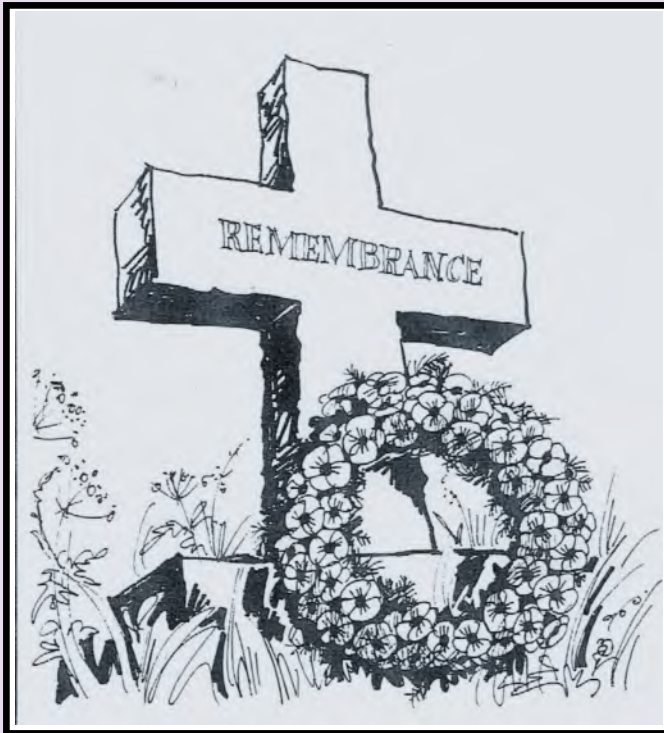


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Dear Friends,

The weather is certainly broadcasting that Autumn has arrived, with the odd bonus of some lovely sunny afternoons. The apple harvest is expected to be abundant, but how abundant are our hopes and expectations for our families, our community and the world in general? We are constantly aware of the anxious state of our world, our climate and the economy through the different media channels of communication. As we all struggle to deal with rising costs, buying food, heating and cooking, difficult choices are being made in many households.

As we approach November 11th, we are asked to remember both military and civilian folk who have been instrumental in defending and protecting our nations, our freedoms and our way of life. It is the 40th anniversary of the Falklands Conflict, the 78th of D-Day. The Royal British Legion are shining a light on the contributions of all those who have been involved in conflict situations through the Commonwealth Day, South Asian Heritage Month and Black History Month.

My late father often questioned the sacrifices of his generation each and every November in particular as he reflected on what was happening in the world. Each decade providing some crisis or other.

We all come from different backgrounds and have different views on what part we contribute within a community. Do you see the benefits of being in a community? Brought up in a rural setting, it was important for my husband and myself to also nurture our family in that close knit, supportive environment. 'It takes a village to rear a child'. To immerse ourselves in our community is essential to us both and our children have adopted those values too. However, for many reasons, many people shy away from participating in community life.

Depending on your own disposition, sometimes it is tricky to find the positives in any given situation. How do you motivate yourself to find ways to focus your thoughts and actions day by day? Conversations and meetings have been organised for members of the local church community in this area, as part of the Upton and Malvern Deanery. As we look ahead, whether a few months, years or more, what is our hope and vision for the future and how do we achieve it? What further contributions can the local church community offer in this locality? It would be wonderful to know your thoughts. We are all on a journey and life can throw us off track. We can anchor ourselves in different ways and I offer this quote.

May our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and by his grace gave us eternal encouragement and good hope, encourage your hearts and strengthen you in every good deed and word. 2 Thessalonians 2:16-17.

Rev'd Julie James

Dear God,

Help us to bring an end to violence and hatred and discord.
Steady the feet that rush into war and the finger poised on the trigger.

Bring justice to the downtrodden, restoration to the marginalized and abused, hope to the hopeless.

Guide all those in positions of power and give them wisdom to use their power wisely as we step into a future of uncertainty.

Give us the grace forgive others and to admit when we are wrong and to seek forgiveness.

Give us courage to love and have compassion for all in need.

Teach us to listen to those we disagree with, to hear stories that make us uncomfortable.

Heal our own hearts of any hatred and help us to spread words of hope and wholeness.

Amen.

Rev'd Julie



Bible Study

When? Tuesday: - Thistledown, Pendock

Tuesday: 8th November, 13th December.

10.30am Cuppa and biscuit!

Bible reflections 11.00-11.30am

All welcome.

Rev. Julie James

All Souls

Sunday, 6th November at St John the Baptist, Eldersfield 2022



'All Souls' is traditionally a time when the Christian community remember those who have died. We remember those we have loved and see no more. It is a time to remember and reflect upon what they meant to you.

All Saints at Hollybush, Pendock Church of the Redeemer and St John the Baptist, Eldersfield are open from 9.00am until 5pm. If you would like your loved ones to be remembered, then please contact the Benefice Office, myself or fill in the luggage tags and leave during the week before November 6th.in the prayer boxes on the font at Hollybush and on the table at Pendock Cross (open Tuesday to Thursday 9.00am to 5pm.) and on the prayer tree at Eldersfield. On that Sunday, around 4pm, there will be a very short service will include the reading out loud of those who have died during the last 24 months.

At home, you could light a candle in the memory of those who have died and say a prayer. There will be a prayer you will find on a sheet on the pews/chairs at Hollybush, Eldersfield and Pendock, the October prayer in the Berrow Benefice magazine or just say your own words. Do send an email to Mrs. M Roberts at the Berrow Office with the name of the person or send to my email or call me with the details.

With God's blessings, Rev'd Julie James

Remembering those loved ones who have died

A bouquet of meaningful memories,
sprayed with a million tears,
wishing God could have spared you,
if just for a few more years.

It does not take a special day,
for us to think of you,
each room reminds us,
each anniversary and birthday too.

‘Though futile to wish they return,
It brings flooding back time past,
our family group chain broken,
but treasured memories will last.

Memories

Prayer for those who have died.

Dear God,

We pray for N/N and for all those who have lost a dear friend or relative.

In our sadness and loss, may there be people to help, comfort and guide me/us.

Give us a sense of unburdening our hearts , and know that N/N are at peace in the eternal kingdom.

We remember the love which shared together in our earthly lives.

Our memories can bring tears and laughter.

May we also know the consolation of the light of hope and strengthen in us the gift of faith.

Through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

Benefice Diary

Please note that all meetings planned below are in person unless otherwise arranged.

Wed 19th October	Standing Committee	7.30p.m. Pendock Cross Church
Thurs. 20th Oct	Eldersfield PCC	2pm. Holt's home
Wed. 26th Oct	Birtsmorton and Hollybush PCC	2.30pm Hollybush Church
	Berrow and Pendock PCC	7.30pm Knott's home
Fri. 4th Nov	Eldersfield Quiz and Fish and Chips	7pm at Eldersfield C.E. Corse Lawn School
Fr.11th Nov	'Pop up' Remembrance	10.30-11.30am Pendock Church
Sat.3rd Dec	'Pop up' Festive Fayre	11-12 noon St Faith, Berrow
Sat.10th Dec	Christmas Concert	Eldersfield Court-7pm Tickets limited -£20

If you have any additional dates, please contact Mel Roberts
or Rev'd Julie James.



The Royal British Legion

Our Remembrance Service will be held at **St Faith, Berrow at 10.45am, Sunday 13th November** this year. Our church wreaths, will be dedicated to all those who have served their country in different capacities, including our armed forces, up to the present day. 'Lest we forget'; later the wreaths are laid on the memorials in the Benefice. All donations to the 'Royal British Legion' are most gratefully received. There will also be a 'pop up' of Remembrance at **Pendock Church of the Redeemer, Pendock Cross 10.30-11.30 on Friday, 11th November.**

Refreshments too!

We will remember them !

Rev'd Julie James

Fun Quiz Night – Friday 4th November



Eldersfield Lawn School

We hope that you can join us for our next Quiz Night in the school hall, following the sell-out last time. At half time we will be serving a Fish and Chip Supper (included), and there will be prizes for the winning team. Tickets £12.50. There will also be a raffle.

On arrival, we will fit you into a team, or you can bring a group of up to 8 yourselves.

Doors open at 6.30pm for a 7pm start, food at 8pm and finish around 9.15pm; you are welcome to bring your own drinks. (Let us know in advance of any allergies.)

Tickets available from: Frieda Griffiths (01452 840364), wendyburr455@gmail.com, Andy Holt (01452 780429) or Cathy Powell-Chandler (01531 635794) We hope that you can come and look forward to hearing from you.

Proceeds to Eldersfield Church



*Christmas is coming!!
Make a date*



Carols, Candles & Cake (+Mulled Wine!)

December 4th, 4 p.m. Eldersfield Church

Join the local community who, for 1000 years, have met together to sing Christmas Carols and songs by candlelight.

Enjoy pre-Christmas refreshments in a magical setting and
get your Christmas off to a great start!



We hope you will join us!



*A Christmas Charity Musical Evening at
Eldersfield Court*



By kind permission of Matthew & Fiona Collins

7 p.m. Saturday 10th December 2022

We hope that you can join us for an evening of music in the beautiful setting of the Music Room. A choir, soloists and instrumentalists will perform in what promises to be an exciting evening of live music (with opportunities for you to join in!)

You will be greeted with a glass of Prosecco and nibbles and invited to buy drinks from the bar during the evening. There will be a raffle

Tickets £20. Places strictly limited.

We hope that you can join us

In aid of Eldersfield Church & The Children's Society

Elders Fest

A huge thank you to all who attended, donated or bid for items in the musical concert and auction on Sunday September 25th. We reminisced and enjoyed the songs from the shows sung by our West-end star Lucie Florentine; we rocked and sang to the rhythm of the superb guitarist, singer/songwriter Nick Burr and we loved the professionalism, skill and humour of our auctioneer, Charles Rambridge.

Before the show and during the interval we enjoyed chatting and wandering through Eldersfield Court's beautiful gardens as well as savouring a two-course supper in the late summer sunshine. As a chilly twilight approached we made our way home through scores of flickering candlelit lanterns beautifully illuminating the Court and gardens. A perfect end!

So many thank yous ... to Matthew & Fiona Collins for allowing us to take over their Coach House and gardens; to the team for hours of work setting up and clearing up the marquees and seating & for organising the catering; to the numerous generous friends and neighbours for donating the wonderful array of auction lots - and to those who charitably bid higher and higher in the auction (which alone raised over £2700!) With a total raised on the night of £4200 for Eldersfield Church we can now tackle some internal crumbling plasterwork, some redecoration and investigate serious damp around the Tower (not glamorous but essential!) Your generosity will keep this Grade 2* landmark dominating the landscape for years to come. Thank you.



St Faith's Berrow

Saturday, December 3rd

11.00 am to 12.00 noon

As last year, there will be a

“POP UP”

FESTIVE

FAYRE

along the path to the church

**Mulled wine, Gifts, Cakes,
Christmas Produce & Raffle**

Castlemorton C of E Primary School

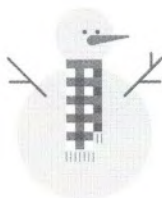


Christmas Fayre

Friday 2nd December

From 3.30 p.m. in the school

Tombola, Cakes, Raffle, Games, Gifts,
Refreshments and Father Christmas!



In aid of

MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT

It was very easy online to find out that nationally the Macmillan Coffee Morning raised over £2million on 30 September. That amount can fund over 30 Macmillan Nurses. And what a super thought that at the Church of the Redeemer in Pendock Cross, local residents and the loyal members of the Benefice Family raised over £420 to play an important part in contributing to this very worthwhile cause.

Participating in this event in 2019 was the first time 'Team Pendock' came together to host a coffee morning and start on the whole process of opening up the little church more often to the local community.

Goodness, what a lot has happened in the succeeding years of dealing with the Covid pandemic and facing Lockdown. So it was especially good to be back and in the interim we have become very accomplished in our 'pop-up' events, so Angela Gabbott, with Doug Braund's help, set up the Raffle and Rev Julie James and Ruth Coates set up the tables and the hospitality. Cakes and biscuits rolled in – for sale, for eating there and then.

Macmillan Nurses are wonderful props to the process of both sufferers and their families facing cancer, and this is shown in their very powerful TV advertisement campaign. Their aim is this – clear, practical and compassionate:

'We're here to help everyone with cancer live life as fully as they can, providing physical, financial and emotional support. So whatever cancer throws your way, we're right there with you.'



by your support, thank you so much,

Elisabeth Rambridge, Churchwarden

Recipe of the month – November

Autumn Bake

A few crisp and cold autumn days leaves a desire for warming and more filling meals. This “bake”/casserole is just the thing to use lots of vegies and whatever meat you have to hand. It does need onion or leek to give some depth to the flavour but otherwise, anything goes!

Ingredients (selection)

1 leek, 1 onion 1 carrot, 1 parsnip
Celery
Several mushrooms
Tomatoes
Sweetcorn
Peppers
Courgette etc
2-3 rashers streaky bacon
(Garlic)
1 tablespoon oil
Good pinch of herbs, seasoning
Enough good stock to moisten well
Meat – either leftovers chopped up or precooked chicken, pork fillet, sausage, chorizo. Any or all?
Potato slices (precooked but not overcooked)
Grated cheese

Method

Prepare and chop up all the veg, meat etc. Parcook and slice potatoes. In a large frying pan, start with chopped bacon and oil. Add onion/leek and other root veg little by little, stirring continually. Transfer into a deep casserole dish. Add other veg, courgette rings, chopped tomatoes etc. Season, including herbs. Stir in “cubes” of meat and just cover with good stock. Then sliced potatoes and, finally, grated cheese. Bake in a moderate oven until all cooked through thoroughly and the cheese is golden.

It's an all-in-one dish; nothing else needed!

Remembrance Day Word Search

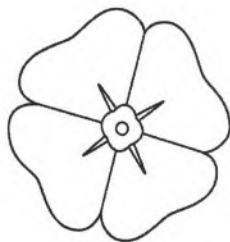
Instructions: Try to find all of the hidden Remembrance Day words in the word search puzzle below.

(Words can be spelled forwards, backwards, diagonally, up, or down.)



Word List

BRAVE	GUN	REMEMBER
DUTY	HOLIDAY	SALUTE
ENEMY	LOYALTY	THANKS
FIGHT	POPPY	UNIFORM
GUARD	PRIDE	WAR



The Swan Community Hub, Staunton.

Opening hours:

Wednesdays	11am - 3pm
Thursdays	11am - 3pm
Fridays	11am - 3pm
	5.30 - 10pm
Saturday	5.30 - 10pm

We're now offering a range of light lunch options during the day, including soup, paninis, jacket potatoes and cakes.

The first Friday of each month is our fabulous fries night. Other Fridays will have visiting food vans; customers are welcome to come in and eat their food while enjoying a drink.

Saturday nights are quieter, family-friendly nights, offering a full bar menu of retro basket meals, curry & pasta options, various desserts and the opportunity to get away from the TV, chat and play games with family and friends.

As you know, we rely completely on volunteers and we're always looking for additional help, to enable us to expand our opening hours and food offering. There are various duties available in the cafe, kitchen and on our maintenance team, both daytime and evenings. Any time you can offer would be greatly appreciated, and you'll be given full training and support.

We've listened to your feedback about the quality of the coffee, and at long last our batista-style coffee machine has arrived, to enable us to offer good quality cappuccinos and lattes as well as the usual teas and hot chocolate.

We've been busy setting up various daytime clubs, including a knitting group on Thursday mornings and a book club on the 1st Friday of each month. We'd also like to start a gardening club, a walking group and regular craft sessions. Please get in touch if you'd like further information or if you're interested in setting up your own group or club.

Free Adult Education courses (all Monday morning sessions) - 31st October First Aid Awareness, 7th November Health and Safety Awareness, 14th November Fire Safety Awareness, 21st November Paediatric First Aid Awareness. Please let us know if there are any other courses you'd like at The Hub.

Other plans in the pipeline are Halloween parties, Christmas fair as well as regular sports evenings in the barn, utilising the pool table, darts board and possibly the skittle alley.

For further information please phone The Hub on 01452 840 323, email theswancommunitygroup@gmail.com or keep an eye on our Facebook page and village noticeboards for updates.



PLUS Upton-upon-Severn Foodbank, The Baptist Church, Old Street, Tewkesbury and Ledbury.

Many thanks to all those who continue to donate food for the Food Bank during these tough times. It was most gratefully received. Our Harvest Thanksgiving Services will also be dedicated to donations to Food Banks in the area.

Please continue your generous contributions in these times of rising costs for everyone. People really appreciate both food, toiletries and money. The referral of families to the food banks is unfortunately greater in numbers, so please support.

Rev'd Julie James

Eldersfield Cricket Club News
by our Roving Correspondent Dereck Hartland

On another bright summer's day in August, Eldersfield hosted Corse Lawn to see if they could retain the Eric Spragg Cup. Winning the toss Eldersfield elected to bat first and despite the loss of an early wicket were soon building up a good total for the second year running. Harvey Sagar top scored and looked destined for a Century until he was caught and bowled for 90. Captain James Green's workmanlike 55 and George Bunn's stylish 56 made sure Eldersfield's score of 267-4 was always going to be difficult to beat.

There was some controversy as Corse Lawn were about to start their reply as they noticed that Eldersfield's Chairman, Peter Bullock, had taken the umpire's coat and after a lot of discussion reluctantly let Mr. Bullock continue his umpiring duties. Corse Lawn got off to a good start but once Rory Lamden had been bowled for 45 they collapsed to 104 all out, as good bowling and fielding made sure they finished 163 runs short. It was apt that Harvey Sagar ran Bill Spry out to get the final wicket. But Bill got his revenge when he presented the Man of the Match award to Mr. Sagar by calling him Henry!

On a serious note it is good to see Corse Lawn still going and much of the credit must go to the Spry Brothers (Bill and Roger) who for many years have done an enormous amount of work to keep cricket still being played on the common.

Finally with the season now finished, thanks must go to all at Eldersfield who have looked after the ground and done other jobs helping to keep the club ticking over. Looking on the bright side, it's only another 6 months until the new season starts. In the meantime enjoy the winter.

Eldersfield 267-4 Harvey Sagar 90 George Bunn 56 James Geen 55
Corse Lawn 104 Leo Rendall-Baker 2-10 Hugh Jones 2-32



Weddings-Please check the website. www.berrowbenefice.org.uk

At present, we are holding church two church services each Sunday. Please check for details on the website or contact us. For the ‘qualifying attendance’ to be married in a church, you need to attend for 6 months, once a month.

How we get you legally wed

We are legally entitled to marry you in a Church of England church through the publication of banns, read 3 times before the wedding date. We ask you to contact your local parish church and arrange when the banns are to be read 3 times there too. A **Marriage Document** is now signed at the church ceremony since the rules changed on May 4th 2021 and then you apply for a Marriage Licence through the **Worcester Registry Office**. We will give you all the details.

Common License

In very special cases, you can apply for a Common License to marry with us. Please do seek an early explanation and the process involved.

Civil Ceremony followed by a Blessing in Church

If you are unable to attend for 6 months to qualify, then you could have Registrar a civil ceremony first. We can then offer you a Church blessing of your marriage which is as similar to a full wedding as we can make it.

Conclusion

Rev'd Anthea and I are ready to help you during this decision making process. Please do discuss the options with us and your wedding venue hosts. We do try to meet your expectations and make this a special day. Do try and attend our marriage preparation day. We try to answer your questions, look at the wedding day itself and looking ahead to the future.

Be safe and keep healthy! May your love for one another be strengthened and bind you closer than ever during the challenges of our world.

Rev'd Julie James





Baptism (or Christening)

The baptism service is for a child or adult. As an adult, you make the decision and the promises. A child has adults (godparents) who make decisions and promises on behalf of a child.

At the point you are baptized, you simply have water poured on your head. If you are considering being baptized or for a member of your family, do talk to us as we will be delighted to help. Baptism can occur during the usual church services which rotate around the Benefice or at a time for just you, your family and friends.

Rev'd Julie James



With you every step of the way

Funerals

If you wish to have a church service, please contact the priest to check dates as soon as possible. With your chosen Funeral Director, all bookings and other arrangements can proceed for you, the family and with the help and support of the clergy during this difficult time. We are still requesting the wearing of face coverings inside the buildings.

If you wish to have a burial in the churchyards at St John's, Eldersfield. St Faith's, Berrow or All Saints, Hollybush, the deceased person must have been resident in that Parish. Reservations (which last for 25 years) can be made by applying for a faculty which is a formal legal process and which we can help guide you through.

The Diocese of Worcester has issued guidelines for the erection of memorials in the churchyard. Please contact a local Stonemason who will have these details.



Pastoral care is one aspect of a priest's role. The word *pastor* comes from the Latin word for "shepherd." Caring for a person who is struggling with a difficulty, being present during a time of pain, praying with someone in a crisis—these are the moments when we need to know someone can come alongside us from the church community.

Most people only visualise a priest working on a Sunday. The reality is that preparing for Sunday services, Bible Study, and daily prayers are only a small part of my role. Looking after several churches, being on many different committees including being a school governor for our two local schools, engaging in a large wedding ministry, plus occasional offices like funerals and baptisms, means that my working week is very busy.

The Pastoral Visitor is Mrs Cathy Powell-Chandler. Part of her role is to co-ordinate pastoral visitors within our church communities. If you would specifically like me to visit you, then please indicate this by contacting me direct or via one of the church officers, all details of which are in the magazine. In a caring community, we all look to see whether our neighbours need or wish to accept our help.

Rev'd Julie James

Praying the Psalms
by the Bishop of Dudley, Martin Gorick

I love the psalms. We use them every day in Morning and Evening Prayer and I know many people have been meeting together on Zoom for these short services, or joining services from churches and cathedrals streamed online since the first Covid lockdown. If you haven't discovered them yet, have a word with your parish priest to see whether there is a daily morning prayer group in your local church that you could join, or perhaps one online.

These set prayers are called the Daily Office and have been part of the rhythm and pattern of Anglican life for centuries. If you can't get to one in your church, but have a smartphone or computer, look for the Daily Prayer App from the Church of England. It will give you the readings and psalms set for each day, and even has an audio version if you want to join in with others or listen with headphones.

Most days there is a verse that stands out for me. Today it was a verse from Psalm 85:

*Mercy and truth are met together:
righteousness and peace have kissed each other.*

Sometimes we can be so concerned for God's truth, that we can forget God's mercy. Or we can be so keen to keep the peace that we forget God's desire for justice. As the cost-of-living crisis bites ever deeper this winter we need to hold this divine balance. In the 'gated streets of trickle down' there will be no real peace without God's righteousness.

Bishop Martin

In May 2022, Worcester Cathedral launched Living Gently on the Earth – a series of events, talks, and workshops on caring for our planet. The sessions have received a wide level of interest and attendance from across the city, county and region.

**The next event in the series will be held on Saturday 5th November 2pm-4pm
“Green Transport lifestyle” with Councillor Matt Jenkins**

The event is free, and you can get more details and book a place to attend on: worcestercathedral.co.uk/eco. Or if you prefer to avoid online, reserve your place by speaking to the Vice Dean Stephen Edwards or Staffan Engstrom (07702 636065) or e-mail ecogroup.staffan@worcestercathedral.org.uk

Interfaith Week runs from 13 - 20 November

The Worcestershire Interfaith Forum will be planning events during the week

Worcestershire Interfaith Forum represents the interests and values of faith communities. They believe in working together and building friendships between people of whatever faith tradition, or if they have no faith.

Earlier this year, the Revd Catherine Lack was elected as chair of the group. She said: "The work of the forum is all about education, not conversion. In today's world, it's so important as we all work with people of different faiths, as well as those without faith. Even if we don't all believe the same thing, we can and must work together to improve our society."

Worcestershire Interfaith Forum runs events and Catherine has led a series of 'Scriptural Reasoning' meetings in which members of different faiths look at pieces of scripture and discuss the similarities and differences between them. The group is also keen to offer training on religious diversity to businesses and others, raising awareness of different faiths and encouraging people to talk to those with different beliefs.

"I am also very willing to visit parishes to preach around this theme or to facilitate small discussion groups. All religions preach peace and the more we respect and understand each other, the better our world will be," said Catherine.

<https://www.cofe-worcester.org.uk/interfaith-week.php>



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Thursday 10th November at 7:30pm

The Biggest Little Farm (PG-2018-91mins)

In collaboration with Castlemorton Environmental Action Group

John and Molly Chester leave their LA apartment and move to a 200 acre farm. However, the land is utterly depleted of nutrients and suffering from a brutal drought. Over eight years they transform the farm, making it one of the most diverse farms of its kind.

They meet the many trials and tribulations with hard work and humour. This is a feelgood film with a strong and positive environmental message.

Licensed Bar / Refreshments / Ice creams

Tickets £5 on the door, for advance booking call Beth 01531 631503 or Malcolm 01684 833297 or email

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www.castlemortoncinema.co.uk

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Thursday 17th November at 7:30pm

Belfast (12A-2021-98mins)

By popular demand, the much-lauded **Kenneth Branagh** film based on his own childhood in Northern Ireland during the Troubles. The political anger, despair and violence is seen from the point of view of a nine year old child.

With warmth and humour the film covers the topical, difficult dilemma of whether to leave or try to survive in your hometown amidst such turmoil.

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SERVICES IN THE UNITED BENEFICE OF BERROW WITH PENDOCK, ELDERSFIELD AND BIRTSMORTON AND HOLLYBUSH

Would readers and intercessors themselves please arrange an appropriate replacement if they are unable to be present on the dates shown

Date	Venue	Time	Service	Reading	Reader	Intercessor
4 th December 2 nd Sunday of Advent	Eldersfield Church	8.30am	BCP Holy Communion	Isaiah 11. 1 – 10 Romans 15. 4 - 13	Janet Peters	—
	Berrow Village Hall	10.30am	Café Christmas	TBA	TBA	TBA
	Eldersfield Church	4pm	Carols, Candles and Cakes	TBA	TBA	TBA
11 th December 3 rd Sunday of Advent	Berrow Church	10.30am	Holy Communion	Isaiah 35. 1 – 10 James 5. 7 - 10	Elisabeth Rambridge	Cathy P-Chandler
	Hollybush Church	6.30pm	Hollybush Christmas	TBA	TBA	TBA
18 th December	Eldersfield Church	10.30am	All Age Worship for Christmas	TBA	TBA	TBA
4 th Sunday of Advent	Berrow Church	6.30pm	Nine Lessons and Carols	TBA	TBA	TBA
24 th December Christmas Eve	Eldersfield Church	5pm	Crib and Christingle	TBA	TBA	TBA
	Hollybush Church	11.30pm	Midnight Mass	Isaiah 52. 7 – 10 Hebrews 1. 1 - 4 Isaiah 9. 2 – 7 Titus 2. 11 - 14	Shirley Williams	David Allen
25 th December Christmas Day	Pendock Cross	8.30am	BCP Communion	Luke 2. 1 - 20	Andrew Rambridge	—
	Birtsmorton Church	10.30am	Family Christmas Service		Mel Roberts	Doug Braund

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Date	Venue	Time	Service	Reading	Reader	Intercessor
6 th November 3 rd Sunday before Advent	Eldersfield Church	8.30am	BCP Holy Communion	Job 19. 23 – 27a 2 Thessalon 2.1-5,13-End	Janet Peters	---
	Berrow Village Hall	10.30am	Café Church	TBA	TBA	TBA
	Eldersfield Church	4pm	All Souls Memorial Service	TBA	TBA	TBA
13 th November Remembrance Sunday	Berrow Church	10.45am	Remembrance Day Service (No Evensong)	TBA	Bob James	Martin Knott
20 th November Christ the King	Pendock Cross Church	8.30am	BCP Holy Communion	Jeremiah 23. 1–6 Colossians 1. 11–20	Andrew Rambridge	----
	Eldersfield Church	10.30am	All Age Worship	TBA	TBA	TBA
27 th November First Sunday of Advent	Birtsmorton Church	10.30am	Holy Communion	Isaiah 2. 1–5 Romans 13. 11–End	Ros Willder	Doug Braund
	Eldersfield Church	6.30pm	BCP Evensong	Isaiah 52. 1–12 Matthew 24. 15–28	Matthew Collins	Brian Woodcock

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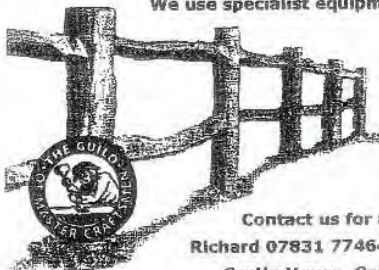
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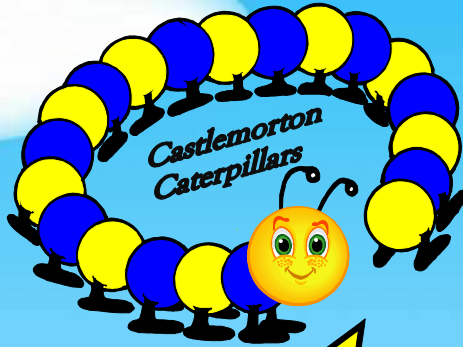
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