

Pew Sheet for 23rd August 2026. Feel free to take this sheet home.
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St Nicholas Church

— Bishop's Sutton —

Welcome to this evening's service of Evensong.

Please note that there will be no Tea at 10 in August but we look forward to reconvening on the first Thursday in September and weekly thereafter. Everyone welcome!

Future fundraising events include a quiz on Friday 18th September and the next day, Saturday 19th, sees a very special concert in aid of cancer immunology research at Southampton, presented by Celestia Music. For more details and ticket reservations contact Mandy Caldwell on stnbconcerts@gmail.com.

Upcoming services & events

Sunday 30th August - 11am Benefice Holy Communion Service followed by refreshments. The Benefice Service will include William Byrd's Mass for 4 voices and anthem: 'Lord for thy tender mercy's sake' by Richard Farrant.

September

Thurs 3rd Sept – Tea at 10

Sun 6th Sept – 11am Holy Communion

Thurs 10th Sept – Tea at 10am

Thurs 10th Sept – 6.30pm Pray for the World

Sun 13th Sept – 11am Matins

Thurs 17th Sept – Tea at 10

Sun 20th Sept - 11am Holy Communion

Thurs 24th Sept – Tea at 10

Sun 27th Sept – 6pm Evensong



St Peter's Church

— ROPLEY —

Discovering and sharing the generous love of God

Welcome to our service of Holy Communion. The community room is available during the service for children aged 0-4. There are no separate activities for older children today but you are welcome to borrow a book or colouring paper and pens from the back.

There is no service at St Peter's next Sunday, 30th August. All will be very welcome at a Benefice service of Holy Communion at 11am at St Nicholas, Bishop's Sutton followed by refreshments.

If you would like the Benefice prayer group to pray for someone or something, please contact Julian Shellard on 07940 565440.

Remedial surface work in the church car park and access road is planned for August or September. There will be some disruption while it happens, but it is much needed. More information to follow.

Upcoming services & events

Minecraft Church (5pm-7pm Tues) and Ropley Youth Group (Sun evenings) will start again in September. Every Tuesday - 9.45am Celtic morning prayer

Sun 30th Aug - 11am Benefice Holy Communion Service at St Nicholas, Bishop's Sutton.

Sun 6th Sept – *The 9 o'clock; 10.30am Morning Praise.

Sun 13th Sept – *The 9 o'clock; 10.30am Holy Communion.

Sun 20th Sept – *The 9 o'clock; 10.30am Morning Praise.

Sun 27th Sept – *The 9 o'clock; 10.30am Holy Communion.

*The 9 o'clock will be an informal time of worship and fun for all ages. The 10.30am service will continue to offer a calm, reflective space for worship rooted in the liturgy of Common Worship.

Rev'd Amber is on holiday from 10th-24th August.

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