

During the week please pray for:

Those in need: Monica Wright, Damian Walker, the Burns family, Marcus, Joseph, Sam, Clive L, Ken, Sarah Benelli, Dermot, Theo, Dene, Robert, Angela Ingham, Robert Wright, Sussana Barford, Sarah Feeney, Jonathan Navarro & family, Ian Cochran, Jesus Robert, Georgeann Tisdale, Linda Bell, David, Farin Marvich, James, Eli, Chris, Brian, Mary Pacey, Tim Wykes, Maryrose, Malcolm Gallagher, Grace, Danny, Mark, Luke, Ellie, Stuart & family, Sharon, Alison, David, Penny, Lucie, Jo Fluff & family, Robyn & family, Stephen, Sue & family, Eddie, Beth, Ronald, Margaret & Brian, Liz & Albert, Mel & Matthew, Tanya, Lesley Parkes, Michelle, Tony, Derek Strathan, Andria, Maria Jose, John Highley, Keri, Pedro, Sue Chelton. Peter and Hilary Sheldon and the Sheldon family, Brian, Pamela, Steven, Robert Smith and family, The recently bereaved. Julia Kostilek

Recently Departed:

May Anniversaries: Eric Garrett, Dennis Whitelock, Oliver Winstanley, Tony Marston, Ian Ferguson, Mike Webster, Ray Mallett

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Mon 3rd June Quiz night with light supper

Mon 17th June Fun night with light supper

28th June Table top sale with coffee, baps and cake

Do you have some spare time on your hands?

Would you like to help out with church events?

Either as a regular helper or just as a one off

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Saint Andrew's

Sunday 26th May 2019

Welcome to our Sung Eucharist For the Sixth Sunday of Easter

A special welcome if you are visiting. If you require Gluten-free Altar bread – please have a word with one of the Welcomers.

Hymn Nos: 603, 684, 227, (34), 252

Do join us for refreshments after the Service, which are served on the patio

If you pay tax in the UK and are visiting – please make use of the Gift Aid envelopes – it helps us a great deal. Please complete all the details required - Thank you!

Prayer Ministry is offered during Holy Communion: Just make your way to the Quiet Room at the front of Church after receiving Holy Communion & someone will be there to pray with you or for you.



During the week all in the Church

Wed 29th May 12.30 Eucharist

Wed 29th May 1.30-3.30 Bacon or sausage baps, tea and coffee

Wed 29th May 7.30 pm Fellowship group

Fri 31st May Table top sale with baps, coffee and cake on sale

To help you prepare for worship next Sunday at the 10am Eucharist

why not look up the readings we will use: Assension Sunday

Acts 1:1-11 and Luke 24:44 to the end

OPENING PRAYER

Ever-living God, help us to celebrate our joy in the resurrection of the Lord and to express in our lives the love we celebrate. Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Reading - Acts 16:9-15

⁹ During the night Paul had a vision of a man of Macedonia standing and begging him, "Come over to Macedonia and help us." ¹⁰ After Paul had seen the vision, we got ready at once to leave for Macedonia, concluding that God had called us to preach the gospel to them. ¹¹ From Troas we put out to sea and sailed straight for Samothrace, and the next day we went on to Neapolis. ¹² From there we traveled to Philippi, a Roman colony and the leading city of that district^[a] of Macedonia. And we stayed there several days. ¹³ On the Sabbath we went outside the city gate to the river, where we expected to find a place of prayer. We sat down and began to speak to the women who had gathered there. ¹⁴ One of those listening was a woman from the city of Thyatira named Lydia, a dealer in purple cloth. She was a worshiper of God. The Lord opened her heart to respond to Paul's message. ¹⁵ When she and the members of her household were baptized, she invited us to her home. "If you consider me a believer in the Lord," she said, "come and stay at my house." And she persuaded us.

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK: Those who drink of the water that I will give them will never be thirsty; the water that I will give, says the Lord, will become a spring of water gushing up to eternal life, alleluia! (*John 4:14*)

Gospel Reading - John 5:1-16

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

Glory to you, O Lord.

5 Some time later, Jesus went up to Jerusalem for one of the Jewish festivals. ² Now there is in Jerusalem near the Sheep Gate a pool, which in Aramaic is called Bethesda^[a] and which is surrounded by five covered colonnades. ³ Here a great number of disabled people used to lie—the blind, the lame, the paralyzed. ^[4] ^[b] ⁵ One who was there had been an invalid for thirty-eight years. ⁶ When Jesus saw him lying there and learned that he had been in this condition for a long time, he asked him, "Do you want to get well?" ⁷ "Sir," the invalid replied, "I have no one to help me into the pool when the water is stirred. While I am trying to get in, someone else goes down ahead of me." ⁸ Then Jesus said to him, "Get up! Pick up your mat and walk." ⁹ At once the man was cured; he picked up his mat and walked. The day on which this took place was a Sabbath, ¹⁰ and so the Jewish leaders said to the man who had been healed, "It is the Sabbath; the law forbids you to carry your mat." ¹¹ But he replied, "The man who made me well said to me, 'Pick up your mat and walk.'" ¹² So they asked him, "Who is this fellow who told you to pick it up and walk?" ¹³ The man who was healed had no idea who it was, for Jesus had slipped away into the crowd that was there. ¹⁴ Later Jesus found him at the temple and said to him, "See, you are well again. Stop sinning or something worse may happen to you."¹⁵ The man went away and told the Jewish leaders that it was Jesus who had made him well. ¹⁶ So, because Jesus was doing these things on the Sabbath, the Jewish leaders began to persecute him.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

