

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 22nd May 2022 6th Sunday of Easter



All are welcome at St. Mary's Church

You are welcome to attend services in person, online or by dialling in. Please see the website for details of the precautions we are taking to keep St Mary's Covid-safe, and of how to access services online.

The church is open daily for private prayer, 9am–dusk.

All are welcome to join us **Monday-Friday 8:30am for Morning Prayer**

Sunday 22nd May (6th Sunday of Easter, Rogation Sunday)

8.00am Holy Communion

10.00am Parish Communion

Readings: Acts 16: 9-15, Revelation 21: 10, 22-22.5, John 5: 1-9

Wednesday 25th May

9.15am Holy Communion at St. Mary's

Thursday 26th May Ascension Day

10.30am Holy Communion at Holy Trinity Chapel

7.00pm Holy Communion at St. Mary's

Sunday 29th May (7th Sunday of Easter, Sunday after Ascension Day)

8.00am Holy Communion

10.00am Parish Communion

Readings: Acts 16: 16-34 Revelation 22: 12-14, 16-17, 20-end
John 17: 20-end

12.00pm Baptism of Teddy Barker

4.00pm Fun-Key Church

Ascension Day, Thursday 26th May

To mark this major festival in the Christian calendar there will be celebrations of Holy Communion at 10:30am at Holy Trinity Chapel and 7:00pm at St Mary's. Do please join us.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Within your daily prayers please remember:

those in **special need of prayer**

Christine, Tate Bowles, John Earnshaw

those in need of **ongoing prayer**

Jean Coulthard, Janet Emmerson, Margaret Emmerson,
Olive Harrison, Don Hornsby, Graham Merlane, Doreen Sayers,
Cecilia, Hilary, Molly, Ruth
and the patients and staff at the Friary Hospital

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

Brenda Smith

and those whose **anniversary** falls at this time

Frank Garman 22nd May

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. There is no fee for this.

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

'Thy Kingdom Come' Wave of Prayer, 26th May – 5th June

Prayer resources for the 9 days between Ascension Day and Pentecost can be found here: [Thy Kingdom Come](#)

The May Charity of the Month is USPG

United Society Partners in the Gospel is an Anglican mission agency. Founded in 1701, USPG today partners churches and communities worldwide in God's mission to enliven faith, strengthen relationships, unlock potential and champion justice. Please visit: www.uspg.org

Confirmation Course commences this week! Our preparation course of 6 weekly sessions this Wednesday, 25th May, 6-7pm. For further details please see Martin or Paul. The Confirmation Service will be at St Mary's on Wednesday 6th July at 6:30pm.

The Church Book Group meets monthly to share thoughts, ideas, perspectives and questions raised by a Christian book.

Our next meeting is on **Thursday 26th May, 2pm – 3.15pm in Church** and the book for discussion is '*Shadow Doctor 2: The Past Awaits*' by Adrian Plass (available from several booksellers). This is the second book in a fictional series following the life and work of The Doc, a man who takes an unusual approach to helping with people's deep problems. If you wish to join the discussion you would be very welcome - please contact Isobel Short: ishort1998@aol.com, 01748 821128.

St. Mary's Coffee Morning Sat 28th May

We are looking forward to welcoming you to the first St Mary's Coffee Morning of the year which will be at our house, Northcliffe, Gatherley Road, Brompton on Swale DL10 7JH from 9.30am to 12.30pm on Sat 28 May. We hope for a fine day and the opportunity to be able to enjoy the garden too. Attendance at the event will be by donation and there will also be a Raffle. We will also have a cake and produce stall so please bake or make something and come and buy as well!

If you can make something but are not able to come to the event or will be here later in the morning and so would like your goods to be collected, please ring Howard or Rachel on 01748 812015 and we will collect on Friday evening. We hope that people will ask for and offer lifts and will car share as much as possible. If you need transport please ring John Challis on 07712 135601 as he has offered to help with transport from and to Richmond. There will be a signboard outside the house to show you where we are! Do come and support this fundraising event!
Howard & Rachel Walker

Organ Concerts Our own Director of Music, Chris Denton will be performing two Organ Recitals on Sun 26 June and Sun 26 July at 6.30pm. Come and watch what goes on at the console on the big screen in church! More details to follow, but for now, save the date!

Gillian Lunn's Ordination as Deacon

Gillian will be ordained on Saturday 2nd July, 11am at Wakefield Cathedral. If you would like to attend in person to support Gillian there are a limited number of tickets available: please speak to Martin or Scott. The service will also be live-streamed on YouTube.