
ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST NEWS

Church services

Benefice service Sunday 29th May Lesbury, 10.30 am led by
The Venerable Catherine Sourbut Groves. Archdeacon of
Lindisfarne.

Friday 3rd June Service of Thanksgiving (see details below) 4
pm.

Sunday 5th June 9.15 Parish Communion

Sunday 12th June 10.30 Family worship



Congratulations to Michael and
Rachel on their wedding at the
beginning of May.

Thank you so much to all those who helped on the Church Green to cut ivy, shift compost, weed and generally tidy up.

The weather was very kind to us. We will need another session if anyone is up for it!





Saturday June 18th at 10 am we will be carrying out a biodiversity survey at Foxton Churchyard (with Church Green to follow in July). We will not be mowing the grass at Foxton until that day, to give grasses and flowers the chance to get big enough to be counted.

Anyone who wants to walk up to Foxton and help or just look in on us and see what we are up to is most welcome. That includes both people with specialist knowledge, but also anyone else - including families with children - who are just a bit interested.

We shall be holding our Annual gift day on Saturday
June 25th,
letters with details will be sent after the Jubilee
weekend.

The piano recital raised over £800 (including gift aid) for the support of the Ukrainian families staying in Alnmouth. We have been able to quickly get the Ukrainian Families Fund up and running, which is great news. This is a restricted fund within our accounts, meaning that amounts raised are held and used for this specific purpose and both donations and payments made can be clearly identified.



Pictures from a very special concert featuring Eléftherios Koumasidis, Josie McDonough & Mike Ridley. Thank you to all who organised it, performed and supported the event .

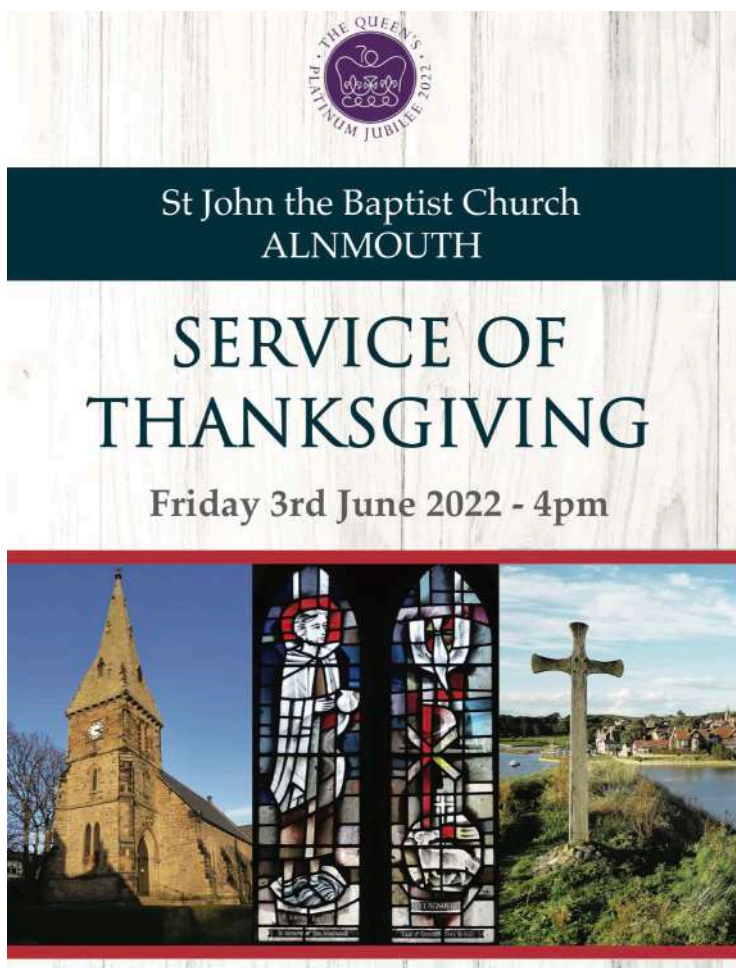




Please come along over the weekend and see the wonderful displays created by our village organisations and our talented flower arrangers. Huge thanks to them all.

There will be 'Fun on Church Green' on Friday morning 10-12 noon for all ages.

Make your own Jubilee Pom-Pom or decorate the gate with ribbon!



Gracious God, we give you thanks for the reign of your servant Elizabeth our Queen, and for the example of loving and faithful service which she has shown among us. Help us to follow her example of dedication and to commit our lives to you and to one another, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.