

# Week Ahead

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## **FORTHCOMING SERVICES:**

### **SUNDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> MAY**

Venue	Service	Time	Minister
Bagendon	Holy Communion	09:30am	Kate Stacey
Coberley	Holy communion	09:30am	TBC
Colesbourne	Matins	09:30am	MV
North Cerney	Matins	11:00am	MG
Rendcomb	Holy Communion	11:00am	MV
Stratton	Holy Communion	11:00am	Kate Stacey

### **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> May: Morning Prayer at Stratton**

### **Readings: Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> May**

*White*

Acts 16.9–15

Psalm 67

Revelation 21.10, 22 – 22.5

John 14.23-29

### **The Gloria Tune: Evelyns**

**Glory in the highest to the God of heaven;  
Peace to all your people through the earth be given,  
Mighty God and Father, thanks and praise we bring,  
Singing Alleluia to our heavenly King.**

**Jesus Christ is risen, God the Father's Son:  
With the Holy Spirit, you are Lord alone.  
Lamb once killed for sinners, all our guilt to bear,  
Show us now your mercy, now receive our prayer.**

**Christ the world's true Saviour, high and holy one,  
Seated now and reigning from the Father's throne:  
Lord and God, we praise you! Highest heaven adores;  
In the Father's glory, all the praise be yours!**

## **The Collect 25<sup>th</sup> May 2025**

**God our redeemer,  
you have delivered us from the power of darkness  
and brought us into the kingdom of your Son:  
grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life,  
so by his continual presence in us he may raise us  
to eternal joy;  
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.**

## ***Psalm 67 [1-6]***

God be gracious to us and bless us  
and make his face to shine upon us,

**That your way may be known upon earth,  
your saving power among all nations.**

Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
let all the peoples praise you.

**O let the nations rejoice and be glad,  
for you will judge the peoples righteously  
and govern the nations upon earth.**

Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
let all the peoples praise you.

**Then shall the earth bring forth her increase,  
and God, our own God, will bless us.**

**Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.  
As it was in the beginning is now and shall be forever. Amen.**

## ***Contact Details***

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## In our Prayers...

**Years Mind:** Michael Cutts, Anthony Hale, Doreen Herbert, John Lewis, James Loveday, Royston May, Evelyn Smith, Janet Strawbridge

**For our Prayers:** Brian Evans, Hugo Shepherd, Robert Farman, Neville Sabin, Richard Saunders, Dr Geoffrey Lockwood



**Those who have died:**

**Funerals:**

*[If you would like someone's name to be added to the Prayer list, do contact the Benefice Administrator: [beneficeoffice.cv@gmail.com](mailto:beneficeoffice.cv@gmail.com)*

## Banns

**Banns to be called for the 1st time at North Cerney between *Christopher Warring & Grace Finney* from the Parish of Bruton, and for the 1<sup>st</sup> time at North Cerney between *Max Curry & Eleanor Matthew* from the Parish of Hammersmith.**

## UPCOMING SERVICES: 1<sup>ST</sup> JUNE

Venue	Service	Time	Minister
Bagendon	Matins	09:30am	MG
Baunton	CANCELLED		
Stratton	Holy Communion	09:30am	Terry Bardell
Cowley	Holy Communion	11:00am	Helen Caine
Elkstone	Morning Worship	11:00am	MV

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> June: 10:00am Holy Communion at Stratton (Rev Jan Moore)**

## Readings: Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> June

*White*

Acts 16.16–34

Psalms 97

Revelation 21.10, 22.12–14, 16, 17, 20, 21

John 17.20–26

### **Churn Valley Singers**

We are a mixed voices community choir who sing a variety of music, including pop, contemporary, musical theatre, classical and more!

No auditions – all adult voices welcome.

We meet on Tuesdays 7.15 – 8.45 North Cerney Village Hall. Come and join us!

For more information talk to one of the choir or email:

[churnvalleysingers@hotmail.com](mailto:churnvalleysingers@hotmail.com)

### **Ascension Day**

The Benefice is holding an Ascension Day Service, led by Rev'd Michael Irving on Thursday May 29<sup>th</sup> at St Peters Stratton, 6pm. Following this, there will be a bring and share supper at Revd Jan & Peter Moore's home in Stratton. Please join us for this special occasion.

### **Baunton Service on the 1<sup>st</sup> June**

Please note this service has unfortunately been **cancelled**. Service will resume again at Baunton on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> July, 9:30am.

### **Prayer Day at Stratton School, 10<sup>th</sup> June 2025**

The school are planning a whole day of activities and have asked for our help. This should be really interesting day for all concerned. Could you be available to help during the morning (9am to 12 noon), or afternoon (1pm to 3pm)? Please contact Sue Hudson for more information: [sjhudson@live.co.uk](mailto:sjhudson@live.co.uk)

### **Count for Nature" Afternoon at St Peter's, Stratton, 17<sup>th</sup> June, 1pm to 3pm**

The children from Stratton who helped to build our bug hotels, and seed the wildflower area, are returning to explore nature in our Churchyard. We need as much help as possible in helping the children to explore and identify lichens, trees etc., with information available. Please contact Sue Hudson: [sjhudson@live.co.uk](mailto:sjhudson@live.co.uk)