



The Shrevenham and Ashbury Benefice

'Mirroring the hospitality of God'



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Rev'd Patrick Mabhunu is giving today's online sermon.
Watch on Facebook or our website.

- 8:00am Ashbury, St Mary
Holy Communion (BCP)
- 9:30am Watchfield, St Thomas
Remembrance Service
and Act of Remembrance at War Memorial
- 10:15am Shrevenham, St Andrew & [Facebook](#)
Remembrance Service
and Act of Remembrance at War Memorial
- 10:50am Longcot, St Mary
Act of Remembrance at War Memorial
Remembrance Service continues in church
- 10:50am Ashbury War Memorial
Act of Remembrance
- 10:50am Compton Beauchamp War Memorial
Act of Remembrance
- 12 noon Bourton War Memorial
Act of Remembrance
- 3:00pm Fernham Garden of Remembrance
and War Memorial
Act of Remembrance

Tuesday

- 9:00am Morning Prayer. Live on [Facebook](#)
- 7:00pm Ashbury PCC Meeting

Wednesday

- 8:45am Song and Stories Toddler Group
Back Room, Shrevenham Methodist Church
- 9:00am Shrevenham, St Andrew & [Facebook](#)
Morning Prayer
- 10:30am Wednesday Study Group via Zoom
- 2:00pm Shrevenham, St Andrew
Thanksgiving – Joyce Harding RIP
- 7:00pm Wednesday Study Group
12 Chapelwick Close, Shrevenham

Thursday

- 8:45am Baby & Toddler Group in St Andrew's
- 9:00am Matins. Live on [Facebook](#)
- 10:00am Ashbury, St Mary & [Facebook](#)
Holy Communion
- 3:15pm Shrevenham. St Andrew
Messy Church
- 6:00pm Benefice Choir Practice in St Andrew's

Friday

- 5:30pm Shrevenham, St Andrew
Worship and Praise

Saturday

- 8:30am Men's Breakfast
The Barrington Arms, Shrevenham
- 10:00am Bourton, St James
Holy Communion

Sunday 17th November

- 9:00am Compton Beauchamp, St Swithun
Holy Communion (BCP)
- 9:30am Longcot, St Mary
Morning Prayer
- 9:30am Watchfield, St Thomas
Matins
- 10:30am Shrevenham, St Andrew & [Facebook](#)
Holy Communion
- 11:00am Ashbury, St Mary
Morning Worship

Messy Church Thursday 14th November

3:15pm – 5pm
St Andrew's Church
Shrevenham



Messy Church is a church with a difference!
A chance to be creative, hear Bible stories, eat yummy
food and have fun with friends and family.

There is no charge to attend, but a minimum donation of
£1.50 per child towards costs would be appreciated.

For more information or to book a space contact
standfast.shrevenham@yahoo.com

Messy Church is open to all.

Men's Breakfast

Saturday 16th November at 8:30am
The Barrington Arms, Shrevenham

For catering purposes, please let Chris Taylor know
by Wednesday 13th if you plan to attend.

cstaylor1974@hotmail.com

Thank You

A huge thank you to all who contributed to the finger
buffet (including Bloomfield's, Co-op, Farm Shop and
One Stop) that followed Patrick's Installation Service on
Wednesday. There were many appreciative comments!

Pastoral Support

If you, or someone you know, would like a home visit
(to receive Holy Communion for example), need to talk
or ask for specific prayers, please do get in touch with
Rev'd Patrick Mabhunu or Lucy Laird.
Their contact details are at the top of the page 1.

Community Cycle of Prayer

Please pray this week for all who live and work in Berrycroft in Ashbury, and Stainswick Lane in Shrevenham.

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Congratulations



Congratulations to Rachel Messenger and Gordon Ryan who were married on Saturday 26th October in St Andrew's Church Shrivenham.

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All cyclists, riders, and walkers are warmly invited to an Act of Remembrance at Compton Beauchamp War Memorial from 10:50am until 11:10am.

What3words: mourner.packages.vine

Large signs to slow traffic will be put on the B4507 Wantage to Ashbury road.

Park trailers or horseboxes at the small car park at the junction of B4000 and The Ridgeway (what3words: remission.pink.simmer) Allow 25 minutes to hack along the Ridgeway. Take 2nd left down Knighton Hill.

All enquiries: Joanna Lambert 07990 898 175

Operation Christmas Child Shoe Boxes

Ashbury will not be having a Shoe Box Service this year but you can still pack and send a Shoebox between 11th and 18th November.

You can pack your own and take it to either The Kings Centre Wantage OX12 9AJ or The Entertainer Swindon SN1 1LE

Or you can pack one on-line for £25. Visit [Operation Christmas Child](#) for full details.

St Andrew's Annual Brass Cleaning Morning

Saturday 23rd November at 9:30am.

Helpers would be appreciated. Coffee provided!

The Institution, Induction and Installation of the Rev'd Patrick Mabunu as Vicar of the Shrivenham and Ashbury Benefice



Standing before the Vice Lord-Lieutenant of Oxfordshire, Patrick swears the oath of allegiance to the Crown.



Standing before Bishop Gavin, Patrick makes the declaration of assent.



Dancing in the aisles, as members of the Zimbabwean Mothers' Union choir lead the singing of a Shona hymn.



Patrick, Priscilla and Bishop Gavin after the service.



It is said that the number of chimes indicates how many years the new vicar will stay. We counted 25½ !