



The Shrivenham and Ashbury Benefice

'Mirroring the hospitality of God'



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25th May 2025 Sixth Sunday of Easter

Sunday 25th May

- 10:30am Compton Beauchamp, St Swithun
Benefice Holy Communion with Choir
and Baptism
The service will be recorded and posted
on [Facebook](#) later in the day.
- 1:00pm Compton Beauchamp, St Swithun
Baptism
- 2:00pm Longcot, St Mary
Baptism

Tuesday

- 1:00pm Bereavement Café
5 Marten's Road, Shrivenham

Wednesday

- 9:30am Wednesday Study Group via Zoom
7:00pm Wednesday Study Group
St Andrew's Vicarage, Shrivenham

Thursday Ascension Day

- 9:00am Matins. Live on [Facebook](#)
11:00am Shrivenham, St Andrew
ASK Prayer Tree
7:00pm Shrivenham, St Andrew & [Facebook](#)
Holy Communion with Choir

Friday

- 10:00am Shrivenham, St Andrew
Coffee and Chat

Community Cycle of Prayer

Please pray this week for all who live and work in
Malthouse Close in Ashbury, and Damson Trees
in Shrivenham.

Sunday 1st June

- 7:45am Shrivenham, St Andrew
Holy Communion (BCP)
- 9:30am Watchfield, St Thomas & [Facebook](#)
Holy Communion (BCP)
- 9:30am Longcot, St Mary
Holy Communion
- 10:30am Shrivenham, St Andrew
Family Service
- 11:00am Ashbury, St Mary
Holy Communion
- 5:30pm Shrivenham, St Andrew & [Facebook](#)
Compline and Benediction

Cream Teas

Saturday 7th June from 2 – 4pm
St Andrew's Church Shrivenham



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Come and enjoy a cream tea from 2 – 4pm on
Saturday 7th June in St Andrew's Church, Shrivenham.
£5.00 per person (payable on the door).
There will also be a raffle. In aid of church funds.

Welcome

Welcome to Amelia Joan Mavis Lewton who was
baptised on Sunday 18th May at St Andrew's Church.

Songs & Stories and Baby & Toddler Group

The groups are not meeting during the half term holiday.

Coffee & Chat in St Andrew's Church

Friday 30th May
from 10am to 11:30am

Feel free to bring your book, your knitting or stitching,
or just enjoy a chat with friends. All welcome.

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 Mabhun or Lucy Laird.

Revive

St Andrew's Church Shrivenham
Sunday 15th June from 4pm

All are welcome to join us at 4pm for coffee, tea and
cakes before an informal service with a live band and
contemporary worship music at 4:15pm.

Condolences

Our condolences to the family and friends of the late
John Comley. Please keep them in your prayers.

Vale of the White Horse Deanery Choral Evensong



The Benefice Choir joined singers from other churches in the Deanery for Choral Evensong on Sunday 18th May at St Mary's Church, Uffington.

**Shrivenham Open Gardens
Sunday 6th July from 2pm until 5pm**



We're looking for gardens for this annual fundraising event. Your garden does not have to be in pristine condition! Please contact Julian Stevens on 01793 782065 if you would like your garden to be included.

**Calling all gardeners and willing helpers!
Saturday 14th June from 10am to noon**



St Swithun's Church, Compton Beauchamp has a beautiful churchyard which is in need of a bit of tender loving care!

We would greatly appreciate some help to tidy up the churchyard. In particular there is a need for a fair bit of pruning/cutting back of small trees and shrubs. If this isn't your thing, then how about a bit of weeding or clearing moss/ivy off the gravestones?

As well as appropriate garden tools (secateurs, loppers, hard brush, trowel etc) it would also be helpful if, those who can, could bring a wheelbarrow or strimmer.

We hope that this will attract help not only from our parish but hopefully others in the Benefice.

Refreshments will be available.