

Prayer & Worship

22nd May 2022

Easter 6

Theme: Abraham

Topic: Bargaining with God

Readings: Genesis 18.20, 23-33
John 5.1 - 9



Collect: Risen Christ, by the lakeside you renewed your call to your disciples: help your Church to obey your command and draw the nations to the fire of your love, to the glory of God the Father.

8.00am Early Communion

9.15am Choral Communion

Anthem: If ye Love me by Tallis

Voluntary: Allabreve (BWV 589) by J S Bach

Live streamed from our YouTube channel – see www.lymingtonchurch.org

Refreshments in the hall

11.00am Life & Soul

FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Our World: Peace in Ukraine

Church: Church of the Province of South East Asia

Our Parish: Friends of St Thomas and those who live and work in Bingham Drive, Bitterne Way, Brackens Way, Bramble Walk.

Sick: Jenny Stott and all who are unwell.

Departed: Lew Gregory; Robin Pooley

Year's Mind: Patricia Ward (2021)

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Monday 23rd May

9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer

[Click here for direct link to meeting](#)

Or from a landline phone: 0203 481 5240

Meeting ID: 895 2990 2640 Passcode: 2020

12noon Monday Lunch – STH

Tuesday 24th May

9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer

10.00am Toddler Group – STH

11.00am Taketime Meditation

Zoom link as for 9am prayer

5.00pm Meet the Vicar (by appointment) STC

Wednesday 25th May

9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer

10.00am Poetry Corner – STH

11.00am Holy Communion – STC

Thursday 26th May

9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer

10.00am Vistas Café

10.00am Stitch and Knit – STH

Friday 27th May

9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer

10.00am Friday Fellowship – STH

7.00pm Choir Practice – STC

Saturday 28th May

9.00am Prayers for the work of the parish STC

Please note that this is no longer on Zoom

NEXT SUNDAY 29th May

Easter 7

Theme: Abraham

Topic: Tested by God

Readings: Genesis 22.1-18; John: 17.20-26

8.00am Early Communion

9.15am Choral Communion

11.00am Life & Soul

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

5th June 11am - Jubilee Celebrations at Woodside Park including Life & Soul Service

18th June Force 8 Wind Octet Promenade Concert 11am STC

9th July New Forest Orchestra 7.30pm STC

23rd July Nova Foresta Players 7.30pm STC

News

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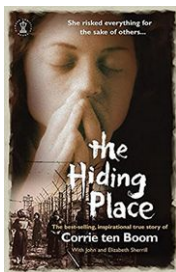
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Helping Ukraine: To give immediate practical help, you can donate to the DEC appeal. The PCC has donated £5,000 for this cause. Please access the website at <https://welcomechurches.org/> for more information.

Parish Office: Please note that the Parish Office will close at 10.30 on Monday 23rd May and reopen at 10am on Tuesday 24th.

Wednesday 25th May - New Forest Homes for Ukraine: There will be a meeting to discuss how to help with housing, welcome and support for Ukrainian refugees here in the New Forest at 7pm at Lymington Baptist Church.

Book Club: Wednesday 25th May at 4pm – Discussion on *The Hiding Place* by Corrie ten Boom on Zoom
[Click here for direct link to meeting](#) or from a landline phone: 0203 481 5240
Meeting ID: 851 1706 0907 Passcode: coffee



Sunday 29th May 2022: Lymington Open Gardens from 2pm to 6pm. Fourteen Lymington gardens will be open to the public with plant stalls and teas. Tickets are £7.50 per adult available now from St Barbe Museum + Art Gallery. Event organised by Friends of the Museum with all profits to the museum (a charity).

Flowers for Thursday 2nd June: If you would like to sponsor an arrangement as part of the Jubilee celebrations in memory of a loved one, please contact the parish office. Thank you to Yasmin's Florists who are kindly supplying the flowers for this occasion at cost as their contribution to the Jubilee.

Life & Soul - Sunday 5th June: Please note that there will be no Life & Soul Service in church that day but it will be part of the Jubilee celebrations at Woodside Park at 11am.

SAVE THE DATE: Peter's last service is on Sunday 3 July at 10.30. Following the service, at 12.00, there will be an opportunity to celebrate with Peter and Sarah in an informal way. If you would like to help on the day please contact:

Sarah Bunce	on	01590	672966	or
psbunce@gmail.com				
Daphne Johnson	on	01590	673740	or
daphne.chantry@gmail.com				
Mo Penrose	on	02380	864439	or
grannymo17@aol.com				

Sunday Refreshments: From Maureen Harris: Our Sunday refreshments tables and chairs are set out in the hall each week thanks the commitment of Andy and Denise Dibb. To cover their rare absences, a back-up team is needed. Please contact either Denise, Maureen or the office (676194) if you could help.

Monday Lunch Club: We urgently need volunteers for help with the lunch club. Please contact the office if you are able to help.

Brass Cleaning: We need volunteers to clean the brass in the church once every 5 weeks. If you can help, please contact Anthea MacAlister on 676681 or the Parish Office.

East End Repair Project: Work has started on the outside of the east end of St Thomas' and is scheduled to take 10-12 weeks. There will be scaffolding around the east end behind a security hoarding. The work will not affect the interior of the church or its use.

New Forest Show Church Tent: Volunteers needed to help run the church tent Tuesday 26th July to Thursday 28th July. Please contact David Potterton on 07468 527820 or email david.potterton@newforestparishes.co

ECO TIPS May Eco Tip: Garden sustainably: e.g. let some grass grow long, choose plants for pollinators, avoid pesticides, use peat-free compost.

Parish Office 01590 676194
MONDAY 23rd May 9.30am to 10.30am
TUESDAY 24th MAY 10am to 12noon.
Open 9.30am to 11.30am Monday to Friday
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