

Services this week

Thursday 21st

Holy Communion BCP - 10:30am - 11:00am

Sunday 24th

Sung Eucharist - 10:30am - 11:45am

Notices for the week

Visiting Church - The church will be open for visiting between 11am and 1pm Monday, Wednesday-Saturday.

'Sing a new song to the Lord' Sunday 24th May - 12pm-ish.
Grab a coffee and gather round the piano for 15 minutes to have a quick sing through some unfamiliar hymn tunes that will be cropping up over the next couple of months.

Friends of St Mary and St Eanswythe are in urgent need of help to serve teas, coffees etc in the church on Saturday 23rd May. Any help between 10.00am - 4.00pm would be appreciated. For further details ask Pam Keeling

The Friends Quiz - 9th June in Woodward Hall - details are in Rendezvous. The more the merrier as we are eager to make this a huge success for our Quizmaster Ian. For further details ask Pam Keeling

Bayle Fair Church Stall - We need some help to staff a stall on Saturday 6th June 11am - 3pm. Could you offer even just an hour to help us be present at an event in our parish? Please contact Fr Chris or Santa.

765th (or thereabouts) Birthday Party! - Sunday 7 June at midday, in the church (after the service). Tickets £5 a head from Jenny and Catriona. To celebrate the significant birthdays of several members of the congregation this year. Save the date!

Support us financially

Use the cash box or Donation Station by the door, this QR code or the 'Donate' button on our website.

If you're in a position to set up a regular donation, do please speak to Fr Chris or one of the wardens.



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A hearing loop is available. Please use the **T setting**. Toilets are located through the choir vestry at the very far end of the church.

Do please ask for help or assistance during the service if you need it. The family corner with books and toys is at the front on the left-hand side.

You're warmly invited to stay for tea, coffee or squash and a friendly chat after the service.

If you need a gluten-free wafer, please let one of the Welcomers know.

Sunday 17th May 2026

Seventh Sunday of Easter

10:30 The Parish Eucharist

President & Preacher: Fr Chris

Hymns

Introit: **443** Rejoice the Lord is king

Gradual: **128.ii** Eternal monarch, King most high

Offertory: **302** O thou who at thy eucharist didst pray

Communion: **255** Most glorious Lord of life

Final: **[Separate sheet]** Christ triumphant, ever reigning (AM612)

Please remember in your prayers:

The Sick: Maggie, Fr. Geoffrey Owen, Ann Charlotte, Janet Constable

Year's Mind Anniversaries (RIP): Margaret Duncan, Lionel Widdicombe Ford (Priest), Michael Swan

Please let the Clergy or Churchwardens know if you are aware of any of our congregation who are sick or would welcome a pastoral visit.

Parish Team

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Church Wardens: Tom Bertram and Andrew Pleded.

Organist & Choir Director: James Brown

Together with Fr John Tomlinson, Fr Ben Rutt-Field, Vicky Friedrich (Reader) and the PCC