



Bentworth, Lasham, Medstead & Shalden  
One Church ... Four Places of Worship  
*Joyfully proclaiming the love of God in worship,  
outreach, welcome and care.*

## "THE WELCOME"

Everyone is Welcome to this service on

**28<sup>th</sup> July 2019**

**Trinity 6**



### TODAY'S SERVICES

10.00am Benefice Holy Communion – Bentworth

### COLLECT

Merciful God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass our understanding: pour into our hearts such love toward you that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

### READINGS

Genesis 18.20-32; Colossians 2.6-15;  
Luke 11.1-13.

### POST COMMUNION PRAYER

God of our pilgrimage, you have led us to the living water: refresh and sustain us as we go forward on our journey, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### NOTICES

Today we welcome Rev'd Joy Windsor from the Parish of the Resurrection, Alton.

### SATURDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> August

Your invitation to Jack Sheffield's book launch of his latest novel: "Changing Times" – 11.00am to 1.00pm at Waterstones, Alton.

### NEXT SUNDAY SERVICE:

10.00am – Benefice Holy Communion – Shalden

12.00 - Baptism of Max McKee - Medstead

TUESDAY 6<sup>th</sup> August: 12.30 – Celebration of Life for Adrian Barnes – Medstead

### THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

A man prayed, and at first he thought that prayer was talking. But he became more and more quiet until in the end he realized that prayer is listening. *Søren Kierkegaard - Christian Discourses*

Listening is the first expression of communication in prayer. We know that listening precedes speaking in the development of children's language skills. The same order applies to the development of our prayer life. Something in our spirit is touched by the Divine Spirit before we are drawn to speak. *Marjorie J. Thompson - Soul Feast*

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