



Serving the community of Bedhampton  
by sharing God's love and friendship

**Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2022**  
*16<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity*

**St Thomas'**  
**9.00am Morning Prayer**  
2 Timothy 1: 1-14  
Luke 17: 5-10  
**6.00pm Compline**  
*Service streamed at 5pm*  
*[www.Bedhampton.tv](http://www.Bedhampton.tv)*

**St Nicholas'**  
**10.30am Messy Church**

### **Collect**

Lord of creation, whose glory is around and within us:  
open our eyes to your wonders, that we may serve you with reverence  
and know your peace at our lives' end, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### **Rector's Reflection**

Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding. Words from Proverbs that remind us God has a whole time plan. In the moment when we have no idea what to do next, God reminds us that it is Him that holds the world in His hands. They were also the words in one of my Morning Prayers this week. The liturgist followed them with this prayer which I can only say Amen to.

Lord, you hide your face when we trust in ourselves; strip us of false security and re-clothe us in your praise, that we may know you as the one who raises us from death, as you raised your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

***Prayer***  
**Street Prayer**

Please pray for the residents of Hooks Lane this week.

**Those requesting prayer:**

Peter, Michael, Marjorie, Anne, Valerie and Eric, Malcolm, Mick, Kerry, Kirsty, Donna

We pray for the families and friends of those who have died and of those whose anniversaries fall at this time.

***What's on***  
***Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> October***

**8.00am Parish Prayer:** Facebook or Zoom

**9.30am Holy Communion (Mothers' Union):** St Thomas' Church  
Tea, coffee and biscuits available after the service

***Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October***

**9.00am Fun Club:** St Nicholas' Church

**10.00am Online Holy Communion:** [www.Bedhampton.tv](http://www.Bedhampton.tv) or Facebook  
and available afterwards

***Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October***

**10.30am Coffee & Cake:** St Nicholas' Church Gwatkin Hall

**Zoom meetings - [www.zoom.us](http://www.zoom.us)** Meeting ID is 239 248 3013. You will be placed in a waiting room and let in by the leader of the meeting. Going to [Bton.uk/zoom](http://Bton.uk/zoom) will redirect you to the correct place.

***Life Events***

Kevin Vospers funeral will be on Wednesday 05 Oct 22, 11:30 at The Oaks Crematorium, Bartons Road, Havant. PO9 5NA.

A webcast is available: <https://www.wesleymedia.co.uk/webcast-view>. The pin is PIN 941-2300. The Event Number is 1131288 if needed.

Rather than flowers at the funeral we are asking for donations to be made to the Rowans Hospice. We have also set up a much loved site at: <https://kevinvosper.muchloved.com>

The family thanks everyone for their best wishes and prayers.



### Street Angels

Could you adopt a street, or part of one? The only qualification is the ability to look out for others. Let us know if you spot someone who might need a hand. Let us know when someone moves into your street so they can be welcomed to Bedhampton. Contact the office with the name of the street you want to adopt. Details at [bton.uk/angel](http://bton.uk/angel)

### Confirmation Course

We are planning a confirmation course. If anybody is interested please contact Max or Deb.

### Shoe Box Appeal

If you would like to support this years Operation Christmas Child Shoe Box Appeal leaflets and flat pack boxes are now available in church please can all completed boxes be brought to church by Sunday 6th November if you need further information contact Kim 07906263895

### Walking Weekend

Max will be joining other men from the area on a walking weekend in Dartmoor Thursday 10th Nov to Sunday 13th Nov 2022. Staying at Stickwick Manor House, near Bovey Tracy, this has always been an excellent weekend. Due to rising costs the estimate for the weekend is £200. If you would like to come along, places will be on a first come first served basis so please contact Max or Dave Berry (da12berry@gmail.com) who will need a deposit of £150.

### New Wine Celebration

Join us on Sunday 2nd October for our New Wine Celebration. Esther Clift is going to share with us and we will worship our Lord. Church of the Good Shepherd, Crookhorn.

Worship begins at 6.30pm. Feel free to come along from 6.15pm to catch up with others, although sadly refreshments will not be available.

**Space Cadets!**  
**October half term family fun**

**FREE Friday Family Fun Day Session**

There will be craft, songs, stories, games and drama as we celebrate space and creation.

**FREE Saturday Wonderdome Planetarium Session**

Join us for your free session of the Wonderdome, a mobile planetarium. Children Experience a unique 360-degree experience exploring space and the planets inside of the planetarium.

BOOKING ESSENTIAL [www.bedhampton.church](http://www.bedhampton.church)  
or phone Deb in the parish office.

**FREE Sunday Family Celebration Service: 10am-11:30am**

Come along and celebrate as the Space Cadets graduate and receive their Space Cadet Medals. See some of the craft, sing the same songs and see the final drama of Bedhampton Space Cadets.

**Next week: Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2022**  
*17<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity*

**St Thomas'**  
**9.00am Holy Communion**  
Galatians 5: 13-26  
Mark 10: 35-45

**St Nicholas'**  
**10.30am Morning Worship**  
Galatians 5: 13-26  
Mark 10: 35-45

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