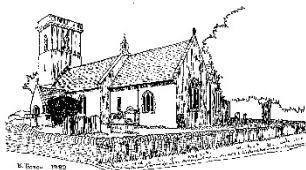


The Parish of Brize Norton  
St Britius Church  
News Sheet – June 2017  
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**Services:**

**Sunday 4 June – Day of Pentecost (Whit Sunday)**

**10.00am Family Communion.** *Readings: Acts 2. 1-21, John 20. 19-23*

**Wednesday 7 June - 7.00pm** Holy Communion

**Sunday 11 June – Trinity Sunday**

**9.15am** Holy Communion. *Readings: 2 Cor 13. 11-end, Matt 28. 16-20*

**Wednesday 14 June - 7.00pm** Holy Communion.

**Sunday 18 June - The First Sunday after Trinity**

**9.15am** Holy Communion, *Readings: Rom 5. 1-8, Matt 9.35-10.8 (9-23)*

**We welcome our Curate, Ian, to preach on the third Sunday of the month**

**Wednesday 21 June - 7.00pm** Holy Communion

**Sunday 25 June – The Second Sunday after Trinity**

**9.15am** Holy Communion, *Readings: Rom 6. 1b-11, Matt 10. 24-39*

**Wednesday 28 June - 7.00pm** Holy Communion

**Sunday 2 July – The Third Sunday after Trinity**

**10.00am Family Communion.** *Readings: Rom 6. 12-end, Matt 10. 40-end*

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**Anniversaries this month:**

Geoffrey Rushforth, Raymond Davis, Paul Brown, John Stone, Rose Hamilton, Alfred Coombs, Michael Rose, Lewis Wilkins, Albert Coombs, Gladys Woodley, Dick Smalley, Evelyn Faulkner, Norman Bull



**We wish Ian all our very best wishes for his 'Priesting' ceremony on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> June and we congratulate him on becoming a fully-fledged priest.**

**Regular events**

**Pilgrim Lunch:** in church, Mondays 12.30-1.30. Lunch, discussion and doughnuts. (but not on Bank Holiday Mondays)

**'My Time':** Enjoy a cuppa and a chat, in church, after the school drop-off, Tuesdays during term time, 8.45am-10.00am. All welcome

**Morning Prayer** at St John's Church 9.00am-9.30am every Thursday morning.

**Grace:** a time for fellowship at the Vicarage is usually once a month, but please speak to James to find out if, and when, it is on this month.

**Gardens Open and Flower festival: Sunday 18 June** the village gardens are open from 2.00pm-6.00pm for the National Garden Scheme. The church will be decorated and open to visitors. If you could spare an hour to welcome visitors, please sign up on the sheet on the table. On the day, wander around and visit the beautiful gardens.

**Special Visitor - Sunday 25 June:** We are pleased to welcome our, as I write this, current MP, Robert Courts to our service at 9.15am. There will be refreshments after the service. Please do make sure you keep that Sunday free and join us for this special service. It would be good to have a nice big congregation to welcome him and his family to our lovely church.

**Space Themed Village Bash: Sunday 9 July 2pm-5pm** This fun afternoon on the recreation ground offers plenty of stalls and games, music, jousting, Crocodiles of the World, Zumba display, space scarecrow competition, fancy dress, a treasure hunt as well as a BBQ and bar. We are once again serving teas and manning a cake stall. Offers of help to serve the teas and donations of cakes would be very welcome. Please speak to Carolyn for more details.

**Ride and Stride:** As the weather gets better it is time to get into training for the annual Ride and Stride sponsored event which takes place this year on Saturday 9 September. Please talk to Jacquie if you would like to get involved



**Other Dates for your diary**

**Sunday 18 June 2pm - 6pm**– Village gardens open for National Garden Scheme

**Sunday 25 June 9.15am** – Robert Courts MP will be joining us for worship

**Sunday 9 July 2pm-5pm** – Village Bash