



Christ Church  
 Little Drayton  
 A Traditional Church  
 A Welcoming Church  
 A Caring Church



## Sunday 10th May The Sixth Sunday of Easter

**FOR THE TIME BEING, PLEASE COULD YOU DROP ANY FOODBANK DONATIONS INTO THE PARISH ROOMS (TUESDAY AND FRIDAYS 9:30 AM—10:30 AM) OR MORRISONS. THANK YOU. WE NEED:**



**Cereal (LOW STOCK), Biscuits (LOW STOCK), Sponge Pudding / Cake (LOW STOCK), Tinned spaghetti, Jam, Packets of instant mash (single packs), Instant Noodles, Small jars of coffee, Male/female deodorant (LOW STOCK), Shower Gel, Conditioner, Shampoo, Toilet roll, Toothpaste, Anti-bacterial wipes/spray & bleach, Shaving Gel**

**\*\*THANK YOU!\*\***

**Rev. David will be leading our service this morning.**

### Prayer for the week:

God our redeemer,  
 you have delivered us from the power of darkness  
 and brought us into the kingdom of your Son:  
 grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life,  
 so by his continual presence in us he may raise us to eternal joy;  
 through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
 who is alive and reigns with you,  
 in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
 one God, now and for ever.



**Amen**

Lord let me share your work, open my eyes to the burdens borne by others. Open my heart to the pain that cannot be shared, to the fear that cannot be spoken, to all those that face darkness alone. **Amen.**

### Readings:

A reading from the Book of Genesis 8:20-9:17

A reading from Acts 17:22-31

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to John 14:15-21



### Hymns:


**673 Thine for ever God of love**

**297 How sweet the name of Jesus sounds**

**437 Make me a channel of your peace**

**642 The God of Abraham praise**



 Readings to use in the second week of May:

Day	Date	Reading	Psalm
Sunday	10	1 Thessalonians 4:13-end	73.21-28
Monday	11	Luke 6:27-38	65
Tuesday	12	Luke 6:39-end	126
Wednesday	13	Luke 7:1-10	132
Ascension Day	14	Hebrews 7:11-end	110
Friday	15	Acts 2:37-end	16
Saturday	16	Luke 7:18-35	47
Sunday	17	Revelation 21:1-8	104.26-35

**Tea/coffee rotas for May:** 10th: Joan & Lil, 17th: Jan & Ann, 24th: Hayley & Lil, 31st: Chris & Carol

If you know of anyone from our Church family, or a close family member or friend of your own who would like us to pray for them please contact Emma with details. Names will usually appear for a period of 6 weeks unless told otherwise.



**THE FIRST AID BOX IS LOCATED ON THE CUPBOARDS  
 AT THE BACK OF CHURCH**

Please pray for the recently departed: **Geoffrey Griffiths**

Please pray for the people of our parish: **Andrew Bailey, Gracie, Grace Roberts, Ann, Pat James, Wyn, John, Nadine Gawleta, Eric, Diane, Heather Winstone, Hazel Haskayne, Ann Broad, Chris Broad, Sian Rushton**

Please pray for members of our church family: **Jennifer Frost, Pat Frost, Nadine Gawleta, Michelle Hadley**

Please pray for the life of our church: **the deanery Ascension Day Service, Stoke Heath Prison, Film Club, Bingo Social Club**

### Dates for your diary:

**The Hodnet Deanery Ascension Day Service will take place at St Mary's on Thursday 14th May at 7:00 pm.** All are welcome and there will be refreshments after the service.

**Our APCM will take place at 11:00 am after the service on Sunday 17th May.** There are copies of last year's minutes at the back of church and on our website. There are application forms for wardens, deanery synod reps and PCC members at the back of church

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**Support for 'Open the Book' in Schools.** Carol is asking for people to support her taking 'Open the Book' into the local schools. If you can offer any help/support in anyway please contact Carol on families@stmarysmarketdrayton.org.uk, 07878 926853.

**The Vicarage Kitchen is an online recipe book with favourites from parish kitchens and family tables, started by Sarah Cartlidge.** Please visit thevicaragekitchen.uk for details.

**WE WOULD LIKE TO LET YOU KNOW THAT WE NOW HAVE A NEW BANK ACCOUNT, AND THE DETAILS ARE:**

**Lloyds Bank Plc.**

**Account name: Christ Church Little Drayton,**

**Sort code: 30-54-66,**

**Account number: 69869360**

### **UPCOMING SERVICES and EVENTS:**

**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> May 09:45 am:** Parish Eucharist led by Revd. David



**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> May 10:00 am:** BCP Eucharist led by Revd. David



**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May 11:00 am:** Knit and Natter  
**6:00 pm:** Slimming World meeting in church



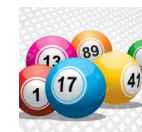
**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> May 09:45 am:** The Third Sunday Special led by Carol  
**11:00 am:** APCM in church



**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May 10:00 am:** BCP Eucharist led by Revd. David  
**11:00 am:** Outreach and Fundraising meeting



**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May 12:30 pm:** Bingo Social Event in church (this is one week later than usual)



**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May 12:00 pm—3:00 pm:** Film Club will be showing *IDENTITY THIEF*. Come for a chat, lunch, film and raffle. It's all free and everyone is welcome  
**6:00 pm:** Slimming World meeting



**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> May 09:45 am:** Parish Eucharist led by Revd. David



**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> May 10:00 am:** BCP Eucharist led by Revd. David followed by Prayers for the Future



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