



not always the case, and today as we celebrate fathers we must pray for those who do not have a good relationship with their fathers or those that have suffered rejection or even bereavement. You might even fall into this category. It is in these times that we must allow the Almighty Father God, to support us, love us, guide us and comfort us.

I urge you all today to open your hearts to God and allow him to heal any brokenness and to restore any damaged relationships, but most of all I pray that today will be a day of great joy for us all as we thank God for our dads and praise our amazing and divine Father above.

*Blessings, Sam*

This week, **we ask you to pray for those in our church family or known to us** who are ill or for other reasons require our prayers, including: -

**Steve Willott** in his loss of **Yvonne**.

**Dora Potter** in her loss of **Ken**.

**Sue Lewis** (Lisa's mother), and also **Lisa** and **Mark Verman**.

**Ron** and **Vera Spaenij**. **Ron** is to have follow-on treatment after his operation.

**Adrian** and **Charlotte Stone** and baby **Ruby**.

**John Innes** and **his mother**, and for wisdom for the family in providing care for her.

**Lydia Seston** in the loss of **her father**

**Launton Church fete Saturday 14th June 12.40-4.30 at the Sports and Social Club with lots of fun stuff and a Lancaster bomber flypast at 13.45pm.**

**If anyone can help run a stall that would be really helpful too! Becky Mathew.**

- **Badminton** every Thursday 8.30 – 9.30 at Bicester Leisure Centre
- **Prayers for the Persecuted Church – Church Prayer Room 8pm 18<sup>th</sup> June**

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**Message to Parishioners at St Edburg's, Emmanuel, Bucknell, Caversfield and Launton**

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,  
I feel very honoured and am absolutely delighted to become the next Rector of the Bicester Benefice. I am very much looking forward to meeting you, getting to know you and, together with you, continue to build God's kingdom in and around Bicester. May I ask you all to pray for me, Jason and our children, Jacob and Julie, as we prepare to leave the North-West of England to move to Bicester?

God bless you all!

Verena (Breed)

### **Photography in Church - TODAY**

We're planning to take some new photos of our church in action. These will be used on the website, on Facebook and in other publicity material. As part of this, we're going to be taking photos before, during and after the service. If you are over 18 and don't want your photo to be used, can you please let Dave Rossiter or Jan Butter know. If you are a parent with children at church today, then we will also ask you to sign a consent form for us. Do let Dave or Jan know if you have any questions.

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### **ROTAS**

#### **Prayer Ministers**

15<sup>th</sup> June Katie Jenkinson  
22<sup>nd</sup> June Anointers: Christine Thompson & Tony Shields  
29<sup>th</sup> June John Williams

#### **Sunday Club Bubbles**

15<sup>th</sup> June Helle & Jane  
22<sup>nd</sup> June Doreen & Karen  
29<sup>th</sup> June Karen & Jackie

#### **Splash**

Kate & Vera  
Sandy & Dave  
Andy & Jo Argyle & Fleur

#### **Sunday Club The Grid**

15<sup>th</sup> June Tom & Debbie  
22<sup>nd</sup> June Karl & Sandy  
29<sup>th</sup> June Karl & Debbie

#### **Crèche**

Jane & Tosin  
Claire & Tammy  
Doyin & Nicola

#### **Welcome Team**

15<sup>th</sup> June Nathan Argyle, Sue White  
22<sup>nd</sup> June Andrew Collett, David Bambrook  
29<sup>th</sup> June Andrew Collett, Peter Hill

#### **Sunday Team Duties (Refreshments, taking up the offering)**

15<sup>th</sup> June Heather Hindmarsh's Sunday Team  
22<sup>nd</sup> June Clare Bean's Small Group  
29<sup>th</sup> June Debbi Pardoe's Sunday Team

**Any notices for next week please to Roger Winson by 7 p.m. Wednesday**

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