

PUBLIC NOTICES FEBRUARY 2019

MONDAYS KERBSIDE COLLECTIONS.

The next dates are **Mondays 11th & 25th February 2019**

Please put bins and bags out by 7.00am. The Waste Hotline is 01285 623123.
www.cotswold.gov.uk/media/1588297/1B-Monday.pdf

If you have a green bin for garden and food waste it can go out every week.

MOBILE LIBRARY SERVICE For queries telephone 01452 426973

The Mobile Library's next visits is on Thursday 28th February 2019

near the Bell Inn from 13:50 to 15:50.

www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/media/2083391/mobile-library-dates-november-18-march-19.pdf

WILLERSEY PARISH COUNCIL

The Office is situated at the south western corner of the Village Hall and is open for enquiries and advice on Monday each week from 9.30am-12noon (except Bank Holidays). At all times recorded messages can be left on the phone 01386 853635, or e-mail willerseyparishcouncil@btconnect.com

WILLERSEY VILLAGE HALL

To hire the hall please telephone Annie & Bill Payne 01386 858368, or email willerseyhall@btinternet.com Otherwise telephone Jean Harris 01386 858434.

METHODIST COMMUNITY ROOM HIRE – Tel: Penny Ingles 01386 853306.

The **MOBILE POST OFFICE** visits on Friday at The Bell Inn 12:45/14:45.

Only for **Lloyds** customers, their **Mobile Bank** visits Broadway Mon/Fri 13:30 to 17:15 and Wed 9:30 to 11:45. Not with Lloyds? – use **Budgens Post Office**.

COTSWOLD VOLUNTEERS NORTH

Anybody who wishes to have transport for hospital and medical appointments should ring the CVN Help Centre: 01608 651115. This telephone is manned from 09:30-13:30 hrs Monday to Friday. At other times there is an Answerphone. **Transport charges are 50p a mile (Minimum charge £3.00)**

TRAVEL SERVICES TELEPHONE NUMBERS

National Rail Enquiries 08457 48 49 50 or 03457 48 49 50

National Bus Traveline 0871 2002233

Hedgehog 01386 841466 N. N. Cresswell 01386 48655

Johnsons 01564 797000

Marchants of Cheltenham 01242 257714

Bus timetables for Gloucestershire are at www.easytraveling.org.uk/gcc/ and on the

Willersey website at www.willersey.org/transport.htm#bus

Contact numbers for Breakdown of Services & Police

Electric Power Faults - 0800 328 1111 or 105. Severn Trent. Sewage – 08007 834444

Floodline – 0845 988 1188 Thames Water – 0800 980 8800 Gas Emergency – 0800 111 999

Police – Telephone 101 www.gloucestershire.police.uk Emergency 999

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Pastoral Letter – February 2019

Green shoots!

Poor old February. On the surface, it doesn't have much to commend itself to us, does it? There's no major festival or celebration among its days – apart, of course, for St Valentine's Day – unlike December, which has Christmas, and January, which has the New Year. February's days remain relatively short and the weather can be, well, variable! And yet, during this month, we will see all around us many signs of new life. Some sheep farmers will see the first of their lambs born during February. Shrubs and trees will be covered in buds, and snowdrops, already brightening up the garden here, will put on a glorious show. All of this reminds us that Spring, warmer weather and longer days are on the way.

At a recent Church Council meeting that I attended in one of our parishes, I was heartened beyond words to hear someone say that they sensed we were beginning to see 'green shoots' in that particular church. Wow! I long to see that, not just in the churches that I serve, but in churches up and down this United Kingdom. That longing is not about numerical growth for the sake of it, but because I'd love to see more and more people come to encounter and know the life-changing, life-fulfilling Living God. As St Augustine, an early Christian bishop, so aptly puts it, "You have made us for yourself, O Lord, and our hearts are restless until they find their rest in you."

These 'green shoots' are God's plan for us. Speaking through the prophet Jeremiah, in the Old Testament of the Bible, God says,

“For I know the plans I have for you”, declares the Lord, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.” (Jeremiah, Chapter 29, Verse 11 (NIV))

What wonderful words. I believe those words to be true for our churches, our communities and for our nation – in spite of the current political uncertainty. They're great words to reflect on in this early part of 2019. If your heart is restless, may you find fulfilment in the God who created you in His image, and may you see and experience the 'green shoots' of new life and new hope all around you.

With love,
Scott

The Reverend Scott Watts, Team Vicar,

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Family Service in December

This service was titled “Good News” and was in three parts with Bridget taking the Service. Part One was Good News with the singing of “Hark the Herald Angels” to tell us the good news. The Angels were Angelina and Seraphina complete with halos and Mum’s help. Mary and her baby were played by Poppy with Pat as Joseph. The Angels read the news from the local paper.

We then travelled a little further to Part Two in Bethlehem with Robert the Innkeeper allowing his stable to be used. More news of the event came from the Bethlehem Times.

Next came Part Three with the poem “Little Jesus sleep away” read by Gillian and then “While shepherds watched” in came two shepherds to visit the stable and see the Baby Jesus. We all enjoyed this tableau of the familiar story always with a different slant on the tale.

We all sang our well known carols while Terry played for us. The shepherds then gave out to the congregation a sheet with services and their times which were happening over Christmas.



Christingle Service

This is always a magical start to Christmas especially so close to the “Big Day”. This service was well attended and magical.

After the children had collected their Christingles, they were lit and we all stood under the Church Tower with the lights dimmed. Scott knelt down to be at eye level and two little girls knelt with him. This is the start of Christmas. Come and see and experience such a magical occasion.

LETTER FROM THE METHODIST CHURCH TO YOU

February 2019

What a Christmas! Thank you for your support in attending the joint services over the Christmas period. Also for your support in voice and mince pies to the carol singing at the Jubilee Tree. The Methodist Church would like to thank the Bell Ringers for their contribution to Christmas; we might not have bells but we do appreciate them!

The Munch Bunch lunches have stopped for the time being. Numbers of workers became low and we need to think the whole thing out. We apologise to those who enjoy them so much and would like to think that this won’t be the last of lunches at our church.

Easter will be late this year – not until the middle of April. However the two Churches will be holding a united service in March as it will be a 5th Sunday in the month when we get together. Keep your eyes skinned for joint churches activities.

Our Church and Community Room calendars are in the notice boards at the front of the church and they list all the activities. You might have noticed a new Music Appreciation Group on a Wednesday and John Hall has now given up the Art Group but this is now being run by a new gentleman who is very good; same day and time. So, if you’re interested in U3A come along to either of these, or the general meeting in the village hall. The U3A has around 400 members and nearly 40 groups! And it’s based in Willersey.

Our knitting group has produced a huge number of garments – and toys:- 2x 6ft blankets (of squares), 13 children’s jumpers of different sizes, 15 soft toys (rabbits, squids, mice!), 2 neck warmers, 9 pairs of wrist warmers, two beanie jumpers and hats. We expect these to be gone soon to refugees all over the world and the poor in England. Why not try knitting again and join us? Friday mornings.

Happy New Year for 2019 to everyone in the village.
Penny & Richard Ingles 853306

Broadway Embroidery Group

Our December meeting was a festive occasion. Most members spent time completing various Christmas projects. The display table was adorned with a variety of member's finished work. We all visited the United Reformed Church to view the Tree Festival including our own completed one. The morning concluded with a lunch of soup, rolls and mince pies. Christmas greetings were exchanged and a reminder to all of our new project in January.

One of our members, Jane Bayes is a member of the Worcestershire Branch of the Embroiderers Guild. The Guild is involved this year with a project at Croome Court called "Changing Perspectives" and is particularly working with flora and fauna of the area. Jane has invited our group to participate with our subject being Butterflies.

Research has shown the butterflies that inhabit Croome Court and as members we started the project at our January meeting. We each chose a particular butterfly and with Jane's tuition, work is underway and will continue at our February meeting.

Next meeting 7th February 10am to 1pm

Broadway Methodist Church

For any queries please ring either

Penny Ingles 01386 853306 or Gillian Beale 01386 852958

Nativity Trail around the Village

Thank you to the children and adults who participated in the hunt for the nativity figures. At our Family Service on the 16th January the three winners were announced. Prizes were awarded to:-

Caleb Arthey

Poppy Barker

Tina & Peter Laxton, Crewkerne, Somerset

Many thanks to all who let out their windows to display the different characters and the garden at Orchard Villa for the star.

Family Service in January

A New Year so new beginnings. A good rousing hymn "To God be the glory" started the service. Those who were present were asked to write their ideas and thoughts for the New Year for the Community, for the Church and for you yourself. These thoughts were written on a label shaped as a Church and they were attached to the pulpit. Do go and have a read and maybe add your own thoughts on a label.

Our thanks go to Scott for another thought provoking Service and to Justine & Rachael. We also thank our welcoming stewards, Bel & Bill and our two collection girls Grace & Poppy.

Our next family service is at 11 o'clock on February 17th. We in FAST would like to say "Thank You" to all our helpers last year and wish you a Happy New Year.



Please note that this is an early warning notice but the Church Spring Clean will be on Saturday March 23rd at 10:00 o'clock



Shoe Boxes to Romania

A very big **Thank You** to all the people who donated items for the shoebox appeal. As a result I filled twenty boxes.

On my trip to Romania in December 2018 we managed to distribute over 5000 shoeboxes to children in the country.
Rachael Barker

**A Service of Thanksgiving for
The Reverend Dr Anthony E. Harvey was held on
Tuesday 15th January 2019 at 6:30pm in Westminster
Abbey.**

A Memorial stone to Canon Harvey was dedicated by the Dean of Westminster in the Great Cloisters at the Abbey.

I used to put a question to my students who were preparing for ordination. Suppose, when you die, you meet a figure at the pearly gates who you expect to be St Peter (but who does not look quite like him), and request admission. Suppose he answers (in a kind but slightly superior manner) that he regrets you have been taken in all this time. "This Christian story on which you have based your life is, of course, quite without foundation. This Jesus whom you have believed in and have been proclaiming was deluded if he really thought he was the Son of God, and his followers seem to have been equally deluded ever since. I am afraid it is all nonsense really."

What would be your reaction?

Would you say, "Oh if only I had known, I might have led my life quite differently"? Or would you feel that actually that it did not make that much difference? Was not the Christian life so obviously the right one, the teaching of Jesus so clearly self-authenticating, the examples of service, courage and hope given by his followers so inspiring, that no alternative course of life, no other moral and social priorities, could ever have seemed more challenging or more rewarding? And so it seemed to me.

This excerpt from the final chapter of "Drawn Three Ways" by Canon Anthony Harvey was included in the service.



Willersey

Footlights



The illustrious Willersey Footlights are taking to the boards again with performances on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings 25th to 27th April in Willersey Village Hall. All the performances are likely to be a sell out so do not delay. Put the dates in your diary **now!**

The show *The Best of British* will be a miscellany of pure entertainment based on our National treasures.

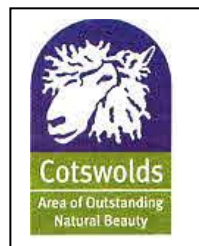
Tickets will be available from February 1st and can be obtained from Alan Gittings (tel. 01386 858601 mob. 07734363670) or from Willersey Stores.

Christmas Eve Carol Singing

Thanks to everyone who came along and generously supported this traditional Willersey start to Christmas; and thank you to those who donated mince pies and *Footlights* for serving the warming mulled wine. After paying for the brass band *Willersey Footlights* were able to forward a cheque for £198.54 to Action for Children.

.....and more about those mince pies.

Many, many, thanks to everyone for the wonderful supply of delicious mince pies for the Carols around the Jubilee Tree on Christmas Eve. The amount was stupendous and at one point I thought we would be having mince pies for breakfast on Christmas Day! I need not of worried as there was not a scrap left. Once again many thanks for your hard work and generosity.
Penny Burch



A short circuit around Bourton – Tuesday 26th February - Easy

A short circuit in the countryside around Bourton-on-the-Water, passing through Wick Rissington and skirting Little Rissington.

2.5 hours: 5 miles.

Start: 10.00 am Bourton-on-the-Water War Memorial in village centre. OS Map ref: SP 167 207.

Exploring Winchcombe Ways 2 - Thursday 28th February - Moderate

We continue our exploration of some long distance paths that go through Winchcombe. Today we shall explore the start of the Wardens Way, St Kenelm's Way and Winchcombe Way. The paths often follow ancient routes and there should be spectacular views.

3 hours: 6 miles.

Start: 10.00 am Winchcombe Back Lane car park, behind library (£1 all day). OS Map ref: SP 024 286.

PLEASE use appropriate footwear as some walks may be steep and muddy in places. EASY - Length may vary but terrain is mainly flat (level); MODERATE - includes some hills and rough ground. STRENUOUS – may be rough underfoot and ascents and descents may be steep. We welcome guide and hearing dogs - sorry, others not allowed.

Walks are free although we do invite donations to help fund our conservation and improvement work.

The Wardens run a full programme of guided walks throughout the Cotswolds. For more information see www.cotswoldsaonb.org.uk or Tel: 01451 862000, also for any changes to arrangements such as due to extreme weather.

North Cotswold University of the Third Age

Our subject for Thursday February 14th at 2:00pm in Willersey Village Hall will be **'Tax, Care and Toy Boys'** – Oliver Hill (Coop Estate Planning). Planning for later life
<https://u3asites.org.uk/north-cotswold/events>



Willersey WI January Report

Mal welcomed all members and guests, followed by a rendition of JUICE-ALEM. A slight change to some of the words of Jerusalem, for the mid winter blessing of the local fruit trees and a toast to wish us all well in 2019. The new committee had stepped up to create a lovely setting for the evening, Sandy and Pam served cider punch and Cathy decorated tables with wild flowers.

The December activities seem a long time ago but our supper in the Village Hall and Victoria Wood memories from Mat Sproston was as ever a fun evening. The festive decorations organised by Sue and Mal remained through to the New Year giving us all a lift.

Joan Bomford, farmer and raconteur, entertained us in January with her stories of training horses and running a cattle farm. At 86 her energy put us to shame.

Jackie collected used cards, stamps and coins for the Cobalt Unit. Thanks to Jackie for her continued work supporting the Cobalt Unit.

Gi shared information about the 'Dignity Bag' collection for women in war torn countries. Our thanks to her for her hard work and raising our awareness of women living in difficult circumstances. We hope to fill 10 bags by Easter.

The NFWI Resolution selection was shared with the group, 'A Call Against the Decline in Local Bus Services' received most votes - 11; 'Don't Fear the Smear'- 7 votes; and 'Improving Plant Biosecurity in the UK - 5 votes. The other resolutions received 2 or less.

A huge thanks to Beckie Williams and Ben Sarney who generously printed the WI Recipe book, the 75 copies raised £300. The proceeds are to be shared with 'Doing it for Lottie' and the WI funds each benefiting by £150. The raffle money, £134 from the Seniors Lunch was also sent to the 'Lottie' appeal. Our main fund raising last year was divided between the Seniors lunch and £500 towards the Village Hall funds. A big thanks to all of our supporters.

We look forward to another successful year of informative speakers, fund raising for some good causes and most of all plenty of laughter.



FEBRUARY MEETING

February 11th - Village Hall 7.15

Severn Freewheelers - A group of volunteer motorcyclists who deliver essential medical items between NHS groups

An open meeting - £4 for guests

Tea Hostesses - Mary, Ann and Angie

Birthday Flowers - Penny - 3 Raffle - Sue

WI Crockery Hire call Mal 858351

Eileen Fewlass née Folkes

25th September 1924-21st September 2018

We would like to thank everyone in the village, who knew our mother, for your friendship and kindness over all the time she was in Willersey. As many of you know she was a true Gloucestershire girl even though she lived in East Yorkshire most of the time

It was wonderful to see so many people in St Peter's; our special thanks go to Scott for a wonderful service. Thanks also to Kevin and Merstow Green Funeral Directors and to Jess at the New Inn.

We look forward to seeing many of you soon, when we are in Willersey.

With very best wishes.
Cherry, Diana and Jane

PATIENT PARTICIPATION GROUP OF BARN CLOSE SURGERY

As chairman of the Patient Participation Group (PPG) of Barn Close Surgery we would like any patients of the surgery to follow the links below so they may read the PPG Newsletter which is published in March, July and November each year.

If you want to be notified by email 3 times a year when a new edition of the Barn Close Surgery Newsletter is issued, please click on:-

<https://www.mysurgerywebsite.co.uk/secure/subscribe.aspx?p=M81029>

If you want to read the current edition, please click on:-

<http://www.barnclose.co.uk/info.aspx?p=14>

Please contact me if you have any questions about the PPG Newsletter.

Sonia Woolven swoolven@btinternet.com or 01386 852211



Report it! – Highways



Any problems with Gloucestershire roads, (pot holes, hazards etc), rights of way and parking issues are best reported direct to the Highways department via the following internet link where you can actually pin point the problem area on a map
<https://www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/roads-parking-and-rights-of-way/roads/report-it/>

If your complaint is not addressed then inform the Parish Clerk (Kevin O'Donoghue) with the reference and he will follow the matter up. Kevin's contact details are on page 20.

I'm emailing from the Gloucestershire Constabulary press office as we are currently trying to raise awareness of something which is called **The Herbert Protocol** - this is a form which can be filled out by a relative or carer of someone who is living with dementia which can be used should the person be reported missing.

Are you looking after someone who suffers from dementia, and have concerns about what will happen if they go missing?

Symptoms of dementia can include confusion and disorientation which make it difficult for the sufferer to know where they are going and why, and for search teams to locate them.

You can help by signing up to the Herbert Protocol on their behalf, filling in significant details on a simple form which is handed to police when the person is reported missing.

It includes things like previous addresses and special locations, such as a family grave, which may be a draw to them; hobbies and regular routines; photos and up to date description - sometimes hard to recall in the panic of finding that your loved one has gone missing.

Gloucestershire Constabulary is working with the Alzheimer's Society to promote this scheme, named after war veteran George Herbert who died whilst missing and trying to return to his childhood home.

For more details visit our website:

<https://www.gloucestershire.police.uk/staying-safe/the-herbert-protocol/> and fill in this form:

<https://www.gloucestershire.police.uk/media/6223/herbert-protocol-form.pdf>

You could save a life!

Many thanks,

Emily Midwinter

Police Headquarters, No.1 Waterwells, Waterwells Drive,
Quedgeley, GL2 2AN Phone - 01452 752207 | Group- 01452 754302

www.gloucestershire.police.uk |

Children's Corner

Here is this month's sudoku challenge.

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9	5	3	1	8	7	6	2	4
5	1	4	9	7	6	3	8	2
2	3	7	8	4	5	1	6	9
6	9	8	2	3	1	5	4	7

And here is the solution to last month's.



Ken Spensley

The church heating fund could only stretch to buying a copy of 'Boiler Repairs For Dummies'

Emily Volunteering at HMP Long Lartin.

Do you believe all families of men and women in prison should have the opportunity to visit their loved one?

Can you make a cup of tea or play with a toddler or listen with empathy?

Do you want the opportunity to support families facing the challenges of visiting their loved one, making their visit a positive experience?

The Prison Advice and Care Trust (Pact) is a national charity that provides support to prisoners and their families. Our mission is to support people to make a fresh start, and minimise the harm that can be caused by imprisonment on people who have committed offences, on families and on communities. You can contribute to the achievement of that mission by becoming a Pact volunteer today!

We are looking for people who believe that every family of man or woman in prison is entitled to visit them, and that when doing so, the families should be treated in a respectful, non-judgmental, empathic way, encouraging a positive visit experience.

Volunteers are needed for a range of roles;

- **Visitor Centre** – meet and greet families, provide emotional support, serve refreshments and basic admin tasks. Visitors Centres are located within close proximity to the prison
- **Catering** – within the Visits Hall (inside the prison gates) providing men and woman in prison and their families the opportunity to eat together
- **Play** – within the Visits Hall (inside the prison gates) engaging in play activities with children of all ages, allowing families space to talk.

Times and locations of roles vary. Full training will be provided. All roles require DBS clearance and some roles require Prison Vetting Clearance. Please note these checks can take a number of weeks to process.

For full role descriptions and to apply please visit our website on the link below.

<https://www.prisonadvice.org.uk/volunteer>

Or you contact the Regional Volunteer Coordinator for further details:

Emma O'Connor

Email: Emma.O'connor@prisonadvice.org.uk

Mobile: 07712 306940

Weston sub Edge Rural Cinema

The film for February is “**The Children Act**”. Fiona Maye is an eminent High Court judge in London presiding with wisdom and compassion over ethically complex cases of family law. She has paid a heavy personal price for her workload and her marriage to American professor, Jack, is at breaking point. In this moment of personal crisis, Fiona is asked to rule on the case of Adam, a brilliant boy who is refusing the blood transfusion that will save his life. Adam is three months from his 18th birthday and still legally a child. Should he be forced to live? Fiona visits Adam in the hospital and their meeting has a profound emotional impact on them both, stirring strong new emotions in the boy and long-buried feelings in her.



The film will be shown in Weston-sub-Edge Village Hall on Thursday 28th February. Doors will open at 7.30 p.m. and the film begins at 8.00 p.m. Tickets are £4.00 at the door. For more information contact Chris Rossington on 01386 849316 or find details on the village website, www.westonsubedge.com.

The Village Bar will be open from 4.00 p.m. for a pre-cinema supper. Becky serves excellent food at very competitive prices. For more details contact becci.white@btinternet.com or drop into the bar one weekend and collect a menu..

The Village Bar Coffee Morning

Weston-sub-Edge's monthly coffee morning will be held from 11.00 a.m. on Saturday 2nd February. Come along to chat with friends old and new and to sample Becky's delicious home-made cakes. £3.20 for cake and coffee/tea and yet more cakes to take home to enjoy later if you wish.



Come and celebrate Pancake Day!

Shrove Tuesday falls on March 5th this year and we will be holding a Pancake Party at the Methodist Church Room from 12.00-15.30 in aid of Christian Aid. So come and join us to eat as many pancakes as you like and to help swell the Christian Aid Funds!
The Two Pennys.

The MARCH 2019 CHURCH & VILLAGE NEWS

Copy for this news must be received by Sunday 17th February unless otherwise notified. Please send in any items of interest or notice of forthcoming events. Newsletter creation will start early in the morning of the next day, the 18th. Drop them into Willersey Stores, phone Alan on 858601 or Bill on 858628, or email them to willerseynews@gmail.com. Thank you.

The Church and Village News is now published on the Internet no later than one week after the paper edition is delivered. You can find it at.

www.willersey.org/churchandvillagenews.htm

Comments on the Newsletter are always welcomed. Please email them to willerseynews@gmail.com or leave them at the Village Stores

For later updates to any Church and Village News do look on our Willersey Cotswolds Facebook page or www.willersey.org.

The editors would like to thank all our volunteer delivery people for their valuable assistance throughout the year. Your help is really appreciated.



Nature Box - Old Wives Tales

Swallows spend the winter at the bottom of ponds Well, that used to be believed; and when you think about swallows swooping close over water to drink whilst flying and then disappearing in the autumn, you can see how and then disappearing in the autumn, you can see how centuries ago that might have been believed .

Birds that migrate, like swallows travelling many thousands of miles each year back and forth from Africa, have a particular mystery and have often attracted odd stories. We now know so much more about bird behaviour through closer research and new technologies such as miniature tracking devices attached to birds.

The tiny goldcrest, many of which migrate from northern Europe to spend the winter here, were once thought by some to be too small to cross the North Sea unaided. They were believed to hitch a lift on the backs of the much bigger woodcocks migrating at the same time, and were given the nickname of "**woodcock pilots**".

The nightjar, another migrant bird, used to be called "**goatsuckers**", and said to suck the milk from goats. A night flying bird feeding on insects is the reality, but again – never let the truth spoil a good story.

Sadly we don't have nightjars locally, but as Mike has reported recently we do have noisy mistle thrushes, and currently feeding on garden berries. They can often be heard calling loudly just before bad weather - hence their common name of "**storm cocks**".

If you'd like to comment or contribute to Nature Box or report interesting local sightings please email Bob Topp at willerseynaturebox@gmail.com

Services at ST. PETER'S CHURCH February 2019

N.B. Holy Communion using the Book of Common Prayer (BCP) service is celebrated every Wednesday at 11am. Do come along and join us for the service and/or coffee and a chat at 11.30-12.00 noon.

Sidesman, Readers and Coffee rota for February 2019

Date	Sidesman	Reader	Refreshments
February 3 rd MP Candlemas	Ken Spensley	Ken Spensley	Sandra Spensley and Liz Webb.
February 10 th BCP TL	Rob Heming	Viv Aling 4 th before Lent	Adine Keatley & Sylvia Schambri
February 17 th 3 rd Sunday before Lent	Bel & Bill Jabelman	FAST Team 11:00am 3 rd before Lent	Family Service Bel & Bill Jabelman
February 24 th CW ML	Ken Spensley	John Busbridge 2 nd before Lent	Peter Burch & Linda Frost
March 3 rd MP	Tim Prestage	Tim Prestage Sunday before L	Rachael Barker & Tini Owens

If you need to swap please contact someone to take your place.

MP = Morning Prayer. BCP = Book of Common Prayer (Trad Language). CW = Common Worship Modern Language. FAST = Family Service (No Communion)

HC Holy Communion ML Modern Language TL Traditional Language

All services start at **9:00am** unless otherwise noted. Details of the local all

Benefice services in local Churches can be found on this webpage:-

www.willersey.org/stpeter.htm or on the notice board in St Peter's porch.

Please check for changes/additions on the weekly sheet.

Week Ending

St Peter's Church Cleaning

February 2nd & Feb 9th

Annie Payne & Sue Clark

February 16th & Feb 23rd

Rachael & Poppy Barker

Week Ending

St Peter's Brass Cleaning

February 2nd & Feb 9th

Gillian Beale

February 16th & Feb 23rd

Mal Jelfs & Jackie Jordan

Please choose either week to do the Church or brass cleaning

A key is in the Bell Inn or from Mrs Gillian Beale 01386 852958

The cupboard in the Vestry contains brass cleaning equipment, dusters, polish and floor cleaner. Please let me know if any cleaning equipment needs

replacing. Thank you. Gillian

METHODIST CHURCH SERVICES for February 2019

Our services all start at 10:30 am

3 rd	February	Margaret Fuller (Reader)
10 th	February	Revd Peter Grimwood
17 th	February	Revd Audrey Simpson, United at Willersey with Broadway, Communion
24 th	February	Alan Cooper

Date	St Peter's Lessons
February 3 rd	Malachi 3 v 1-5 & Hebrews 2 v 14-end
February 10 th	Isaiah 6 v 1-8 (9-end) & 1 Corinthians 15 v1-11
February 17 th	Family Service FAST
February 24 th	Genesis 2 v 4b - 9, 15-end & Revelation 4.
March 3 rd	Exodus 34 v 29 - end & 2 Corinthians 3 v 12 - C4 v2

WILLERSEY WEDNESDAY CLUB

We started 2019 with a talk by John Macartney entitled "The Crocus and the Cornflower". Despite the title this was not a gardening talk but a very moving story about an Austrian couple (the wife was a Jew) who managed to escape separately from Vienna in 1939 and make their way to England and eventually to Coventry where they had connections with the Standard Motor Company. We could all imagine their many adventures would make a splendid film or TV serial and John has written a book which he hopes to get published.

On January 30th Ken Ingamells will make a return visit to talk about The Falkland's Conflict 1982 and on February 13th David How will have "Thoughts on relationships"

We always enjoy a splendid tea after the talk and welcome members from surrounding villages.

Meetings start at 2.30 for 2.45.