

FORTHCOMING CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday 17 June 2018 – 6 pm Sunday at Six – Animal Blessing on the Green with The Reverend Peter Murphy. *Readings for this Sunday: 1 Samuel 15: 34-16: 13; 2 Corinthians 5: 6-10; Mark 4: 26-34.*

Sunday 24 June 2018 – 10.30 am Holy Communion with The Reverend Stephen Holmes presiding. *Readings: 1 Samuel 17: 32-49; 2 Corinthians 6: 1-13; Mark 4: 35-end.*

LICENSING OF THE REVEREND DAVID STEVEN POTTERTON AS OUR PRIEST-IN-CHARGE

The date chosen is 21 August 2018 at 7.30 pm in St. Michael and All Angels' Church, Lyndhurst – please put the date in your diary!

David will visit Christ Church (and All Saints) beforehand with Bishop Jonathan and the Area Dean, on the day, please look out for further details of the events to be held on 21 August.

David will preside at a Benefice Service of Holy Communion on 26 August 2018 – venue to be announced.

GENERAL DATA PROTECTION REGULATIONS

The new regulations mean that the names of those people who have asked for our prayers will not be published on the benefice website.

The new GDPR will affect the records we keep on regular 'givers'. Letters seeking consent will be sent to everyone who kindly contributes to church costs either through the envelope scheme or by direct debit. People who pay by direct debit will be asked to continue their payments through the Parish Giving Scheme to allow the church to receive Gift Aid payments monthly rather than quarterly.

CHURCH NOTICES

A NEW GARDEN SHED FOR THE CHURCH

Thanks to donations received from parishioners, Emery Down PCC has purchased a new garden shed which has been erected behind the church by Brett and Will.

TELEPHONE AND CYBER SCAMS

All kinds of scams are prevalent currently, please see advice at the back of the church.

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