

The Benefice of Long Barrow

Comprises of the Village churches of Pimperne, Stourpaine, Durweston with Bryanston, Tarrant Hinton, Tarrant Gunville and Tarrant Monkton



Pews News for 21st September 2025

Contact your Church Wardens if there are any enquiries regarding Weddings, Baptisms, Funerals and churchyard memorials)

For Pews News please continue to contact Judy Jakes Tel: 07957 607111 or email psdbenefice@gmail.com

We are now in a period of Interregnum if you have any questions then please direct them to your Church Wardens, contact details on Page 4

Services for the next week

Day	Time	Service	Location	
21 st	09:30	Holy Communion	Holy Trinity, Stourpaine	
Trinity 14	11:00	Family Communion	St Mary, Tarrant Gunville	
	18:00	Evening Service	St Nicholas, Durweston	
Monday	09:00	Morning Prayer	Zoom	
Wednesday	10:00	Morning Prayer - Celtic	Holy Trinity, Stourpaine	
Thursday	20:00	Compline	Zoom	
Friday	09:00	Morning Prayer	Zoom	
28th	09:15	Holy Communion	St Peter, Pimperne	
Trinity 15	10:30	Worship for All	All Saints, Tarrant Monkton	
	11:00	Holy Communion	St Mary, Tarrant Hinton	
	18:00	Evensong	Holy Trinity, Stourpaine	

Collect for the 21st September 2025

Almighty God, whose only Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence: give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen

Readings for 21st September 2025

First Reading

1 Timothy 2.1-7

Instructions concerning Prayer

2First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings should be made for everyone, ²for kings and all who are in high positions, so that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and dignity. ³This is right and is acceptable in the sight of God our Saviour, ⁴who desires everyone to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. ⁵For

there is one God:

there is also one mediator between God and humankind,

Christ Jesus, himself human,

⁶ who gave himself a ransom for all

—this was attested at the right time. ⁷For this I was appointed a herald and an apostle (I am telling the truth, I am not lying), a teacher of the Gentiles in faith and truth.

Gospel

Luke 16.1-13

The Parable of the Dishonest Manager

16Then Jesus said to the disciples, 'There was a rich man who had a manager, and charges were brought to him that this man was squandering his property. ²So he summoned him and said to him, "What is this that I hear about you? Give me an account of your management, because you cannot be my manager any longer." Then the manager said to himself, "What will I do, now that my master is taking the position away from me? I am not strong enough to dig, and I am ashamed to beg. ⁴I have decided what to do so that, when I am dismissed as manager, people may welcome me into their homes." 5So, summoning his master's debtors one by one, he asked the first, "How much do you owe my master?" ⁶He answered. "A hundred jugs of olive oil." He said to him, "Take your bill, sit down quickly, and make it fifty." ⁷Then he asked another, "And how much do you owe?" He replied, "A hundred containers of wheat." He said to him, "Take your bill and make it eighty." 8And his master commended the dishonest manager because he had acted shrewdly; for the children of this age are more shrewd in dealing with their own generation than are the children of light. ⁹And I tell you, make friends for yourselves by means of dishonest wealth so that when it is gone, they may welcome you into the eternal homes.

10 'Whoever is faithful in a very little is faithful also in much; and whoever is dishonest in a very little is dishonest also in much. ¹¹If then you have not been faithful with the dishonest wealth, who will entrust to you the true riches? ¹²And if you have not been faithful with what belongs to another, who will give you what is your own? ¹³No slave can serve two masters; for a slave will either hate the one and love the other, or be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth.'

Soirée News

Plans are well ahead with our 2025/2026 **Sunday Soirées at 7.15** Series. There are only two this term:-

Sunday 19th October: venue tba

A Celebration of the Life of a British Soldier in World War 1

Hilary Sharland (Song) & Pauline Dowie (Poetry)

With Christopher Dowie (Piano)

Sunday 16th November: venue tba Piano Recital given by Sam Hanson

Sam is an accomplished Dorset, rapidly making a name for himself as pianist (Classical and Jazz), organist and conductor. He is Accompanist and Assistant Choir Director of the Bournemouth Symphony Chorus and Director of The Orlando Singers.



Ride and Stride

Team Stourpaine preparing to leave for the 27.3 mile circuit around Dorset churches. A fantastic group of Stourpaine villagers enjoyed their group adventure and then joined together for a Baraque in the evening. If anyone would like to donate to the Team Stourpaine fund then please go to 'justgiving.com' and search for stourpaineholytrinitymb21. Thanks for your support. Fran Towil

Recruitment of New Rector for the Benefice of Long Barrow

The advert is back in the Church Times. Please continue to pray for someone to express an interest.

Pimperne Garden & Social Club

Fourth Tuesday of the month from September to May



2pm-4pm

Village Hall, Newfield Road, Pimperne, DT11 8WF





Membership £20 per year

Contact Carole Beckford on 07979 524284 for more information





FIRST MEETING 23 SEPTEMBER

Enrolment, gardening quiz and plant exchange. Bring any unwanted plants and exchange for something new.







It's time for a Macmillan Coffee Morning

and you're invited

to support people living with cancer.

Place: Holy Trinity Church, Stourpaine

Date: 1st October 2025

Let's do whatever it takes

Time: 10:45am

Contact: Judy on 07957607111

All are welcome. Come and enjoy some of Stourpaine's wonderful cake and hospitality.

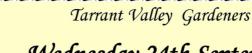




The Bryanston Village Jubbly Group invite you to **BOB'S BIG** SUNDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER THE OLD POWERHOUSE **BRYANSTON DT11 0PR** £5 per person (including £2 quiz fee) with Ploughman's supper Pay on the night 7 for 7.30pm start Lighthearted fun for all, not for serious quizzers! Deadline for entries Friday 26th September To reserve your table (max. 6 people) Email enquiries@oldpowerhousebryanston.co.uk Or inform the staff at The Old Powerhouse Please let us know your team name, number of people on your table and any dietary requirements WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING

YOU THERE!





Wednesday 24th September

Celebrity Event!

DOMINIC COUZENS

bird expert, best selling nature author, international field trip leader and a regular print columnist.

"Birds in our Gardens and Countryside"



Tarrant Keyneston Hall DT119JE

2.30 pm

Raffle & Refreshments

All Welcome: £4

Please remember to send in details of any activities that are happening in your villages to me by noon on a Tuesday. Judy 07957607111, dpsbenefice@gmail.com

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