

Diary for week commencing Sunday 1st June 2025

Sunday 8th June – Pentecost

8.00am Said Communion

10.00am Sung Communion

3.00pm-5.00pm Birthday Party with Strawberries and Cream in Church. Cut to be cut at 4pm

Monday 12.00noon – 2.00pm Chapter Meeting in Church

Tuesday 2.00pm House Group –Fruits of the Spirit Session 5

Wednesday 11.00am The Funeral Service of the late Margaret Cawsey RIP

Thursday 10.00am Holy Communion
10.45am Cake and Coffee
6.15pm Choir Practice
7.30pm Bell Ringing Practice

Friday

Saturday

Sunday 15th June – Trinity Sunday

8.00am Said Communion

10.00am Sung Communion

6.00pm Evensong

Refreshment Rota; Jo Hunt and Joy Kenward



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Sunday 8th June 2025 PENTECOST

8.00am Said Communion

Readings: Genesis 11.1-9
Acts 2.1-21
John 14.8-17

10.00am Sung Communion

Readings: Genesis 11.1-9
Read by: Paul Martin
Acts 2.1-21
Read by: John Bangham
John 14.8-17

Hymns: Thou whose Almighty Word
Holy Spirit, living breath of God
God's Spirit came at Pentecost
Abba Father
The Spirit lives to set us free

Refreshment Rota; Carol Savill and Sue Margetts

3.00pm-5.00pm 900th Birthday Party in Church with Church Birthday Cake being cut at 4.00pm

Everyone is Invited  **Everyone is Welcome**
Journeying together in the love of Jesus

Collect for Pentecost

Holy Spirit, sent by the Father,
ignite in us your holy fire;
strengthen your children with the gift of faith,
revive your Church with the breath of love,
and renew the face of the earth,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Post Communion Prayer

Faithful God,
who fulfilled the promises of Easter
by sending us your Holy Spirit
and opening to every race and nation the way of life eternal:
open our lips by your Spirit,
that every tongue may tell of your glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Please pray for...

Those who are caught up in conflict, war, acts of terrorism and natural disasters.

For discernment within the Church of England, for the selection of a new Archbishop of Canterbury and Bishop of Taunton.

All those that are ill, who mourn and who are concerned about their futures.

Readings

Genesis 11.1-9

The Tower of Babel is a reflection of the arrogance of human beings, defiantly reaching up to the heavens to show their own ambition. The unity of languages and a common intention bring possibilities for good and evil – either to make a name for ourselves or to live humbly in God's presence.

Acts 2.1-21

The Holy Spirit comes with power upon the disciples. The crowd in Jerusalem, from 'every nation under heaven' can hear and understand the God news of God's saving power. Peter lifts up his voice and speaks above the babel of tongues, choosing the prophet of Joel as his starting point

John 14.8-17

In this piece of scripture, Philip fails to realise that to have seen Jesus is to have seen God in human form. Those who believe in Christ belong to God even as Christ is God. Just as God dwells in human form in Christ so will the Spirit of God dwell within each person who belongs to Christ.

Food Bank. Reminder there are boxes in Church for any donations, which are urgently required.

Church Holiday 22-26 September. There are double/twin rooms available. Please speak to Paul if interested.

Church Sunday Lunch

The next Church Sunday Lunch will be on Sunday 29th June at 12.00pm at The Ebdon Arms. This will be a carvery and it is essential that you confirm you are coming by Tuesday, 24th at the latest. Any cancellations or anyone wishing to come after this date please contact Yvonne. Also see Yvonne if you have any dietary concerns.

Men's Fellowship

The next meeting of the Men's Fellowship will be on **Thursday 19th June** with a Race Night at the Lamb

Tuesday Church Group – The Fourth Session of the Fruits of the Spirit continues on Tuesday **10th June** at **2pm**. Please see poster and flier for details of House Groups in Church in June and July.

Echoes Through Time: A Midsummer Concert by Richard Lennox

On **Saturday 21st June at 3pm** Richard will be performing a variety of music on piano and organ to celebrate 900 years of music in our church. Tickets are on sale from today, £10 to include tea and cake. See posters and fliers for more information.

Wells Cathedral – Parish Passes

If you have a pass for Wells Cathedral then this now needs to be renewed. Details of how to renew the pass can be found on the Communications Table. If you would like a pass then you will need to complete an application form, which are also on the Communication Table. Please see Yvonne if you have any queries.

Pringle Tubes Required for Messy Church!

For an activity for Messy Church

Trip to Gloucester

The trip to Gloucester is now "full". Should you wish to come then please contact Jon in order that you can be put on a reserve list. For those who are coming, please bring £30 in Cash in an envelope to Church clearly marked with your name and with Trip to Gloucester on it and either give to Jon or Paul or Jill. Thank You.

Help needed with the Slides and Projector

We need to assemble a group of people who can put together the slides that are used for the 10am Sunday Service and/or would be available to operate the Projector, the sound system and stream the service. It is okay if you feel you only wish to do one of these things (such as put together the slides). Please talk to Mark or Jon about this if you think you would like to volunteer. The idea is, is that if we can get a team of people to do this then the tasks will not be onerous.