

Welcome



25th May to 7th June

Welcome to St John's

Thank you for being with us here at St John's.

Whether you are worshipping with us for the first time today or have been worshipping for many years, we pray that you will feel the love of God in our midst.

Please stay for refreshments after the service if you wish, all are welcome.

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Sunday service for 25th May (6th Sunday of Easter)

Holy Communion 9.30 a.m.

Presiding Reverend Colin Simpson

Readings Acts 16.9-15
Gospel: John 14.23-29

Organist Dr Camilla Jarnot

Hymns (22) All people that on earth do dwell
(673) Thou, whose almighty word

Sunday service for 1st June (7th Sunday of Easter)

Holy Communion 9.30 a.m.

Presiding Reverend Colin Simpson

Readings Acts 16.16-34
Gospel: John 17.20-end

Organist Richard Stephens

Hymns (242) Hail the day that see him rise
(77) Breathe on me, Breath of God
(205) God is working his purpose out

Prayer

Please pray for

John Harmsworth

Mary Nickerson

Jeanette Tucker

Diana Smith

Rest in peace

Erica Rydeheard

David Mills

Ann Everett

Shirley Rayson

West Buckland Services

This is the usual pattern of services at St Mary's, West Buckland. All are welcome.

1st Sunday of the month

2nd Sunday of the month

3rd Sunday of the month

4th Sunday of the month

Lay-led Morning Worship at 11.00 a.m.

Holy Communion at 11.00 a.m.

Join St John's Holy Communion at 9.30 a.m.

Holy Communion at 11.00 a.m.

What's on this week (beginning 25th May)

Sunday

Holy Communion 9.30 a.m.

Baptism of Hugo William Parkman at 1.00 p.m.

Tuesday

Talking Cafe 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m. Advice from the Village Agent

Slimming World in the hall 6.00 p.m. to 9.00 p.m.

Wednesday

Slimming World in the hall 4.30 p.m. to 8.30 p.m.

Thursday

BCP Communion 10.00 a.m. with Reverend Ian Brierley

Armed Forces Outreach Service 1.30 p.m. to 3.30 p.m. in the hall

Blackdown Community Choir 7.00 p.m. to 9.30 p.m. in church

Ascension Day service at St Mary's West Buckland at 7.00 p.m.

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Sunday

Holy Communion 9.30 a.m.

Baptism of Oscar Leo Fudge at 1.00 p.m.

Tuesday

Talking Cafe 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m. Advice from the Village Agent

Slimming World in the hall 6.00 p.m. to 9.00 p.m.

Wednesday

Wednesday Sings 10.00 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. in the hall.

Slimming World in the hall 4.30 p.m. to 8.30 p.m.

Thursday

BCP Communion 10.00 a.m. with Reverend Ian Brierley

Tea@3 in the hall at 3.00 p.m.

Saturday

Deep Clean of the church 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m. Volunteers welcome to help

Coming Up

Sunday 8th June and Monday 9th June

Benefice Visit from Archdeacon Simon

Tuesday 10th June

PCC Meeting 7.00 p.m.

Thursday 12th June

Visiting Bellringers at 3.00 p.m.

Saturday 14th June

Meeting in the hall 10.00 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

The Benefice Visit by the Archdeacon of Taunton, Simon Hill Pentecost Sunday and Monday 8th & 9th June

Sunday

10.30 a.m. Holy Communion

12 noon Bring-and-Share Cold Lunch. Archdeacon Simon meets parishioners

1.30 p.m. The Archdeacon meets the joint PCCs

We hope that many of you will stay on to share lunch with Archdeacon Simon.
To get a balanced spread of food please see the sign-up sheets on the table near the font.

Your offerings would be brought on the day and taken to the Hall before the service where preparations will be made. The lunch will take the form of a self-service. Tables and chairs will be available. Overflow into the church or on to the Hall patio (weather permitting) may be necessary.

Drinks will be provided.

Further details of the Archdeacon's itinerary will be communicated to individuals and a full itinerary displayed on the notice board.

Richard Elloway's Sponsored Swim

Richard Elloway, a member of our church, is taking on the challenge of raising several thousand pounds towards the refurbishment of the rear door used by people with mobility issues. Currently, the purpose-built double door allowing easy access for wheelchairs and support frames to the church and hall is inoperable. A seasoned fundraiser for good causes, Richard is looking for generous sponsors for his ambition to swim a total of 45 miles, about 2500 lengths in the Wellington Sports Centre pool! Richard has obtained a promise from a backer to give a further £1 for every pound his sponsors gave.

Please support Richard in achieving his target by signing the sponsorship form on a table near the font.

The Parish Office

The parish office is closed from Friday 23rd May and will re-open on Monday 9th June at 10.00 a.m. as Sharon is on annual leave. If you have any urgent administration queries during this time, please speak to Andrew or Jo. For any urgent pastoral queries, please speak to Colin. Alternatively, feel free to email the office and you will receive a reply when it re-opens. All contact details are on the front of this sheet. *Thank you.*