Please send any notices, news or events for the Pew Sheet by noon on Wednesday, thank you.

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The Parish of St Mary, Richmond with St Michael & All Angels, Hudswell

Sunday 7th May 5th Sunday of Easter

Strings

All are welcome at St. Mary's Church You are welcome to attend services in person, online or by dialling in. The church is open daily for private prayer, 9am–dusk. Please join us for Morning Prayer each Monday-Friday at 8:30am. **Sunday 7th May** (5th Sunday of Easter) 8.00am Holy Communion 10.00am Morning Worship followed by the **APCM** (Annual Meeting) Reading: Luke 24: 13-35 Wednesday 10th May Holy Communion 9.15am Thursday 11th May Holy Communion at Holy Trinity Chapel 10.30am **9.30-1130am** Little Angels Toddlers' Group (Methodist Hall)

Friday 12th May

2.45pm Funeral of Sidney Smith

Sunday 14 th May (6 th Sunday of Easter)	
8.00am	Holy Communion
10.00am	Parish Communion
Readings:	Acts 17: 22-31, 1 Peter 3: 13-end, John 14: 15-21
11.45am	Green Howards' Annual Service
6.30pm	Songs of Praise (your favourite hymns)

Our financial viability depends on us! To support the work of our church please make a donation as you enter or leave (cash or card) or click here: Richmond with Hudswell PCC | Stewardship

Thank you.

To join our Planned Giving scheme please see the website 'Giving' page.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Within your daily prayers please remember:

those in **special need** of prayer:

Cliff Bilbrough, Jean Wilson, Sheila Harrisson, Cecilia, Amber, Chris Worley, Debbie Moran

those in need of ongoing prayer:

Tate & Ashton Bowles, Eddie Burrell, Jackie Dyer, Alan Dykes, Freda Dykes, John Earnshaw, Margaret Emmerson, Howard Finch, Olive Harrison, Graham Merlane, Doreen Sayers, Neil Thwaite, Christine

those who mourn as we give thanks for the life of:

Malcolm MacDonald, Sid Smith, Andrew Moran, Doreen Dixon

and of those whose anniversary falls during this period

10th Jackie Robinson

12th Veronica Robson

Book of Remembrance If you would like the name of a loved one to be entered in this book, please contact the Parish Administrator, Colin Hicks.

All are warmly welcome to the **Prayer Meeting** each Sunday at 5pm on Zoom. Please contact Anna on 07753 884572 for more details.

The May Charity of the Month is Christian Aid.

Christian Aid is the relief and development agency of 41 Christian (Protestant, Catholic and Orthodox) churches in the UK and Ireland,^I and works to support sustainable development, eradicate poverty, support civil society and provide disaster relief in South America, the Caribbean, Africa and Asia. It works with hundreds of local partner organisations in some of the world's most vulnerable communities in 24 countries. It is a founder member of the Disasters Emergency Committee, and a major member of The Climate Coalition, The Fairtrade Foundation and Trade Justice Movement campaigns.

The HQ is in London with teams across the UK and Ireland, plus offices elsewhere around the world. Christian Aid also organises the UK's largest door-to-door collection, Christian Aid Week, which takes place in May each year. We are glad to support this as our May Charity of the Month

Church APCM (Annual Meeting) Sunday 7th May

Our APCM (Annual Parochial Church Meeting) will follow directly on from Morning Worship today, Sunday 7th May. Please do stay and support this important meeting.

The Coronation

A special commemorative service for North Yorkshire will be held this afternoon, **Sunday 7th May, 3:30pm** at Ripon Cathedral.

Songs of Praise: Sunday 14th May at 6:30pm

This will be a continuation of our Coronation celebrations and be in place of Choral Evensong. If you have a favourite hymn you would like included please let Martin or Colin know. Thank you for the suggestions so far. There is capacity for several more favourites to be added!

Christian Aid Week 14th – 20th May:

Volunteers needed for 1 day only. Can you give some time on Saturday 20th May to collect for Christian Aid in Richmond Market Place? If you can, please contact Judith Barber on **01748 824656** or **07435 566566**. There will be a Talk by John Ridley on Friday 19th May at 7pm in the Methodist Church to raise money for Christian Aid. £5 admission to include tea and cake! Tickets available vial <u>christianaidrmc@gmail.com</u>, from Castle Hill bookshop, or from Judith.

The Alpha Course has come to Richmond

We are offering everyone the opportunity to join our own Alpha Course. This is a well-respected course suitable for all (All Ages, All Genders, All Believers, All Non-Believers, All Questions) The course consists on a number of videos with opportunities to talk, question and challenge. There are no stupid or out of bounds questions! There are no tests! If you are interested in joining us, please contact Revd Paul 07989 178196 or paul.sunderland@leeds.anglican.org

Gillian Lunn's Ordination – please save the date!

Gillian will be ordained priest on Saturday 24th June, at Ripon Cathedral. Further details to follow.