# The Benefice of Holy Innocents, Great Barton & St Peter's, Thurston

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# Sunday 15th October

The 19th Sunday after Trinity Readings (NRSV please)

8.30am. Ephesians 4: 17-32. Matthew 9: 1-8

10.30am. Exodus 32: 1-14. Philippians 4: 1-9. Matthew 20: 1-16

#### Collect

Faithful Lord, whose steadfast love never ceases and whose mercies never come to an end: grant us the grace to trust you and to receive the gifts of your love, new every morning, in Jesus Christ our Lord.

#### Amen

#### Rev'd Ben Edwards

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Ben's time off is Friday pm and Saturdays.

**Churchwardens** 

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## **Services for this week**

# **Sunday 15th October:**

Holy Communion (BCP) at St Peter's, Thurston at 8.30am Together Family Church at The Primary Academy, Thurston, 10.00am Holy Communion Service (CW), at Holy Innocents, Great Barton at 10.30am

# Wednesday 18th October:

Holy Communion (BCP) at St Peter's. Thurston at 10.30am

## **Services for next week**

## Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> October

Benefice Holy Communion (CW) at St Peter's Thurston at 10.30am Evensong at Holy Innocents at 3.30pm

#### Wednesday 25th October

Holy Communion (CW) at Holy Innocents at 10.30am

## **Praying for our Benefice**

Clark and Alida Scoles.

# We pray for;-

- All those who have asked for our prayers and their families: Jane's brother Jon, Alexander, Charlie, Mary Gould, Ian Baxter, Hayley, Cathy McQueen, Maureen and Peter, Pat Sheppard, Roger and Pat Boyes, Noreen Reeve, Kevin Scoles and Maureen Andrews, John
- We pray for those killed and injured in the conflict in Israel and Gaza
- We pray for the those who's loved ones have been taken hostage in the conflict between Israel and Hamas.
- We pray for those killed and injured in the recent earthquakes in Afghanistan.
- We pray for those who have died recently, May they rest in peace and rise in glory.
- We pray for all who mourn the loss of a loved one. We also remember all those whose anniversaries fall at this time. May they all rest in peace and rise in glory.
- We pray for the people of Great Barton and Thurston.





Due to increasing popularity the Meeting Point Community Cafe, held each Wednesday at Gt. Barton Church Institute, require additional help between 10.30am and 2pm on a rota basis to assist with serving light lunches, tea, and coffee to mostly senior citizens from the surrounding area.

Lunch and tea/coffee will be provided.

Please contact Betty Holdgate on 01284 788196 if you could spare a little of your free time.

St Peter's Church Thurston, *Christmas bazaar on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> November* where there will be old favourites and new ideas to enjoy.

St Peter's special *Coronation Quiz evening will* be held on *Friday* 1st December.

More Details to follow

Jill Rood would like to thank all those at St Peter's, who sent items to Storehouse, Vineyard Church following their Harvest Festival service. Storehouse was very grateful.

Just a reminder, that following the splendid refurb of our porch at St Peter's, Jigsaws are again available to be bought or swapped, at a suggested donation of £2.00 Thank you. Churchwardens.

STOREHOUSE, PLEASE give generously at this time when so many families are relying on food banks. Thank you

Goods and donations for Thurston can be left at No 31, School Rd, Thurston, Jill Rood, donations for Great Barton can be left at Holy Innocents church or with Tim Frost at 2, Diomed Drive, Great Barton.

Please email any notices to Peter Robinson beneficepr@gmail.com or tel: 07814946841 by Thurs 19th October

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