



FOR YOUR PRAYERS

- * For the outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon us and for the grace of waiting
- * Christian Aid and its work in developing nations
- * The sick and all for whom our prayers are asked:
 - Parishioners** – Janet Price, Liz Poole, Joe Torok, Eileen Bolton, Sheila Allen, Averil Galloway, Kitrina Bachelor
 - Family & Friends** – Claire O’Neill, Tony Parks, Matt Young, Christine Jones, Lynne Rose, Kevin Webb, Helena Palmer, Josie Best-McMaster, Diana Thomas,
- * **RIP** – Barry Read, Archibald Mackay, Derek Lewis, Edward Gardner,

Bible Buddies takes a break this Monday for the Bank Holiday and resumes on 1st June with another deep dive into the Book of Esther.

Derek Lewis’s funeral takes place on Tuesday at 2.30pm at St. Mark’s. The Act of Committal will be in church at the culmination of the service and afterwards there will be opportunity to share memories and celebrate Derek’s life at a wake in the church hall.

Contributions of wool to knit hats for sick and premature babies in Bournemouth Hospital are requested (red wool is particularly sought). Contributions can be left in the designated bag at St. Mark’s.

Car Park Barrier – please be aware that the car park barrier is now in use. It is closed only at night to discourage fly tipping. It does narrow the entrance somewhat so please be mindful of it when driving into the carpark.

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Calendar with Psalms & Readings for Daily Prayer

Sunday 24th

8.00am Holy Communion – St. Mark’s
10.00am The Eucharist - St. Mark’s
6.00pm Evensong – All Saints’

Monday 25th

Ps. 126; Josh. ch. 1; Luke 9. 18-27

Tuesday 26th

Pss. 132 & 133; Josh. ch. 2; Luke 9. 28-36
2.30pm Funeral of the late Derek Lewis
- St. Mark’s

Wednesday 27th

Ps. 119, 153-end; Josh. ch. 3; Luke 9. 37-50
10.00am Holy Communion – St. Mark’s

Thursday 28th

Pss. 143 & 146; Josh. 4.1-5.1; Luke 9. 51-end

Friday 29th

Pss.142 & 144; Josh. 5. 2-end; Luke 10. 1-16

Saturday 30th

Ps. 147; Josh. 6. 1-20; Luke 10. 17-24

Sunday 31st Trinity Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion – All Saints’
10.00am Parish Eucharist – St. Mark’s

Thank God for:

24th John and Charles Wesley,
Evangelists and Hymn Writers, 1791 & 1798
25th The Venerable Bede, Monk at Jarrow,
Scholar, Historian, 735,
Aldhelm, Bishop of Sherborne, 709
26th Augustine, first Archbishop of Canterbury, 605
28th Lanfranc, Prior of Le Bec,
Archbishop of Canterbury, Scholar, 1089
30th Josephine Butler, Social Reformer, 1906
Joan of Arc, Visionary, 1431
Apolo Kivebulaya, Evangelist in Central Africa, 1933
31st Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary to Elizabeth

PARISH OF WEST PARLEY

All Saints’ and St. Mark’s Churches
24th May 2026

DAY OF PENTECOST (Whit Sunday)

Readings

8.00am & 10.00am
Acts 2. 1-21; Psalm 104. 26 - end
John 20. 19-23

6.00pm
Pss. 67 & 133; Joel 2. 21-end;
Acts 2. 14-21;

At 10.00am

President: The Rector
Deacon & Preacher: Rev. Sheila Thomas
Intercessor: Peggy Bradley
Reader: Garnet Lambert

Organ Voluntaries

Sursum Corda,
by John Ireland (1879-1962);
Hallelujah Chorus from "Messiah",
by George Frideric Handel (1685-1759).

The Collect for The Day of Pentecost

God, who as at this time
taught the hearts of your faithful people
by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit:
grant us by the same Spirit
to have a right judgement in all things
and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort;
through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**