

The Benefice of Pimperne, Stourpaine and Durweston with Bryanston
With the churches of Tarrant Hinton, Tarrant Gunville and Tarrant Monkton



Pews News for 22nd and 29th May 2022

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This Week's Services

Day	Time	Service	Location
22nd May Easter 6	09:15	Holy Communion	St Peter, Pimperne
	10:30	Hinton ½ Hour	St Mary, Tarrant Hinton
	10:30	Worship for All	All Saints, Tarrant Monkton
	18:00	Iona Evening Prayer	Holy Trinity, Stourpaine
Monday	09:00	Morning Prayer	Zoom
Thursday Ascension	10:00	Holy Communion	Holy Trinity, Stourpaine
	20:00	Compline	Zoom
Friday	09:00	Morning Prayer	Zoom
29th May Easter 7	10:00	Festive Holy Communion for the 6 Parishes with choir and Baptism	St Mary, Tarrant Gunville
Monday	09:00	Morning Prayer	Zoom
Wednesday	10:00	Holy Communion	Holy Trinity, Stourpaine
Thursday	20:00	Compline	Zoom
5th June Pentecost	08:00	Holy Communion (BCP)	Holy Trinity, Stourpaine
	09:15	Holy Communion	St Peter, Pimperne
	10:30	Holy Communion	St Mary, Tarrant Hinton
	10:30	Jubilee Service	All Saints, Tarrant Monkton
	11:00	Holy Communion	St Nicholas, Durweston
	18:00	'Platinum Praise'	St Mary, Tarrant Gunville

Please bring a face mask with you to be used at all services and events in church.

Sunday 22nd May

Collect 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.**

Readings

Acts 16.9-15

During the night Paul had a vision: there stood a man of Macedonia pleading with him and saying, 'Come over to Macedonia and help us.' When he had seen the vision, we immediately tried to cross over to Macedonia, being convinced that God had called us to proclaim the good news to them.

We set sail from Troas and took a straight course to Samothrace, the following day to Neapolis, and from there to Philippi, which is a leading city of the district of Macedonia and a Roman colony. We remained in this city for some days. On the sabbath day we went outside the gate by the river, where we supposed there was a place of prayer; and we sat down and spoke to the women who had gathered there. A certain woman named Lydia, a worshipper of God, was listening to us; she was from the city of Thyatira and a dealer in purple cloth. The Lord opened her heart to listen eagerly to what was said by Paul. When she and her household were baptized, she urged us, saying, 'If you have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come and stay at my home.' And she prevailed upon us.

John 14.23-29

Jesus answered him, 'Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them. Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; and the word that you hear is not mine, but is from the Father who sent me. I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything,

and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid. You heard me say to you, "I am going away, and I am coming to you." If you loved me, you would rejoice that I am going to the Father, because the Father is greater than I. And now I have told you this before it occurs, so that when it does occur, you may believe.

Sunday 29th May

Collect for the Week

O God the King of glory,
you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ
with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven:
we beseech you, leave us not comfortless,
but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us
and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Readings

Acts 16.16-34

One day, as we were going to the place of prayer, we met a slave-girl who had a spirit of divination and brought her owners a great deal of money by fortune-telling. While she followed Paul and us, she would cry out, 'These men are slaves of the Most High God, who proclaim to you a way of salvation.' She kept doing this for many days. But Paul, very much annoyed, turned and said to the spirit, 'I order you in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her.' And it came out that very hour. But when her owners saw that their hope of making money was gone, they seized Paul and Silas and dragged them into the market-place before the authorities. When they had brought them before the magistrates, they said, 'These men are disturbing our city; they are Jews and are advocating customs that are not lawful for us as Romans to adopt or observe.' The crowd joined in attacking them, and the magistrates had them stripped of their clothing and ordered them to be beaten with rods. After they had given them a severe flogging, they threw them into prison

and ordered the jailer to keep them securely. Following these instructions, he put them in the innermost cell and fastened their feet in the stocks. About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. Suddenly there was an earthquake, so violent that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened and everyone's chains were unfastened. When the jailer woke up and saw the prison doors wide open, he drew his sword and was about to kill himself, since he supposed that the prisoners had escaped. But Paul shouted in a loud voice, 'Do not harm yourself, for we are all here.' The jailer called for lights, and rushing in, he fell down trembling before Paul and Silas. Then he brought them outside and said, 'Sirs, what must I do to be saved?' They answered, 'Believe on the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household.' They spoke the word of the Lord to him and to all who were in his house. At the same hour of the night he took them and washed their wounds; then he and his entire family were baptized without delay. He brought them up into the house and set food before them; and he and his entire household rejoiced that he had become a believer in God.

John 17.20-end

I ask not only on behalf of these, but also on behalf of those who will believe in me through their word, that they may all be one. As you, Father, are in me and I am in you, may they also be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. The glory that you have given me I have given them, so that they may be one, as we are one, I in them and you in me, that they may become completely one, so that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me. Father, I desire that those also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory, which you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world. Righteous Father, the world does not know you, but I know you; and these know that you have sent me. I made your name known to them, and I will make it known, so that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them.'

NOTICES

New~ Visit to Ravenna, Monday 17th - Saturday April 2023

Following on from our Pilgrimage to Rome in 2019, we are planning a trip to Ravenna. This small town was for a while the capital of the Roman Empire in the west, it was the seat of the Ostrogoth, Theodoric, and then became part of the Byzantine Empire. It is in Ravenna that we can see the development of the Christian faith and how various heresies led to it having two Cathedrals. Ravenna's surviving collection of early Christian churches and mosaics been described as without parallel in Christendom. We will be able to see how those Christians showed their faith in those churches and their decoration.

If you are interested in joining us please contact me Penny Wallis, my email is: pennywallis@durweston.org.uk

New~ A note from Christopher Dowie

Just a quick note to thank the congregations at St Peter's and Holy Trinity for their response and support during our brief rehearsals last Sunday morning and in their singing of the "Sanctus" and "Benedictus" during the Services. Music can add so much to a Service and I am so glad that we have now taken this step. I look forward to introducing these two small items of music to the congregation at St Nicholas' in their next Holy Communion in June and to try to find ways to encourage you and give you all confidence in your singing . I also look forward to the time when we might also be able to sing the "Agnus Dei".

Thank you also to those who supported the Soirée at St Peter's on the 8th May. After expenses I will be able to give £150 to the church. May I commend the next Soirée on 12th June (please see details elsewhere in this Pews News). Thank you for all your support during the last season of concerts since last September. I am planning another season of concerts at St Peter's, Holy Trinity and St Nicholas' so please watch this space!
Christopher Dowie.

New~ Landgirls Concert Cancelled

We are sorry to announce that the planned concert with the Landgirls at St Peter's Pimperne has been cancelled due to ill health. We are hoping to rearrange this wonderful concert for later in the year so watch this space!
Mary Newnham.

Annual Parochial Church Meeting at Holy Trinity, Stourpaine

This is your opportunity to have your say. Please come along on **Monday 23rd May at 7pm**

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Iona Evening Prayer, Holy Trinity Stourpaine Sunday 22nd May at 6pm

Come and relax at the end of the day with a beautiful Iona service of music and words - you can almost hear the waves lapping at the shore and the wind blowing.

Queens Platinum Jubilee Celebrations, Pimperne

Pimperne's celebrations will take place on **Sunday 5th June**, with a party to be held in the Village Hall car park if the weather is fine, should the weather not be kind we will set up inside the village hall. Celebrations will commence at 2.30 pm. The Parish Council will be planting a tree in support of the Queen's Green Canopy Campaign at 3.p.m. From 3.15 to 4.15 there will be a children's entertainer, and at 4.30 we shall all sit down for Tea. (Parishioners are asked to bring a plate of food with them to the event). There will be a raffle after Tea. The Anvil Inn will be holding a BBQ in the evening so Parishioners may go on to that if they wish to do so.

Jackie is also looking for Volunteers to help organise the event and provide raffle prizes. 07879-003567 or 01258-455658



Platinum Praise with Pimms!

A joyful celebration for the Platinum Jubilee of Her Majesty the
Queen

favourite readings-favourite poems-favourite hymns

Also featuring Lucy Lill, Claire Daniels

and other guest soloists and readers

St Mary's Church, Tarrant Gunville,

Sunday 5th June, 6.30pm

(Please note change in start time due to the end of the road closure)

A great way to conclude the Jubilee Weekend



PSD MUSIC

2021 to 2022

St.Peter, Pimperne

Holy Trinity, Stourpaine

and

St.Nicholas, Durweston

Sunday 12th June

at 7.15

St. Peter, Pimperne

Sunday Soiree No.6

Parry String Quartet

Sara Cronin - Flute

Mozart String Quartet in D

Haydn Flute Quartet

Admission Free

Retiring Collection

PIMPERNE GARDENS OPEN WEEKEND

18TH & 19TH JUNE

11AM TO 5PM

15 GARDENS AND THE CHURCH OPEN FOR YOU TO ENJOY.

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£5 EACH CHILDREN UNDER 16 FREE

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