

Next month's page will be updated on 10th of the month shown below. Late copy will be included in a subsequent month.

The United Benefice of Laughton, Ripe & Chalvington Churches

Church Services & Events – June 2019

Our Website: <http://www.lrcchurches.co.uk>

The Bible readings may be found on the "Readings & Hymn List" on our website

	8.30am Holy Communion	10.30am (unless otherwise stated) <i>Refreshments are served after these services.</i>	Other Services
Sunday 2nd June <i>Sunday after Ascension</i>	All Saints, Laughton	St Bartholomew, Chalvington <i>Morning Prayer</i>	
Sunday 9th June <i>Pentecost¹</i>	St John the Baptist, Ripe	All Saints, Laughton <i>Holy Communion</i>	
Thursday 13th June			Deanland Social Centre <i>Holy Communion</i>
Sunday 16th June <i>Trinity Sunday²</i>	St Bartholomew, Chalvington	All Saints, Laughton <i>Family Service</i>	
Sunday 23rd June <i>Birth of John the Baptist</i>		St John the Baptist, Ripe <i>Holy Communion</i>	
Sunday 30th June <i>2nd Sunday after Trinity</i>	All Saints, Laughton	Deanland Social Centre <i>Holy Communion</i>	
Sunday 7th July <i>3rd Sunday after Trinity</i>	All Saints, Laughton	St Bartholomew, Chalvington <i>Morning Prayer</i>	

¹ *Pentecost is the festival when Christians celebrate the gift of the Holy Spirit. It is celebrated on the Sunday 50 days after Easter. Pentecost is regarded as the birthday of the Christian church, and the start of the church's mission to the world.*

² *At the heart of the Christian faith is the Trinity which is one of the most difficult concepts in Christianity but it is fundamental to Christians because we believe in one God - as Father, Son and Holy Spirit. The doctrine of the Trinity plays a central part in Christians' worship of an "unobjectifiable and incomprehensible God" and reveals that God can be seen only as a spiritual experience whose mystery inspires awe and cannot be understood logically.*

Other Dates in June

5th June EVERY Thursday 11th June 20th June	10.00 am Celtic Morning Prayer at All Saints, Laughton 9.30 am Celtic Morning Prayer at St Bartholomew Church, Chalvington 7.00 pm Laughton Church PCC 7.00 pm Ripe & Chalvington Church's PCC
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Regular Events

Weekly House Groups: 10.30 am at Laughton and 7.30 pm on Wednesday evenings at Ripe.
House groups also take place at Deanland Wood Park and at Chalvington.
Please contact Maggie for further details.

From the Registers of Our Churches