

Please pray for our church family	
Mon	Laurane Cooper & Cliff
Tue	Mike & Wendy Crosby
Wed	Rachel Crosby
Thurs	Nigel & Jill Crowhurst
Fri	Harry & Pauline Davis
Sat	Jean Dean
Sun	Peter Dibbo

Please Pray

We give thanks for the wonderful news that Revd Patches Chabala will be the new vicar of St John's Haydon Wick. We pray for blessing on the whole family as they move to a new church in a new town.

For Decima Iles, Tricia Roberts and all others known to us who are unwell at this time.

For the upcoming elections in UK and USA.



Sunday 9th June Trinity 2



Would you like to see some outdoor theatre in June?

The Abingdon Passion Play is a modern take on the person, trials, crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus. It is a free community outreach event supported by the churches in Abingdon. This year, performances are outdoors in the Abbey Gardens, on 22nd June 2024, at 12 o'clock and 5 pm.

Please see their website for more information.

<https://www.abingdonpassionplay.co.uk/>

Services for Next Sunday

16th June Trinity 3	9am	Holy Communion	John Martin
	11am	Morning Praise	

Time	Service	Sermon	Readings
9.00 am	Holy Communion 1662	Tom Morgan	Joshua 1:1-9 Mark 3:20-end
11.00 am	Morning Praise		

Notices for next week's bulletin to the Parish Office by Wednesday 9am please

We had a wonderful time at the Ladies Dessert evening!

Sixteen ladies enjoyed eighteen desserts!! Thank you to all the ladies and a gentleman who prepared them for us. Truly amazing.

It was brilliant for all of us to share food and fellowship. We hope this will be the first of many!



ReSource are hosting a **Day of Prayer** for anyone wishing to pray for renewal in smaller churches. The event will be held on Tuesday 2nd July at the **Harnhill Centre** in Gloucestershire.

There will be a variety of times of prayer – some liturgical, some informal, including times of open prayer in smaller groups during the day, as well as opportunities for prophetic sharing, with prayer ministry also available.

The cost is £15, which includes lunch, and further information and the booking form can be found on the ReSource website

<https://www.resourcingrenewal.org/events/a-day-of-prayer-for-renewing-hope-in-smaller-churches>



Revd Patches Chabala announced as the new Vicar of St John's Haydon Wick.



(HILLSIDE HOUSE — 31 May 2024) The Rt Revd Neil Warwick, Bishop of Swindon, is delighted to announce that Revd Patches Chabala has been appointed as the next Vicar of St John's Haydon Wick.

Bishop Neil said: *"I am thrilled to welcome Patches' passion for the Gospel and his empowering of people to grow in their spiritual gifts, will encourage the positive presence of St John's in their community. Further, his experience of leading a large multi-congregational church in Dorset, will enrich St John's and Swindon Deanery."*

Patches is moving from St Mary's Ferndown and Hampreston in Diocese of Salisbury, where he served as Team Vicar. He provided pastoral care, developed leadership and discipleship, and led outreach to primary schools and the community.

Patches will start his new role as Vicar of St John's Haydon Wick in summer 2024.

Patches said: *"I am delighted to be taking on this new role and I am looking forward to moving to Haydon Wick. I pray for St John's Haydon Wick 'That the Lord may keep you in the grip of his grace always, and that you will emerge stronger in faith, wiser in counsel and love for God and his ways enriched and deepened'. Every blessing to you all."*

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