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All Saints' Church, Minstead Notices - week commencing August 28th

SERVICES

Sunday August 28th, 10.30am - Hymn Praise. The most loved hymns and special readings and poems chosen by members of the congregation. Followed by a picnic; see below.

Sunday Sept 4th, 9.30am - Holy Communion. Led by Rev. Wendy Cooper.

NEWS

Sunday August 28th, Picnic. Following the morning service, bring your own picnic outside Karen's house, incorporating the 'Under 90s Sports'. This is following the great success of the under 80's who have now matured a little...!

Saturday Sept 24th, 10-4 in church "Bringing the past to Life". Led by New Forest National Park Authority Community Archaeologist James Brown, learn to log our churchyard monuments as an unique record that connects us with previous generations.

Sat October 8th, 7pm - evening concert in church, in aid of Minstead Training Trust. Performed by popular Folk and West Gallery music group **THE MADDING CROWD**, this promises to be a great evening's entertainment. Tickets available soon.

Church Locking. There is now a specific time for locking the church; 5.30pm in the summer and 4pm in the winter. Those using the church in the evenings are asked to ensure they have access to keys.

COMPTON AREA

A new exhibition of photos of rural scenes from around the area.

CHARITY GIVING During July and August the chosen charity will be **Mission to Seafarers**. More information is available in church.

Don't forget when you're shopping - we are collecting for the New Forest Basics Bank. The aim is to provide support and help to individuals and families in need. There is a collecting box in church, You are welcome to bring donations of non perishable food and hygiene items whenever the church is open.