy Communion	Temple Grafton
10.00am	Holy Communion	Bidford
10.30am	Holy Communion	Salford Priors
11.00am	Family Service	Exhall

**Please note: NO FRESH EXPRESSIONS this month**

**Worshipping God  
Making new Disciples  
Transforming Communities**



## Please pray for:

- those who are unwell, especially Peter Butcher, Joanna Cotterell, Joy Foster, Greg Hallett, Gwen Hill, Cheryl Jefferson, Mavis John, Chloe Lambert, John Lawrence, David Smith, Cherry Stanley, Rose Turner, Laurence, and all their families, carers and the medical staff who treat them
- those who mourn the loss of a loved one
- all who are on holiday or travelling at this time
- plans for the Saturday night event at St Giles, Exhall next month
- all teachers as they begin their holidays—for rest and relaxation
- peace in Zimbabwe following the elections
- “Hearts & Homes” meeting this week and for the ongoing work to re-settle a refugee family

*“.. pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord’s people.” Ephesians 6.18*

We are planning to launch “Pray for Schools” in September, so if you would like to be involved please come to a short introduction and planning meeting on Wednesday 15th August at 7.30pm in the Church Room at St Matthew’s.



### What’s happening during the weeks around the Group:

Tuesday	7.00pm	Tuesday Prayers at St Laurence, Bidford
Wednesday	7.30pm	“Hearts & Homes” Open Meeting—St Matthew’s
Thursday	9.00am	Thursday Prayers at St Matthew’s
Friday	6.30pm	Friday Prayers at Salford Priors

Readings:	5th August	12th August	19th August	26th August
1st Reading	2 Samuel 11.26-12.13a	2 Samuel 18.5-9,15,31-33	1 Kings 2.10-12;3.3-14	1 Kings 8.22-30,41-43
2nd Reading	Ephesians 4.1-16	Ephesians 4.25-5.2	Ephesians 5.15-20	Ephesians 6.10-20
Gospel	John 6.24-35	John 6.35,41-51	John 6.51-58	John 6.56-69

### “Hearts & Homes”

is our Syrian Refugee project which is now a registered charity. We are holding an **Open Meeting** on Wednesday 8th August at 7.30pm in the Church Room at St Matthew’s for anyone who is interested in the project and find out how you can help support a refugee family.

Listen to a refugee story!  
**Everyone is welcome!**



### ST MATTHEW’S FAMILY FUN DAY

will be happening on  
 Saturday 22nd September  
 from 11am—2pm.

Do book the date now and we hope that lots of folk from the village will come and enjoy a wonderful time together.



- Craft Tent
- Free Barbeque
- Bouncy Castle
- Cup Cake Café
- Treasure Hunt
- Garden Games
- Teddy Bear Stunts!



### CONTACT INFORMATION:

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## Saturday Night Variety Performace

7:30PM

25/08/18

# St Giles Church Exhall

*Come and join us for a Night of Variety Performances  
 with Music, Comedy and much, much more...*

RSVP



ADMIT ONE  
**£12.50**

Ticket Price of £12.50 includes a glass of wine and nibbles,  
 with all proceeds going to the church redecoration fund!

To Reserve Your Place Contact  
 Chris Hanson ASAP on 07815 721581  
 Places are limited!