



SHERBORNE ABBEY with CASTLETON,
SAINT PAUL'S, LILLINGTON and
LONGBURTON



MONTHLY BULLETIN - July 2023

Church Services and Events

Sherborne Abbey

Monday to Saturday - Morning Prayer - 8.30 am – The Sepulchre Chapel

Mondays – CW Holy Communion - 9.00 am – The Lady Chapel

Tuesdays (CW) and Thursdays (BCP) – Holy Communion - 12 noon – Sepulchre/Lady Chapel

Wednesdays – HC with Homily (alternates CW/BCP) – 10.30 am – The Sepulchre Chapel

Fridays – Ecumenical Holy Communion – 9.00 am – The Sepulchre Chapel

1st Friday of the month – Requiem Holy Communion – 9.00 am – The Sepulchre Chapel

Saturdays – CW Holy Communion – 9.00 am – The Sepulchre Chapel

Sundays – BCP Holy Communion 8.00 am/Parish Eucharist 9.30 am/Choral Evensong 6.00 pm

St Mary Magdalene, Castleton

Sunday 2 July 2023 – Mattins – 11.15 am

Sunday 9 July 2023 – BCP Holy Communion – 11.15 am

Sunday 16 July 2023 – Mattins – 11.15 am

Sunday 23 July 2023 – Mattins – *Patronal Festival* – 11.15 am

Sunday 30 July 2023 - BCP Holy Communion – 11.15 am

St Martin of Tours, Lillington

Sunday 2 July 2023 – Family Service (*celebrate St Martin of Tours*) – 10.00 am

Sunday 9 July 2023 – BCP Holy Communion – 10.00 am

Sunday 16 July 2023 – Morning Service – 10.00 am

Sunday 23 July 2023 – Morning Service – 10.00 am

Sunday 30 July 2023 - BCP Holy Communion – 10.00 am

St James the Great, Longburton

Sunday 2 July 2023 – Village Communion – 10.00 am

Sunday 9 July 2023 – Family Communion – 10.00 am

Sunday 16 July 2023 – Family Communion – 10.00 am

Sunday 23 July 2023 – Patronal Festival – 10.00 am

Sunday 30 July 2023 – ‘*Hymns & Pimms*’ – 6.00 pm – *do come and join us!*

St Paul's Church, Sherborne

Sunday 2 July 2023 – Morning Worship – 10.30 am

Sunday 9 July 2023– Holy Communion – 10.30 am

Sunday 16 July 2023 – All Age Worship – 10.30 am

Sunday 23 July 2023 – Family Worship – 10.30 am

Sunday 30 July 2023 – Family Worship – 10.30 am

Sherborne Abbey Tours

Our regular guided tours of the Abbey are on **Tuesdays at 10.30 am and Fridays at 2.00 pm**. As with entry to the Abbey, there is no charge for these tours (although donations always appreciated) and no need to book. Just turn up and the guide will be waiting near the porch! Tours last approx 45 mins - one hour. If you have a larger group wanting a tour, please contact Joanna Sams in the Parish Office to arrange a convenient date/time. We look forward to your visit!

Harold Clarke, Head Tour Guide

Organ Recitals (*Mondays in The Abbey at 1.30 pm*)

Monday 3 July 2023 – Daniel Baker, Organ Scholar, Christ Church, Oxford

Monday 10 July 2023 – Andrew Johnstone, Professor of Music, Trinity College, Dublin

Monday 17 July 2023 – James Henderson, Director of Music, Sherborne Abbey

Monday 24 July 2023 – Daniel Blaze, Organ Scholar, Clare College, Cambridge

Monday 31 July 2023 – Martyn Noble, Sub-Organist, HM Chapels Royal, St James's Palace

Monday 7 August 2023 – Timothy Uglow, Director of Music, Workshop College

(free entry, retiring collection, all welcome)

James Henderson, Director of Music

Uppingham Parish Church Choir

Saturday 22 July 2023 - Choral Evensong at 5.30 pm in the Abbey

The choir will also be singing at the 9.30 am Eucharist and 6.00 pm Evensong on

Sunday 23 July 2023. All are welcome to attend; free entry.

Ferrabosco Singers

Saturday 29 July 2023 – Choral Evensong at 5.30 pm in the Abbey

The choir will also be singing at the 9.30 am Eucharist and 6.00 pm Evensong on

Sunday 30 July 2023. All are welcome to attend; free entry.

Remembering the Fallen: On Friday 21 July 2023 in Sherborne Abbey at 11.00 am.

Mothers' Union - Friday 28 July 2023

12 for 12.30 pm; Summer Lunch at St Paul's Church Hall; food provided by our Syrian friends. RSVP by Tuesday 25 July 2023. Friends welcome. *Jo Higgs*,
MU Secretary musecretary@sherborneabbey.com

Sherborne Abbey Girls' Choir

will be singing Evensong at 5.30 pm on **Saturday 1 July 2023**. All are welcome to attend.

James Henderson

Taize Service: Half an hour of prayer, meditation and music - 2nd Sunday of the month at 6.30 pm, Cheap Street Church. Everyone welcome. Next service on **Sunday 9 July 2023**. This informal, ecumenical service is based on the Taize Community's worship founded by Br Roger in the 1940's in Burgundy, France, now attracting thousands of young people each summer. Taize music has become part of the worshipping life of churches worldwide.
vicarlesley@outlook.com.
The Reverend Lesley McCreadie

Julian Group: Not a prayer group; just an opportunity to share ½ hour's silence & meditation with fellow Christians and let God speak to us. The meetings are ecumenical & are very refreshing - why not give it a try? Next meeting: **Wednesday 12 July 2023** in the Griffiths Room, Digby Memorial Church Hall; 4.30 pm to 5.00 pm.
Shirley Fry (01935 389124)

Other Events and Notices

St Paul's Community Fun Day: On **Saturday 1 July 2023** from 11.00 am – 3.00 pm at St Paul's Church, St Paul's Close DT9 4DU. Free refreshments, craft activities, fete games, face painting, bouncy castle, free hotdogs at 12.30 pm – come and join the fun!
Sarah Fricker

Ordination of Assistant Curate: Please pray for Rebecca McDonnell who is to be ordained by The Rt Reverend Stephen Lake, Bishop of Salisbury at 10.30 am on **Sunday 2 July 2023** in Salisbury Cathedral. Rebecca will be serving as Assistant Curate in the Sherborne Benefice.

Longburton Village Café: Held in St James Church, the café provides tea, coffee (free refills) & great cakes for just £2.00! On **Tuesdays 4 & 18 July 2023** from 10.30 am until noon.

Sherborne Arts Society: On **Wednesday 5 July 2023;** 3.00 pm & 7.00 pm; Digby Hall, Hound Street. "Velazquez – The Great Magician of Art" presented by Douglas Skeggs. Born in 1599, Velazquez made his name producing penetrating, observed scenes of everyday life using "breath taking daring treatment of the paint". Members free; non-members £7.00.

<https://theartssocietysherborne.org/>

Nicole Lyscom

Sherborne & District Gardeners' Association: On **Thursday 6 July 2023;** 7.30pm; Digby Hall, Hound Street. Cecilla Bufton, Chairman of Plant Heritage, will talk on '*Conserving the Diversity of Garden Plants*'. All welcome; visitors £3.00. Details Richard Newcombe 01935 389375.

Sherborne Chamber Choir Concert: On **Saturday 8 July 2023;** 7.30 pm; Sherborne Abbey. 'A Grand Tour' – beat the airport queues and enjoy a musical tour of Europe from the comfort of the Abbey! An evening of choral music from across Europe, from France to Lithuania, Germany to Norway, by composers from the fifteenth century to the present day. The main work will be Brahms' uplifting setting of the Requiem, with its soaring melodies and message of hope and consolation. Conductor: Paul Ellis. Tickets priced £5.00 - £16.00, available from www.sherbornechamberchoir.org.uk or phone Ticketsource 0333 666 3366. *Rachel Greaves*

'Composer Portrait' Concert: On **Saturday 8 July 2023;** 7.00 pm; Gransden Hall, Sherborne Girls School. 'Elegie, Rachmaninoff – A Heart in Exile' is the 5th portrait by Lucy Parham with a programme that includes a selection of preludes, etudes-tableaux, moments musicaux and the haunting Elegie. Narrated by Sir Simon Russell Beale CBE. Tickets: £24.00/£22.00 (members & concessions); call 01305 266926 or www.dorchesterarts.org.uk

Blackmore Vale Scribes: From **Tuesday 11 July – Sunday 23 July 2023** the Blackmore Vale Scribes will be holding a Calligraphy Exhibition in the Ambulatory, Lady Chapel. All welcome!

Farnborough Hill Music Tour: On **Tuesday 11 July 2023;** 2.00 pm, Sherborne Abbey – as part of their music tour they will be giving a recital in the Abbey.

Cerne Abbas Music Festival: From **Thursday 20 – Sunday 23 July 2023.** Its 32nd Anniversary celebrates with a programme performed by the Gaudier Ensemble in St Mary's Church. Highlights will be Mozart's Piano Concerto in A major, the Piano Quintet in F minor by Brahms and Schubert's quintet 'The Trout'. Plus an informal Coffee Concert with pieces by Bruch, Debussy, Teddy Bor and Klezmer music; and much more.

Peter Neal

www.cerneabbasmusicfestival.org.uk

South-West Baroque Orchestra Concert: On **Saturday 15 July 2023;** 6.00 pm; Sherborne Abbey. Music chosen from Heinichen, Vivaldi, Telemann, Corelli, Boyce, Handel plus others. Tickets (including refreshments): £15.00 (accompanied U16s free) from 0333 666 3366, www.ticketsource.co.uk/south-west-baroque-orchestra or on the door.

www.Southwestbaroqueorchestra.com

Bell Ringing: On **Saturday 22 July 2023** from 3.30 pm by The Romsey Abbey Ringers and on **Sunday 30 July 2023** from 5.00 pm by The Society of Rambling Ringers. *Tim Phillips*

Sherborne Steam and Waterwheel Centre Open Day: On **Sunday 23 July 2023;** 11.30 am – 3.30 pm; DT9 3RX. The waterwheel and Hindley steam engine will be in operation, audio-visual presentations, displays of machinery plus items of local and historic interest. Tea room, picnic tables, toilet and free parking on Osborne Road. There is wheelchair access to displays (except toilet and Visitor Centre). Entry is by donation. *Chris Turner, Trustee*

Jazz Concert: On **Friday 28 July 2023; 7.30 pm;** Cheap Street Church featuring David Horniblow, one of London's top jazz clarinet & saxophone players, with Mike Denham (piano). Tickets £15.00 (can pay on the door). More details/bookings: raymondwood1949@gmail.com

Need Help to Read?: If you know someone who wants to learn to read, or you want to learn or are dyslexic and want to improve your reading, Read Easy would love to hear from you. Blackmore Vale North Read Easy help adults aged 18-80+ with free one-to-one help near you. Contact Judy 07440 745933, Lesley 07510 250365 or Mindy 07857 159431 or text 'ring me' to one of the numbers and they will call you back. *Read Easy, Blackmore Vale North*

The Sherborne Market: Monthly **Sunday** market: **16 Jul, 20 Aug, 17 Sept, 8 Oct, 19 Nov & 17 Dec;** 10.00 am – 3.00 pm; Cheap Street down to Pageant Gardens; over 170 stall holders, all local artisans & food producers. www.thesherbornemarket.com *Jules Bradburn*

Sherborne Stop the Litter Campaign: Tuesdays; 10.00 am – midday; high viz tabards, litter pickers, bags & gloves provided. **18 Jul:** Area 1 Junc Coombe/Blackberry Lane; **15 Aug:** Area 3 Junc Castleton/Newland/New Road/Long Street; **19 Sept:** Area 2 Simons Road; **17 Oct:** Area 4 West End Hall; **14 Nov:** Area 1 Junc Coombe/Blackberry Lane; **19 Dec:** Area 3 Junc Castleton/Newland/New Road/Long Street. *Anthony Vosper (07977 241305)*

Sherborne Quakers: Meet Sundays, 10.30 am, Griffiths Room, Digby Memorial Church Hall. All welcome. *Nick Jackman*

Sherborne Digby Hall Monthly Market: Large indoor market of up to 70 stalls with antiques, arts, crafts, handmade artisan makers' products, unique gifts, memorabilia, cakes & bakes etc. Café; free entry; parking & toilets. **Held on the 1st Saturday of every month;** 10.00 am – 3.00 pm, March – December; Digby Hall, Hound Street DT9 3AA. *Kerry Potter*
<https://www.facebook.com/SherborneDigbyHallMonthlyMarket>

The Abbey Shop: New in the bookshop – a novel about the first Saxon Abbess of Shaftesbury Abbey 'Æthelgifu' by Deborah Jones, the librarian of the abbey. Alfred the Great's daughter who founded the first, and richest, abbey for women in 888AD, was installed by the Bishop of Sherborne. On sale now! *Phil Prout, Shop Manager*

Sherborne Abbey Visiting Hours - The Abbey is open to visitors on Mondays to Saturdays from 8.00 am – 5.00 pm and on Sundays from 11.00 am – 5.00 pm. *Please be aware that The Abbey may close when private services are taking place.*

AUGUST BULLETIN – DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES: THURSDAY 20 JULY 2023 (9.00 AM)

Parish Office – 01935 713777 (open Monday – Friday 9.00 am – 3.00 pm (closes 1.00 pm Mondays)

Email: Joanna.Sams@sherborneabbey.com Website: <https://www.sherborneabbey.com/>

Abbey Shop – Staffed hours: Monday – Friday 10.30 am – 3.30 pm; Saturday 10.30 am – 1.00 pm.