

# **St Chad's Church Tushingham**

## **May Newsletter**

### **Services for May 2019.**

Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> May	Old St Chad's	6.30pm	Evening Prayer
	Main Church	7.00pm	Worship @ 7
Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> May	11.00am		Holy Communion C.W.
Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup> May	9.00am		Holy Communion C.W.
Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup> May	11.00am		Family Service C.W.
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> May	6.30pm to 8.30pm		Ascension Day Walk

Worship@7pm is a new service held at St. Chad's each first Sunday of the month at 7 O'clock...

It's an informal service of praise and prayer...everyone is welcome...

### **Sidespersons Rota**

### **Reader**

5 <sup>th</sup> May	Old St. Chad's	Mr A. Dawson	Mr H. Probin
12 <sup>th</sup> May		Mr P. Moore Dutton	Mrs R. Clare
19 <sup>th</sup> May		Mr H. Probin	Mrs D. Nichols
26 <sup>th</sup> May		Mr J. Probin	Mr M. Voisey

### **Flower Rota**

5 <sup>th</sup> May	Mrs H. Bolton
12 <sup>th</sup> May	Mrs S. Chesters
19 <sup>th</sup> May	Mrs C. Snaith
26 <sup>th</sup> May	Mrs S. Prince

### **Brass Rota**

May	Mrs S. Prince
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### **Coffee Hostesses**

12 <sup>th</sup> May	Miss J. Peake and Mrs L. Mountford
26 <sup>th</sup> May	Mrs V. Moore Dutton and Mrs D. Nichols

## **Ascension Day Walk - Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May. 6.30pm**

Everyone is welcome to join Revd. Veronica for our Ascension Day Evening Walk around the local public footpaths. We shall start at 6.30pm at the Main Church, and will return at about 8.30pm. You will find the pace fairly leisurely, and at the end of May, the countryside will be looking its best. All age groups are welcome.

## **Parish News letter – May 2019**

Thy Kingdom Come...

In John's gospel Jesus gives us the most beautiful expression of prayer as you could find...he prays for himself as he faces the cross, he then prays for his disciples who will face the consequences of his death and resurrection and finally he prays for 'all' believers that they may know the love of the Father and the work of his Son...

Prayer is an integral part of our Christian Journey...the grass roots if you like.

It is the way we communicate with God and He with us.

During these months of May/ June, we are asked to walk in the steps of the first disciples when following Ascension Day, (the day Jesus ascended to heaven) they gathered with Mary, the Mother of our Lord, and constantly devoted themselves to prayer as they waited for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost.

For the last three years the Church of England has encouraged Worshipping Communities to pray for the 'Coming of the Holy Spirit' during the days between Ascension Day May 30th and Pentecost June 9th and the feedback has been quite remarkable.

Once again our Archbishops invite us to participate in this prayer initiative by praying that God's Spirit might work in the lives of five friends that we choose to pray for...and that that prayer would be answered as they say 'Yes' to God's call.

The Good News of Jesus Christ and His love for the world needs to be shared!

Pray that the work of the Holy Spirit of God would inspire us and equip us to share that news with others among our families, friends, communities and other networks...

Join along with 65 churches from different denominations in 114 countries as we pray 'Thy Kingdom Come...'

As ever

Veronica. x

### **Dates for your Diary**

- Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May      Pop – Up Shop at 10.00am – 12noon.  
Sales and Stalls and Homemade Cakes with  
Coffee and Teas.  
A plea for any household items, unwanted gifts,  
books, children's and nearly new clothes.  
Please contact Louise Mountford.
- Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May      Archdeacon's Visitation at Aldford Church.

### **Advance Notices**

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June    Bingo Night at The Coronation Hall Bickley.

Later in July    Garden Party at The Firs, Nomans Heath by kind  
permission of Mr. and Mrs. Voisey

### **Vicar**

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**NB:** Please try to avoid contacting Veronica on Mondays

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