# The Parishes of Swaffham

# and Sporle

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#### A warm welcome to our churches.

We are open in Swaffham normally from 9am to 4pm for all who wish to pray or simply visit.

# Parish News for week beginning 14.07.2024

# Seventh Sunday after Trinity

# St. Peter & St. Paul, Swaffham

**9.30am Sung Eucharist** – Order One Hymns: CP – 137, 432, 283, 494 Eucharistic Prayer G

# St. Mary the Virgin, Sporle

11.30am Holy Communion with hymns - Order One

# This week in Swaffham

**Tue** 10.00am Flower Group meeting in church 7.15pm Choir Practice

- Wed 10.00am Holy Communion BCP
  - 2.00pm Heartwood Academy Leavers' Service2.30pm Bible Discussion Group meets at 15 Wroxham Avenue
    - 6.30pm Big Heart & Soul Choir rehearsal
- Thu 2.00pm Strawberry Tea [see below]
- Sat9.30am Saturday Morning Coffee [to 12noon]7.30pm Big Heart & Soul Choir Summer Concert

# Sunday next, 21<sup>st</sup> July: Eighth after Trinity

# St Peter & St Paul, Swaffham

8.00am Holy Communion - Order One [trad]9.30am United Benefice Sung Eucharist - Order 1

# St Mary the Virgin, Sporle

There is no service in St Mary's this morning. We are invited to join the congregation in St Peter & St Paul for a United Benefice Sung Eucharist.

# Looking ahead

<u>18<sup>th</sup> Jul 2pm</u> Strawberry Tea [to 4pm] Tickets <u>£8</u> available from Sheila Fowler & Dorothy Starling

For those who only wish to receive the sacrament under the form of bread, please be assured that in doing so you receive the fullness of Christ.

### St Peter & St Paul's Fundraiser – 100 Club

A 100 Club fundraiser has been launched. A draw will be made each month with three prizes - £40, £20 or £10. We are grateful to two Saturday coffee helpers/visitors who have kindly volunteered to run this. They are: Zöe Gabriele – Tel: 07769 144027 Di Smith – Tel: 01760 725701 Each number in the draw costs £20 per year. You may have more than one number if you so wish. To participate, ring either Zöe or Di, or see Veronica Hutchby. NB All participants must be over 18 years old.

### Prayer List

From August 1<sup>st</sup>. names will remain on the list for four weeks only after which they will be moved to the 'pray at home' list. However, if at the four-week point or any point thereafter, the named person's condition dictates otherwise, please contact us and their name will be reinstated for a further four week period. Please let us know of any names to be listed for the first 4 weeks.

#### For our prayers

#### Those who are sick to be prayed for in church

Grace, Henry, Pernilla Henman, Anne Knight, Pauline Henman, Michelle Morano, John White, Wendy, Andrew Spencer, Terry Page, Dr Katherine McKee, Muriel Small, Lisa Hampton, Hilary Hickman, Steve Hodgkins, Jonathan Hall, Stephen Pitcher, Florence Handley, Susan Kennington, John George Smith.

#### Pray also at home for:

Lucy Wilkinson, Paul Goodman, Rick Richards, Jill Flack, Francis Smith, Judy Walder, Neil Hopkins, Elizabeth Fooks, Jan Buckley-Stevens, Catherine England.

#### <u>Pray for those who have died:</u> John Beattie.

Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord and let Light Perpetual shine upon them. Amen

Pray for all who are mourning their loved ones.

#### The Swaffham Second Collection for charity Workaid

This charity is based in Chesham, Bucks. and aims to empower young people in Africa (and the UK) to help themselves by developing skills and knowledge needed to find gainful employment, or to start their own business. They do this by refurbishing donated tools and equipment to a high standard and shipping them to training centres and self help organisations. You can support the work of Workaid by placing a donation in the Second Collection Bowl.

Swaffham and Sporle welcome couples to be married in our churches. If you wish to book a wedding or make enquiries, please contact Revd. Adrian Bell on 01760 627039 or <u>adrian.bell4@uwclub.net</u>