

## **Sunday Services in August 2017**

Sunday 6th August	Evensong 6.30pm
Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> August	Holy Communion 10am
Sunday 20th August	Holy Communion 10am
Sunday 27 <sup>th</sup> August	Morning Prayer 10am

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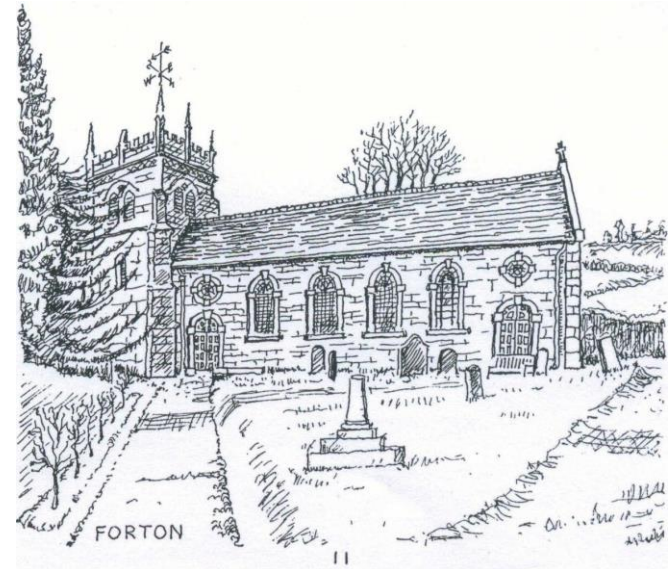
Sunday 3rd September	Evensong 6.30pm
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> September	Holy Communion 10am
Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> September	Holy Communion 10am
Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup> September	Harvest Festival 10am

Holy Communion is celebrated every Thursday at 10am in the Church. Everyone is welcome. Refreshments are served in the Church after the Service on Thursday and Sunday.

Take a look at the Forton website [Fortonchurch.org.uk](http://Fortonchurch.org.uk)

Copy date for next newsletter 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2017

All Saints Church at Forton



**Newsletter**  
**August and September 2017**

### **From the Register**

The wedding of Tim Robinson and Jane Garner took place at Forton on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> June. We send our best wishes for a long and happy marriage.

### **Parish Walk**

Out thanks go to Arthur Ellis for organising an enjoyable walk around the parish on 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2017 and to those who contributed to the refreshments which were enjoyed by all.

### **Brook House Garden**

Even though the sun did not shine on Saturday May 27<sup>th</sup> over 250 people came to enjoy Brook House Garden and were treated to a display of early summer colour. The garden looked glorious as a result of all Sean O'Donovan's horticultural skills and the visitors enjoyed the opportunity to talk to Sean about his garden. We thank Mr O'Donovan very much for welcoming so many visitors.

Tea and homemade cakes were enjoyed by all visitors while listening to the Church bells being run by the ringers from St Peter's Church, Edgmond. £1,848 was raised during the afternoon for Church funds and will be used for the new kitchen.

### **Ride and Stride**

We will be taking part in the Ride & Stride on 9th September. There will be a walk either around the Parish or visiting other Churches starting at 2pm. Please meet at the Church. Sponsor forms are available in Church for walkers or cyclists to be sponsored as they visit other Churches. It is not necessary to join in with the Church walk – just take a sponsor form and walk or cycle!

### **Harvest Festival**

The Harvest Festival is being held on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September at 10am. The Harvest Lunch will be on Sunday 1st October at Forton Cricket Club.

### **Church and Churchyard Tidy Up**

The summer tidy up is on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> September starting at 9.30am. We need lots of help! Please come along bringing your own tools! Strimmers especially welcome!

### **Special Services in October**

The Archdeacon of Salop, The Rev Ven Paul Thomas will be taking the Holy Communion service on Sunday October 8<sup>th</sup> at 10am.

### **PCC**

The next PCC meeting is on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> September at 2pm in Church.

### **Prayer Requests**

Is there something you would like prayer for?

For yourself?

Or someone you know?

A group of Forton parishioners will be happy to pray for any situation that is troubling you.  
Telephone a Prayer Leader with your request between 7am and 7pm, you can give as much or as little detail as you wish.

Contact one of the Prayer Leaders today  
and we will pray for you tomorrow.

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