

The Calendar:

Sun 20th May—Pentecost (Whit Sunday);

21st—Helena, protector of the Holy Places, 330;

24th—John & Charles Wesley, evangelists, hymn writers, 1791 & 1788

25th—The Venerable Bede, monk, scholar, historian, 735;

Aldhelm, bishop, 709; 26th - Augustine, archbishop, 605;

26th—John Calvin, reformer, 1564;

26th—Philip Neri, founder of the Oratorians, spiritual guide, 1595

27th May—TRINITY SUNDAY

At Bosmere Barn today (20th)
St Nicholas, Tytherton Lucas,
luncheon @ 12.30 pm

PCC Meeting will be held on
Tuesday 22nd May, 7.30 pm in the
Club Room.



Coffee Shop
Weds 23rd MAY
9.30 am—12 noon

“Foundations of Faith” - A fortnightly discussion course getting to grips with some of the challenging questions of our faith.:

Begins on
Wed 30th May @ 7.30 pm @ Rod & Sue's home. First discussion topic “The Universe; planned or pointless?”

Date for 2019 DIARY:

A Parish Retreat has been booked for the weekend **22nd March— 24th March 2019.** It will be held at the Marist Sisters Retreat Centre in Nympsfield, Gloucestershire.

Mid-Week H.C service : Holy Communion 8.30 am Thursday: **Morning Prayer** 8.30 am Mondays., Tues, & Sat : **Morning Prayer** 8 am Wednesdays. **Please note Rod's day off is Friday**



Rev Sam Sheppard will be ordained Priest on **Sun 1st July, 10.30 am @ Bristol Cathedral.** First Eucharist on Sun 8th July 10 am @ St Barnabas, Knowle West.

Thank you to all those who cycled or walked for Christian Aid Week 13th-19th May and to those who sponsored them

Sat 2nd June 10-12 noon
AUTUMN FAYRE EXPENSES
COFFEE MORNING

Any volunteers would be most welcome to join our small planning team. See Ros.

Re: Item in May Parish Magazine please note change of speaker & title for the **ANNUAL HERITAGE LECTURE**
TUES 19TH JUNE @ 7.30 PM
IN CHURCH; It is now :
Dr John Chandler with
“Re-writing the History of Chippenham”

Deadline date of **JULY** Parish Magazine is **Sunday 3rd June.**

Sat 16th June—North Wiltshire
Symphony Concert in Church
7.30 pm.

Items for inclusion in Pewsheets to be with
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TODAY: SUNDAY 20th MAY
(PENTECOST)

8 am—Holy Communion (Traditional Language)

10 am—FAMILY WORSHIP

Followed by shortened Communion @ 11.15 am

Reading : Acts 2. 1-21

GOSPEL: St John 15. 26-27

HYMNS: 7; (Spirit of God—on separate Service sheet) :352; 614; 114



TODAY: 6.30 pm EVENING PRAYER
& HEALING SERVICE

WARDEN ON DUTY TODAY: GEORGE SILK



NEXT SUNDAY 27th MAY
(TRINITY SUNDAY)

8 am—Holy Communion
(Traditional Language)

10am—SUNG PARISH EUCHARIST
Reading: Isaiah 6. 1-8
Psalms 29
St John 3. 1-17
HYMNS: 684; 86; 12; 286

(Terry & Barbara Page from SAT7, one of the charities we support, will be joining us on Sunday 27th May at the 10 am service to talk about Christian Broadcasting in the Middle East)

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Collect

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.

1st Reading: Acts 2. 1-21

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. ²And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. ⁴All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. ⁵Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. ⁶And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. ⁷Amazed and astonished, they asked, 'Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?' ⁸And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? ⁹Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, ¹¹Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power.' ¹²All were amazed and per-

Post Communion

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

plexed, saying to one another, 'What does this mean?' ¹³But others sneered and said, 'They are filled with new wine.' ¹⁴But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: 'Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. ¹⁵Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. ¹⁶No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: ¹⁷"In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. ¹⁸Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. ¹⁹And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. ²⁰The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. ²¹Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

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'When the Advocate comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who comes from the Father, he will testify on my

behalf. ²⁷You also are to testify because you have been with me from the beginning.

Remembering those who have asked for our prayers:

Anne Baker, Mary Beint, Stanley Blake, Tony Bollen, Pauline Buckley, Lisa Clift, Heather Deverell, Malcolm Hodges, Richard Holtham, Diane Mansfield, Mary Neate, Mary Norris, Wendy Reeves, Jan Sheppard, Sue Stearn, Debby Whitby, Sharon., 6 yo James Little;
From the Candle Stand: David; Gareth; Mervyn; Kevin; For little Edward Collins whose brain tumour has returned, and for his parents Vicki & Alex; Derek French

Communion of Saints & the Departed:

Bob Williams: Audrey Love : David Affleck

**ALL DAY COFFEE SHOP Here in Church
FOR THE FOLK FESTIVAL ON SAT 26th MAY 2018**

10 AM – 5 PM

(The All day Coffee Shop is to raise funds for St. Andrew's Church)
Volunteers required to serve tea/coffee/refreshments: If you can help, or contribute cakes etc. please see Dorryta (Tel. 653322) & add your name to list at the back of church.

Parish Quiet Day at Nympsfield,

Led by Alison Love

Thursday 12th July 10 am—3.30 pm: Cost: £15 pp, incl. lunch
Please sign the list at the back of church



PLANT SWOP @ COFFEE SHOP: Starting Weds 23rd May
Please bring excess seedlings/plants and swap for something you want instead, pay 50p to Wellboring Charity

Advance Notice: Bristol Diocese

Thursday 28th June @ 7 pm here at St. Andrew's

"Giving to God" - Inspiring teaching and discussion : A seminar on encouraging generosity.
For Parish Officers, Clergy and Congregation.



Diocese of Bristol

**THE DEAN OF YORK, THE VERY REVD.
VIVienne FAULL, HAS BEEN
APPOINTED AS THE FIRST WOMAN
BISHOP OF BRISTOL**

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