

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

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**Up-to-date information can be found on our website:**

[www.richmondhudswellparish.org.uk](http://www.richmondhudswellparish.org.uk)

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[www.facebook.com/stmarysrichmondhudswellparishchurch](http://www.facebook.com/stmarysrichmondhudswellparishchurch)

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

### **Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter Sunday after Ascension Day**



#### **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 21<sup>st</sup> May ( 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter)**

**8.00am** Holy Communion

**10.00am** Parish Communion

Reading: Acts 1: 6-14, 1 Peter 4: 12-14, 5: 6-11, John 17: 1-11

**4.00pm** Café Church

Bishop John in conversation with Revd Dr Nicky Chater

#### **Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May**

**9.15am** Holy Communion

#### **Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May**

**10.30am** Holy Communion at Holy Trinity Chapel

**9.30-11.30am** Little Angels Toddlers' Group (Methodist Hall)

#### **Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May**

**2.00pm** Funeral of Nathan Hodgen

#### **Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> May ( Pentecost; Richmond Meet Sunday)**

**8.00am** Holy Communion

**10.00am** Parish Communion

Readings: Acts 2: 1-21. 1 Corinthians 12 3b-13, John 20 19-23

**4.00pm** Fun-Key Church

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, Sheila Harrisson, Cecilia, Amber, Chris Worley,  
Debbie Moran, Rebecca

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, Jean Wilson, Christine

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

Doreen Dixon, Nathan Hodgen

and of those whose **anniversary** falls during this period

24<sup>th</sup> Christopher Patrick  
27<sup>th</sup> Andrew Jackson

**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,<sup>1</sup> 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

### **Christian Aid Week 14<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> May:**

Thank you to the wonderful band of volunteers who gave up their time on Saturday 20th May to collect for Christian Aid in Richmond Market Place. It was much appreciated by all.

The Charity of the month for May is Christian Aid. Please support this wonderful organisation as you are able.

### **Café Church – this afternoon, Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May 4pm.**

Message from Bishop John: 'The Revd Dr Nicky Chater was a Consultant in Palliative Care Medicine but in retirement has found a new and fascinating ministry in the Gypsy, Roma, Traveller community. Based in Durham, Nicky is now Chair of the National Churches Network supporting these communities with their rich, unique spirituality. Sure to be an eye-opening and enjoyable occasion. Do come.'

### **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](mailto:paul.sunderland@leeds.anglican.org)

### **Clay Workshop- Saturday 24th June-10.30 to 4.00pm.**

Would you like to hand mould a stargazing hare from clay? There is one remaining space on Saturday 24th June here at St. Mary's. (Future dates will be added if there is interest! It's not just hares on offer). For more info contact Jeanette 07812109243, or to book click on the link.

[twistedearthceramics.com](http://twistedearthceramics.com)

### **Gillian Lunn's Ordination**

Gillian will be ordained priest on **Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> June, 4:00pm at Ripon Cathedral.**

If you would like a place please could you add your name to the sign-up sheet in church (or let Martin know), also indicating whether you need a lift.