

**POSTLEBURY, STOKE ST MICHAEL and LEIGH ON MENDIP WITH DOWNHEAD
WEEKLY INFORMATION SHEET - 31st May 2026**

Services this weekend:

Saturday 30th May 1430	Witham Friary	Marriage of Hamish MacIntyre & Hope Watson	Revd. Keith Johnson
Sunday 31st May 1000	Witham Friary	Combined Benefice Service - Trinity Sunday	Revd. Keith Johnson

Sunday 31st May, 1100-1700: Nunney Open Gardens. Nunney Church will be selling teas from 1130 (so after Witham service) in aid of the church building fund. Over 20 gardens open around the village. Tickets at £10 available at Nunney Village Hall on the day.

Monday 1st June - 1930, Cloford Manor: Postlebury PCC meeting.

Friday 5th June - 1000, Nunney: Holy Communion BCP (Rev. Stephen Kivett)

Every Friday, 1000-1200: Coffee & Chat, Stoke St Michael. All welcome.

Following Keith's recent **sermon about generosity** at Nunney and Witham Friary churches, if anyone in **Postlebury Parish** would like further information about reviewing their regular giving, please see the updated giving form and gift aid declaration at the back of church, which includes Postlebury PCC Treasurer Steve Elliott's contact details. Keith will be speaking about generosity at Leigh on Mendip and Stoke St Michael during June. Thank you for your generosity.

Little Saplings Stay and Play - next session is Wednesday 3rd June from 0930 to 1100 in Nunney Village Hall. All carers, babies and pre-school children are welcome. Voluntary donation of £3 per family. Refreshments provided. For more information speak to Caroline or Jennifer (Nunney Churchwardens) or Felicity Evans who leads the sessions (allsaintslittlesaplings@gmail.com).

A free day at the cricket for the farming community! Friday 19th June from 1100 at Taunton; Somerset vs Warwickshire. Arranged by Somerset County Cricket Club in partnership with The Farming Community Network and Macmillan Cancer Support. For tickets please contact Keith or pick one up from the parish office on a Thursday.

Saturday 27th June - Postlebury Summer Party at Marston House, 1800-2100: drinks on the terrace (in the Orangery, if wet), live music, garden games, Auction of Promises. Tickets £17 a head from <https://bit.ly/487JneO> (secure site) or from nunneychurchwardens@gmail.com. Offers of tasks or opportunities for the **Auction of Promises** would be very welcome. These have been very diverse in the past, ranging from a couple of hours chainsawing and a couple of hours ironing, to a dinner party for four and a stay in a Paris apartment. Please contact nunneychurchwardens@gmail.com if you would like to offer something for the auction.

Prayers for the sick and those in need: Baby Sylvia, Hazel, Elsie Trewren, Annalise, Will, Freda, Marta, Morny Davison, Maureen, Frances, Michael and Mary Jane Oatley.

Please pray for the families and friends of those who have died recently:

Herbert Patrick Wheeler, who died on 11th April, and whose memorial service followed by interment of ashes in the churchyard will take place at Witham Friary Church on Monday 1st June at 1400.

Alan Molloy, who died on 29th April, and whose funeral took place at the Basilica of St Gregory the Great (Downside Abbey), Stratton-on-the-Fosse, on Tuesday 26th May at 1100.

Brian Cooper, who died on 13th May, and whose funeral will take place at Witham Friary church followed by burial in the churchyard on Wednesday 10th June at 1100.

Colin Bradley, who died on 20th May, and whose funeral will take place at Nunney church on Friday 5th June at 1200, followed by burial at Byfields Cemetery.

Services next weekend: Sunday 7th June - First Sunday after Trinity

0930	Wanstrow	Holy Communion	Rev. Keith Johnson
1100	Leigh on Mendip	Holy Communion	Rev. Keith Johnson
1800	Stoke St Michael	Evensong	Jane Evans

Churchwardens for this weekend's services:

Witham Friary - George Pritchard: 01749 850732

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