

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 8th May 2022 4th 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 8th May (4th Sunday of Easter and Vocations Sunday)

8.00am Holy Communion

10.00am Parish Communion – followed at 11.30am by our
Annual Parochial Church Meeting

Readings: Acts 9: 36 – end, Revelation 7: 9-end, John 10: 22-30

6.30pm Choral Evensong

Wednesday 11th May

9.15am Holy Communion at St. Mary's

1.30pm Funeral (Val Moore)

Thursday 12th May

10.30am Holy Communion at Holy Trinity Chapel

Sunday 15th May (5th Sunday of Easter)

8.00am Holy Communion

10.00am Worship for All

Reading: Acts 11: 1-18

11.45am Green Howards Regimental Service

4.00pm **Café Church**

A reflection from Bishop John on 'The Resurrection in Art'

PRAYER REQUESTS

Within your daily prayers please remember:

those in **special need of prayer**

Christine, John, Tate Bowles, Eddie Burrell

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

Val Moore

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

Jackie Robinson 10th May
Veronica Robson 12th 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.

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 Service at St Mary's, Wednesday 6th July at 6:30pm

If you would like to be Confirmed by Bishop Helen-Ann we are now commencing preparation courses after Easter. For further details please speak to Martin or Paul.

Sunday morning 10 am Welcomers and Communion Ushers.

Thank you to all who have said they would be happy to help as welcomers and Communion Ushers There is a list with dates at the back of the first cupboard door as you come into the church and copies will be available at the back of the church. When it is your turn, please come slightly earlier (shortly after 9:30). Feel free to swap and if you cannot make at the last moment not to worry but if possible let one of the Churchwardens know. If you would like your name added to (or removed from!) future lists please let Peter Trewby know.

Christian Aid Week 15-21 May Can you help by delivering envelopes in a street near you? No need to knock on any doors, simply put your address into the blank space on the new "Delivery Only" envelopes and people can post their donations back through your letterbox. It's as simple as that. Look out for sign-up sheets in church. Look out also for details of our Just Giving page in the May magazine. Any queries please phone Judith on 07435566566.

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). It 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. Adrian Plass is a Christian speaker and prolific writer who is well known for his humour, honesty and straightforward approach to faith. If you wish to join the discussion you would be very welcome - please contact Isobel Short: ishort1998@aol.com, 01748 821128.

Concert 'Night Prayer' by Vox Populi Sat 14th May 7pm St. Mary's.

Vox Populi is a semi-professional consort of 8 classical singers based in Newcastle. The concert will feature choral works by McDowall, Roth, Sheppard, Tallis and Tarney. Free entry, donations welcome.

'**Exploring Faith**' will be meeting on Saturday May 14th at the Rokeby Inn beside the A66 at 9.45 for 10.00. The Revd Dr Rod Allon-Smith will be speaking on 'Through the Lukan-Glass: insights from Luke for Refreshing Christian Mission and Ministry' and there will be time for questions after his talk. The cost is £6 at the door and includes refreshments. All are welcome but please could you email Keith Miller to help with catering numbers (kshmillier32@gmail.com). More details from Wendy Pritchard.