

**SEPTEMBER 2021**

**PARISHES OF PILTON, CROSCOMBE, NORTH WOOTTON AND DINDER**

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**OCTOBER ROUNDABOUT DEADLINE FOR ALL MATERIAL IS**

**MONDAY 20thSEPTEMBER 9.00am**

**LOOKING TO THE NEXT CHAPTER**

**A message from Bishop Ruth**

‘Back to school!’ perhaps has never sounded so good. For those of us who found last year disrupted in terms of school, college or university, some of our young people and their parents might be really looking forward to the doors re-opening! And perhaps their teachers too!

Of course, things will not be the same as they were. A new school year always means change. New classes, new goals, new possibilities. An opportunity to start with a clean sheet, open the next chapter of the book of our lives.

Here in Bath and Wells we are also looking to the next chapter in our story of faith together. This month we will be bringing together all we have learnt from listening to others about where we are as a diocese and what sort of bishop we now need to lead us into the future. If you haven’t already done so, please have your say by attending the open consultation Zoom meeting on September 20th. We have already heard the thoughts of almost 1000 of our children across schools in the county, as well as hundreds of adults!

It will be some time before we know who our next Diocesan Bishop will be but now is the time to start praying for him or her so that they might hear from God as we also seek God’s wisdom and guidance. And let’s pray too for ourselves and all those within our diocese, that each of us will find God’s will for the next stage of our journey.

None of us can know what that might hold for certain. The last year or two have shown us how difficult it is to predict anything! Some of us have lost loved ones and livelihoods. It will take time to recover and to renew our hope.

There will be challenges along the way and we have much to face together. However, our hope is in the Lord and we hold to the promises of His word…

‘’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.”

Proverbs 29:11

 *Ruth Worsley*, Bishop of Taunton

**PRAYER FOCUS**

At the beginning of the new school and college year, we pray for the children and young people of our parishes as they make a new, hopefully more settled, start in their education. We pray for local pre-schools, schools and colleges, for the staff and governors.

As life begins to re-open we pray for respect and understanding in the way in which we live our lives and that everyone will feel confident and encouraged to join in events and organisations once more.

**PSALMS**

This month’s Psalms include praying to God and praise and thanksgiving for the glories of Creation, and the security which He gives to our lives.

The psalms that can be read on Sundays in September are:

 5th September Psalm 125

12th September Psalm 19: 1-6

19th September Psalm 54

26th September Psalm 19

**BIBLE READINGS**

5th September Proverbs 22: 1-2,8-9,22-23 Mark 7: 24-end

12th September Proverbs 1: 20-33 Mark 8: 27-end

19th September Jeremiah 11: 18-20 Mark 9: 30-37

26th September Psalm 19 Mark 9: 38-end

**PSALMS AND READINGS FOR HARVEST SERVICES**

Psalm 126 Joel 2: 21-27 Matthew 6: 25-33

**A MESSAGE FROM THE ROUNDABOUT TEAM**

We are pleased to have received more material for the September edition than has been the case for many months – even to merit ‘What’s On’ again. We look forward to even more happening in the coming months.

Please remember that the deadline is usually the third Monday in the month by 9.00am and is always on the front inside cover. We appreciate articles and reports, 200 words is ideal, arriving before that and remind you to always use magazine@roundaboutnews.org.uk

**AWAY MORNING**

**for our parishes of**

**Pilton, Croscombe, North Wootton, Dinder and Dulcote.**

**SUNDAY 12th SEPTEMBER**

**10.30am**

**At Croscombe Village Hall**

Anyone who attends or would like to attend Church in any of our village churches is invited to Croscombe Village Hall on Sunday 12th September.

After a long period of online services and now the re-introduction of limited services, it feels like an opportune time to all get together to discuss a more permanent rota. We are hoping that as many of you as possible will be able to join us in Croscombe Village Hall on 12th September.

The morning will start at 10.30am with a service of Holy Communion and then The Revd Richard Priestly is going to assist us in trying to discern a sustainable service pattern to take us forward.

Tea/Coffee will be provided and the morning will end with a shared lunch, so please bring some finger food to share.

If you are unable to attend please do Email me your views in advance of the morning at Rector.pcnd@gmail.com

*Rev. Chris*

**BENEFICE BIBLE STUDY GROUP**

The Benefice Bible Study is continuing on Monday mornings at 10.30am. If you would like to join us, you would be very welcome; just email rector.pcnd@gmail.com for details.

**ABOUT PEOPLE**

We look forward to meeting at village events, catching up with old friends and making new friends.

We send our good wishes and prayers to anyone who is unwell at the moment, whether you are at home or in hospital. We remember those receiving treatment and those awaiting the results of tests.



**HARVEST CELEBRATIONS AT PILTON**

**PILTON CHURCHES WORKING TOGETHER**

On **Sunday 19th September** Harvest Celebrations will take place in a joint service at the **Methodist Church** with a **Harvest Service at 11.00am**. Gifts of produce will be gratefully received on Saturday morning, 13th September, and during the service.

In the evening the **Harvest Sale**, in aid of the International Relief Fund, will take place at the **Methodist Church at 6.30pm.**

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**HARVEST CELEBRATIONS AT CROSCOMBE**

**AT ST MARY’S CHURCH**

 This year our Harvest Festival will be held at **11.00am on Sunday 19th September.** As usual the church will be suitably and beautifully decorated but, as restrictions make it difficult to donate fresh produce and other comestibles to Grace Harris House in Shepton Mallet (a Supported Housing Project for homeless young people), we have decided instead that the collection money received that day will go to them.

Do come and join us in a joyful thanksgiving for ‘all good gifts around us’.

*Croscombe PCC*

**HARVEST CELEBRATIONS AT DINDER**

**Sunday 26th September**

There will be a short **Dinder Harvest Praise Service at 2.30pm** in the Church followed by tea and cake in the **Village Hall at 3.00pm**. Everyone is welcome to join us either in the Church or Hall or both.

**WHAT’S ON IN DINDER AND DULCOTE**

**September**

26th Dinder Harvest Praise in the Church 2.30pm

**DINDER AND CROSCOMBE CRICKET CLUB**

**September Fixtures**

**Sunday 5th** Banwell and Churchill Away 2.00pm

**Sunday 12th** Pilton Home 1.30pm

 *Roy Thorne*

**WELLS FESTIVAL OF LITERATURE**

**15th – 23rd October**

Botanists, biographers, barristers; comedians, consultants, cooks; environmentalists, editors, essayists; journalists, jokers; politicians, professors, poets …

People of all persuasions will be piling into Wells during October to take part in a Festival which promises eight days of almost everything!

There will be fact and fiction, poetry and prose, of course. But within those broad categories audiences will find a wealth of variety guaranteed to inform, entertain and inspire.

Annoy? Possibly. Challenge? Hopefully. Amuse? Undoubtedly.

The topics being covered during October will include war and peace, hope and despair, laughter and tears, truth and lies, youth and age … Amongst the characters being discussed are Hitler, Trump, Gatsby, Little Dorrit, Frances Graham, Captain Cook, Eurydice, the Scottish nanny… And speakers who will share their wit and wisdom in Cedars Hall include John Simpson, Jonathan Bate, Ambra Edwards, Lucy Jago, Anil Seth, Owen Sheers, Peter Oborne, Andrew Gailey, Emily Mayhew….and many more.

In short, there’s plenty of talent, a vast spread of knowledge, a huge variety of opinion, some extremely fascinating views and a generous sprinkling of suggestions. This year there’s even a cream tea to be had – in addition to three deliciously inspiring Literary Lunches, if you have room!

Full details of the 33 events on offer between 15th and 23rd October can be found on the WFL website. Priority booking is open from 31 August, with tickets available to the public from Monday 6 September.

Go to [www.wellsfestivalofliterature.org.uk](http://www.wellsfestivalofliterature.org.uk) for full details, or ring the box office telephone line 01749 834483 (weekdays 9.30 am to 12.30 pm).

**WHAT’S ON IN CROSCOMBE**

**September**

 2nd Parish Council Meeting 7.30pm

 4th Sequence Dancing. Village Hall 8.00-10.00pm

12th Church Service and Away Morning. Village Hall 10.30am

18th – 3rd October Somerset Open Studios

 Exhibition at Rising Sun Cottage, Thrupe Lane 10.00am – 4.00pm

19th Harvest Service. St Mary’s Church 11.00am

25th Coffee Morning. Village Hall 10.00am – 12noon

**SEQUENCE DANCING IN CROSCOMBE**

Are you new to Croscombe, wanting to get back to some normality or just wanting a little exercise with a friendly crowd? Then come and join us on Tuesday evenings in the Village Hall at 8.00pm for Sequence dancing. Can’t dance? Come along and we will show you.

It is £2 per evening including tea/coffee and biscuit. We look forward to seeing you. If you would like any more information please ring Lyn Manvill on 343833.

**CROSCOMBE SPEEDWATCH TEAM**

**are looking for more members.**

Croscombe Speedwatch team is currently a committed group of 4 local residents, all with busy lives, which can make co-ordinating sessions difficult.

* The team is required to hold at least two half hour sessions a week but would prefer to hold three or four a week.
* Preferably sessions are held on different days and times each week to cover a broad range of work/leisure/school traffic.
* We generally record 10% speeders with an average of 232 vehicles per half hour.
* Our worst record was nearly 24% speeders. Our highest speed in the 20mph zone was 45mph.

We know that if we were more visible we would have a positive effect on reducing traffic speeds in the village. With a team of 10 or 12 members the demand on team members’ time would be less onerous, with members perhaps just doing a couple of sessions a month, and yet we would be more visible.

Would you like to join us?

Call Nicola Morris on 07747 866501



**CROSCOMBE HARVEST MARKET**

**Saturday 11th September**

**10.30am – 2.30pm**

Village Hall and Playing Field, BA5 3RA

A fun day out for all the family

Local produce, crafts, gifts, cider, upcycling and much more

Farm animals

Competition for best homemade jam, chutney, biscuits or cake



Scarecrow competition for the kids!

Live music

Light lunches, tea and homemade cake

Tombola

Covid compliant

To book a stall or for more information, contact marylucia.cadogan@gmail.com

or call 572875

**CROSCOMBE VILLAGE HALL** is now open for bookings again. There are details at [www.croscombevillagehall.org.uk](http://www.croscombevillagehall.org.uk) or in the section of the magazine on coloured paper.

**SOMERSET OPEN STUDIOS**

**September 18th – October 3rd every day 10:00am – 4:00pm**

Local Artist Gillian Flack is opening her Studio

**Rising Sun Cottage, Thrupe Lane, Masbury, BA4 3HE**

(near Rocky Mountain Garden Centre)

All are welcome

**SEPTEMBER EVENTS AT OUR VILLAGE PUBS AND CLUBS**

**PILTON NEW ROOM**

**COMMUNITY COFFEE SHOP**

(Next to the Pre-school and Chapel)

Managed and run entirely by volunteers

This month we will be open from

**Wednesday to Saturday**

**10.00am to 12.30pm**

If you are interested in joining our

team of volunteers please call

Gillian Steel on 07917 533728

**PILTON WORKING MEN’S CLUB (890162)**

piltonvh@gmail.com

**Pilton Club**

Tuesdays -Thursdays 7.00-10.00pm

Friday 6.00-10.00pm – Food served 6.00-8.00pm

Saturday 7.00 -10.00pm

Sunday 12.00noon – 4.00pm

Sunday Carvery 12.00noon – 2.00pm

Eat in or take away

**THE GEORGE INN, CROSCOMBE (342306)**

[www.thegeorgeinn.co.uk](http://www.thegeorgeinn.co.uk)

September opening hours are 8am-3pm daily

5pm-9pm Monday – Thursday 5pm-10pm Friday and Saturday

Closed Sunday evening.

Take away or eat at the pub is available daily until 1 hour before closing times.

Call to order in advance please 342306 or 07892 699297

Village Shop – open daily 8.00am – 2.00pm

**SMALL ADS**

**Chantry Construction: stone walling, drives, block paving, patios,** extensions, mini–digger and driver. Contact Paul Merrett 01373 836787 or 07855343388.

**Daniel’s garden maintenance.** Lawns cut, seeded, turfed. Hedges cut, garden clearance, Patio-laying, jet-washing, fencing plus fence painting. Weeding. Call Daniel 672832 or 07936583986

**Daniel’s property maintenance** Roof repairs. Gutters cleaned, repaired and renewed Interior and exterior painting and much more.
Call Reg 672832 mob 07518116140

**RP Property Solutions: Home maintenance/repairs and qualified electrician.** Free no obligation quotes. Great prompt service. Call Robert Pippard on 07969 345726 or 572311.

**Give your garden a treat. 2 year old well-rotted horse manure** sold by sack or load. 100% organic. Contact 890582.

**Chimney Clean:** Chimney sweep, clean and efficient service est. 1985. Please ring Colin on 07596 534861.

**J.D. Waste.**  House clearance.  Rubbish clearance. Garage Clearance.

Call 07919 584737 or 07961 892014.

**Domestic Cleaning Services.** For references and details please call 01749 689099 or email pattinson321@yahoo.co.uk

**JM Building** for all general building needs and property maintenance. All building work, natural stone work, patios, tiling, decorating. 25 years’ experience, free quotations. References available. 07546589825

**West Country Gardening and Landscape Services** for all types of tree, hedge, shrub and garden work. We also do one off garden tidying. Licensed waste carrier. 01458 210237. 07961 986871

**Parish Council Websites**

[www.piltonparishcouncil.org](http://www.piltonparishcouncil.org)

[www.croscombeparishcouncil.co.uk](http://www.croscombeparishcouncil.co.uk)

**PLANT, CRAFT and COFFEE MORNING at MARK Saturday 25th SEPTEMBER** 10.00am – 12noon Proceeds to Cancer Research UK
Stook House Farm, Littlemoor Road, Mark. TA9 4NL.  Entrance £2.50 for coffee/tea and cake.

**WHAT’S ON IN PILTON**

**September**

 4th Pilton Picnic, Playing Field 1.00-5.00pm

 8th Happy Circle, Village Hall 2.00-4.00pm

 8th Parish Council Meeting, Village Hall 7.30pm

13th History Group, Village Hall 7.30pm

19th Harvest Festival, Methodist Church 10.30am

19th Harvest Sale, Methodist Church 6.30pm



**GREEN LIGHT FOR PILTON PICNIC!**

It’s on! Several people have said “the village could do with a fun get-together.” Details on poster and Facebook pages.

So come along to the Playing Field between 1 and 5 pm for an outdoors village afternoon.

Stalls open at 2 pm, raffle and auction at 4.30pm when scarecrow competition prizes also awarded. Pray for fine weather!

This *would* have been the 50th anniversary of a combined Flower Show and Field Day: there will be more field than flowers, due to current circumstances. But to celebrate, make your own show – bring along flowers to create a floral arch (base provided) and/or fruit and vegetables for a produce display, auctioned at the end. Flowers also feature in the 2022 calendar, on sale, plus a ‘virtual’ floral photo display.

As one of the committee commented, “it’s about as certain as anything can be in this uncertain world.”

**PILTON HAPPY CIRCLE CLUB**

After 18 very quiet months Pilton Happy Circle would like to extend a warm invitation to their first meeting of 2021 on September 8th at Pilton Village Hall. Members and those who wonder what goes on at Happy Circle are all welcome. We meet on alternate Wednesdays between 2pm and 4pm and the club is open to over 55s who live in the area.

Do come along on September 8th to see friends old and new, the more the merrier!

*Liz Elkin*



**PILTON PICNIC IS ON!**

**4th September**

**from 1-5 pm**

**(stalls open 2 pm)**

**Pilton Playing Field BA4 4BR**

**AS A GESTURE TO THE (POSTPONED) FLOWER SHOW**

Please bring flowers to create a flower arch (base provided)

&/or garden vegetables, as for Harvest Festival,

to display for auction after Raffle Draw (4.30 pm)

**MUSIC:** *The Olde Boston Tea Party*

**JUGGLING** displays and workshops by Haggis & Charlie

**FOOD and DRINK** from 1 – 4.30 pm: Licensed pay bar;

Brown Cow Organics BBQ ; Tea, coffee, squash,

cakes & sandwiches to buy

OR

Bring your own picnic and while away the afternoon

**CHILDREN**: Come in fancy dress as Harvest King or Flower Queen;

Pre-School Activities; Vicki’s Olympics: fun sports; ‘Bin Football’; Graffiti Board; Ice creams

**PLUS**

 Beekeeping Display; Scarecrow Competition Results; Treasure Map;

Splat the Rat; Made in Pilton crafts stalls; Coconut Shy; Skittles; Emporium, Nearly New, Pantry and Plants stalls; Virtual Flower Show photos & calendar 2022 & a few surprises

*Please be kind to others: if any hint of symptoms, stay at home….*



**PILTON VILLAGE HISTORY GROUP**

Pilton Village History Group are planning to start meeting in Pilton Village Hall on the second Monday of each month from September onwards.
We hope (technology permitting) to also make these meetings available live on Zoom, for those who prefer not to meet in person…

So…
Our next meeting will be on Monday 13th September at Pilton Village Hall at 7.30pm, and also hopefully on Zoom…
We are VERY pleased to be welcoming John Barkle, former village resident, shopkeeper, thespian and raconteur, who will remember his time as a shopkeeper and postmaster in Pilton for 26 years, and in other places such as Ditcheat and Wells! His talk is titled “Memories of a Village Grocer” – and he will bring copies of his recent book of the same name.
IMPORTANT – please let us know if you plan to attend in person, as we may have to limit numbers if a lot of people want to attend…
Zoom link will be available nearer the time on the Pilton Village Community facebook page, or by emailing piltonvillagehistorygroup@gmail.com

*Chris King*

**NEW NOVEL:**

**‘Wuhan’ by local author John Fletcher**

John Fletcher apologizes that yet another writer/artist has arrived in Pilton – namely himself. His novel is set during the ferocious Japanese/Chinese War in 1938. It has some gruesome bits (20 million Chinese died) but also quite a lot of laughs.

Published by Bloomsbury/Head of Zeus, it’s entitled ‘Wuhan’ because Wuhan became the centre of Chinese resistance to the Japanese. Would-be readers should be warned: it contains Christian themes and is dedicated to various reprobates in the village.

For further details (reviews etc.) google ‘John Fletcher Wuhan.’ It is available in Hardback, Kindle and Audible.

**SOFT-PLASTIC RECYCLING AT PILTON CO-OP**

 At Co-op we have introduced SoftPlastic Recycling units into hundreds of our stores across the UK, including your very own Pilton Co-op.

So now, no matter where you shop, you can recycle your crisp packets, bread bags, single-use carrier bags and bags-for-life, lids from ready meals and yogurt pots, biscuit wrappers and pet-food pouches and more soft- plastic items at your local Co-op!

We’d like your help, Pilton!  You may have spotted us putting in place various ‘nudges’ around the village to encourage soft plastic recycling as part of our village-wide experiment.

You should have all received a Soft-Plastic Recycling Pack to your door, including our guide to collecting soft plastics at home, and just how easy it is to recycle them at your local Co-op.

To get involved all you need to do is collect your soft-plastic waste in the Co-op bag provided, take it into the Pilton Co-op and pop it into the Recycling Unit in the store. We’ve installed a recycling unit which you drop your soft plastics in to, and then we will take care of the rest.

Thank you for helping us to see just how much soft plastics Pilton can recycle!

*Olivia Winstanley,* Account Manager



**Online Talks for The Arts Society Mendip**

**7th September** **‘Debo’ Mitford, Duchess of Devonshire**. Simon Seligman will describe the life and impact on Chatsworth of this remarkable lady to The Arts Society Mendip on **Tuesday 7th September at 11.00am in Croscombe Village Hall** (and simultaneously via Zoom). Links will be sent to members on request. Guests welcome, on request to tasmendip.comm@gmail.com. A guest donation of £6 will be requested.

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 **WEST PENNARD PRIMARY SCHOOL**

On 5th July we had a climbing wall in school. The children from Year 1 to Year 6 were challenged to scale the wall and press a buzzer to celebrate their achievement.

We all felt like ‘The Greatest Showman’ on 6th July with the arrival of the Wookey Hole Circus. The children all had the opportunity to have a go at a variety of circus skills.

‘Going Underground’ was the order of the day on Wednesday 7th with the arrival of the caving experience. The children got to experience working their way through an underground maze of tunnels and to challenge themselves / face their fears.

We were ‘Dancing on the Street’ on Friday 9th with our street dance sessions. The children all had a go at street dance and developed their skills with a dance troupe from London.

Monday 12th July brought an Olympic Day, overseen by our sports coaches. Reference to Montserrat Caballé and Barcelona?

‘The Eye of the Tiger’ was the theme for Wednesday as the children had a go at the discipline and skills involved in Thai boxing.

We hope everyone in our community has enjoyed the summer holiday.

 *Tony Wheat,* Head Teacher



**CROSCOMBE CEVA PRIMARY SCHOOL**

The beautiful weather at the end of the Summer Term allowed the pupils of Croscombe Primary School to go outside and enjoy themselves. Please visit our website and take a look at our Latest News pages for more information about the children’s activities. There have been lots of end of year celebrations going on across the school, with a special focus on the Year 6 leavers who are moving on from the school at the end of term. We are also saying goodbye to some members of staff who are going on to new ventures, including villager Mrs Boardman who has dedicated over 10 years to the school! We wish all of those leaving us good luck and are excited to welcome new Reception pupils and staff from September.

We hope that everyone had a happy and healthy break. We look forward to the new school year filled with fun. *Millie Hole*

**GREENACRES CAMPSITE, NORTH WOOTTON**

 **Welcomes New Owners**

**In June this year, Greenacres Camping** changed hands to Alan and Beverley Pryce who have moved here from Hampshire.

Greenacres has been an established and successful campsite since the 1970s having had only three owners. The focus has always remained family friendly in a quiet and peaceful environment. Alan said, “We love this area, and when we saw the campsite, we immediately thought that this was a fantastic place and what an opportunity it offered us.”

The campsite is tucked away in a corner of North Wootton with a massive quiet field. Play facilities for small children are available, with an Information Hut with fridges/freezers to share for the campers. Bike hire is also available providing adults’, children’s and trailer bikes.

Alan and Beverley have started to make new additions to the site. Recently a local craftsman made five fairy doors which have been hidden round the site, and there is a large OS map for visitors to look at.

Beverley said “We want to make this a magical place for children. The next step is to make tree and wildlife information sheets for them and create a nature trail. We would like them to learn and have fun at the same time. Plus, for everyone we will provide detailed walking and cycling information. This is a lovely area to explore and as new residents we are doing exactly the same thing.

If you are a local business and have a product or service that is complementary to the campsite, please contact Alan and Beverley – they would love to hear from you. if anyone would like to visit, they are more than welcome to pop in, say hello and have a tour round the site!

Further information at [www.greenacres-camping.co.uk](http://www.greenacres-camping.co.uk) or by telephone 890497. Facebook: [www.facebook.com/campinginsomerset](file:///C%3A%5CUsers%5CSusan%5CAppData%5CLocal%5CMicrosoft%5CWindows%5CINetCache%5CContent.Outlook%5CPKRBZVMI%5Cwww.facebook.com%5Ccampinginsomerset)

Email: stay@greenacres-camping.co.uk

**FOSSEWAY GARDENING CLUB**

Monthly meetings with a guest speaker will be restarting on

**Tuesday 14th September at Pylle Village Hall at 7.30pm**

with a talk from

Avon Bulbs ‘Selection and planting throughout the year’.

Bulbs will be available to buy.

Visitors are always very welcome to come along especially if events over the past year have promoted an interest in gardening. Speakers booked in the New Year will give talks using Zoom which can also be accessed as a visitor or friends and family of members.

For further information please contact Jill 07772 008 594

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[www.stmaryscroscombechurch.org](http://www.stmaryscroscombechurch.org)

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**PILTON METHODIST CHURCH SERVICES**

Services will now commence at 10.30am

Except Harvest Festival at 11.00am

 5th September Jacqui Cobb

12th September Steve Derby

19th September **Harvest Festival 11.00am**

and

Harvest Sale 6.30pm

26th September Café meeting in the New Room

**PARISH CHURCH SERVICES**

**SEPTEMBER 2021**

 **5th September Trinity 14**

 9.30am Morning Service Pilton

11.00am Holy Communion Croscombe

11.00am Morning Service North Wootton

**12th September Trinity 15**

10.30am Holy Communion at The Village Hall Croscombe

 Followed by Away Morning (see page 5 for details)

**19th September Trinity 16**

 9.30am Holy Communion North Wootton

11.00am Harvest Festival at the Methodist Church Pilton

11.00am Harvest Communion Croscombe

**26th September Trinity 17**

11.00am Holy Communion Pilton

 2.30pm Harvest Praise Dinder

 Followed by get-together in the Village Hall

**ONLINE SERVICES**

If you do not receive these at present and would like to, please email rector.pcnd@gmail.com Services can also be found at “A Church Near You/Pilton St John the Baptist”