

## THIS SUNDAY 8 JUNE

### Pentecost

Acts 2:1-21; John 14:8-17

### 8AM HOLY COMMUNION

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S

### 10AM HOLY COMMUNION

ST CHRISTOPHER'S & LIVESTREAM

Readings: Luke Marriage

Intercessions: Cathy Moore

### 6PM EVENSONG

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S

Exodus 33:7-20; John 16:4-15

Readings: John & Jennifer Sugden



## NEXT SUNDAY 15 JUNE

### Trinity Sunday

Romans 5:1-5; John 16:12-15

### 8AM HOLY COMMUNION

ST CHRISTOPHER'S

### 10AM HOLY COMMUNION

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S & LIVESTREAM

Readings: Zoe Clarke

Intercessions: Debbie Peet



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### WEEK COMMENCING 8 JUNE

#### 9am Morning Prayer:

Wednesday | All Saints

#### Thursday Communion |

St Bartholomew's

#### Coffee & Hearing Clinic |

St Bartholomew's



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### PARISH INFORMATION

**St Bartholomew's Church is open from 9am to 5pm, Monday - Saturday**

**St Christopher's Church is open from 10am to 4pm, Tuesday - Friday**

**Livestreamed services:** Link to view and orders of service on the website. [Church at Home](#)

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(open: 9am-3pm Mon/Tues/Thurs, 1-3pm Fri\*)

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**Pastoral Visitors for June:** Cathy Moore, Claire Gratton and Sara Smith

To request a visit or for any Pastoral matter please contact Rev Chris, Rev Justin or the Parish Office

#### Further information:

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#### Accessibility:

Both churches have hearing loops. Please switch hearing aids to T-coil.

Both churches have step free access and a wheelchair is available on request.

Large print service orders and hymn books are available—ask a sides person.



## 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.

## Acts 2:1-21;

**2** When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. <sup>2</sup> And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. <sup>3</sup> Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. <sup>4</sup> All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

<sup>5</sup> Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. <sup>6</sup> And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. <sup>7</sup> Amazed and astonished, they asked, 'Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?' <sup>8</sup> And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? <sup>9</sup> Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, <sup>10</sup> Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, <sup>11</sup> Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power.' <sup>12</sup> All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, 'What does this mean?' <sup>13</sup> But others sneered and said, 'They are filled with new wine.'

<sup>14</sup> But 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. <sup>15</sup> Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. <sup>16</sup> No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

<sup>17</sup> "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.

<sup>18</sup> Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy.

<sup>19</sup> And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist.

<sup>20</sup> The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood,

before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day.

<sup>21</sup> Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

## John 14:8-17

<sup>8</sup> Philip said to him, 'Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.' <sup>9</sup> Jesus said to him, 'Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, "Show us the Father"? <sup>10</sup> Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. <sup>11</sup> Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. <sup>12</sup> Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. <sup>13</sup> I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. <sup>14</sup> If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

<sup>15</sup> 'If you love me, you will keep my commandments. <sup>16</sup> And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you for ever. <sup>17</sup> This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

## Post Communion Prayer

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.

## PARISH PRAYERS FOR W/C SUNDAY 8TH JUNE

### **A Thought for Sunday: Pentecost**

Pentecost is a Jewish feast [Shavuot] that has been celebrated since the Old Testament, being called the Feast of Harvest or the Feast of Weeks in Jewish tradition.

The Day of Pentecost marks fifty days since Easter Day and brings the Easter season to an end. It is a major feast of the Church's year when Christians recall how God's Holy Spirit was given to the disciples after Jesus' ascension, empowering them to begin the work of making disciples of all nations. Jesus had promised his followers that, although they would not see him after his Ascension, they would receive the Holy Spirit, the Comforter, to guide and inspire them.

Pentecost is often seen as the 'birthday' of the Church, since this is when the disciples of Jesus first proclaimed the Gospel after receiving the gift of the Holy Spirit. Of all Sundays in the year today our expectations should be very high that God by the same Holy Spirit would revive, renew and empower our lives to live out our faith day by day. It is through His Holy Spirit that God makes real the presence of Jesus in our lives and enables us to 'dream dreams' and 'see vision' for what God can do through His Church.

### **For our Local Ministry Work and Schools**

- We pray that as we celebrate Pentecost, the realities of Christ's resurrection, His Ascension and the gift of the Holy Spirit may change our perspectives, that we see ourselves in the light of your love and see others as you see them.
- We pray for a Spirit of Peace to be seen across our broken, war-torn and divided world that people of all languages and tongues may come to live in peace and harmony.
- We pray for all the children of our community, from babies to teenagers. May we remember that each of them are your creations. Help them to grow in love for you and each other. We pray for parents and carers everywhere, that they have patience, compassion and love for all in their care.
- We pray for the Link Community project that the stones of the building may be infused with the love and power of God's Holy Spirit and that we may become, as Peter described, 'living stones' to make it a centre of community love and service.
- We remember all known to us who are having a tough time in life at the moment and pray that the Holy Spirit, the Comforter will be very real and alongside them in their circumstances.

**Those Sick and Suffering:** Margaret Owen and Evelyn Dent

### **Rest In Peace:**

#### **Upcoming Life Events:**

Saturday 7th June	St Bartholomew's	2.30pm	Wedding of William Chesney & Lucy Ketih
Sunday 15th June	St Bartholomew's	12pm	Baptism of Willia Walker
Wednesday 25th June	Weycombe Road	11am	Interment of Don Cremer
Sunday 6th July	St Bartholomew's	12pm	Baptism of Charlotte Cole

## PARISH NOTICES

### **Outward Giving to our local charities.**

This month's charity is A Place to Be. You can support our charities through the [Donate](#) button on the parish website, the QR Code on the front page or by leaving cash in the special baskets in church.

### **St Christopher's Garden Tidy Saturday 7 June - 9.30 to 12.30**

A working party is being held on Saturday 7 June from 9.30 to 12.30 to make St C's garden neat and tidy for the Flower Festival which starts on Thursday 12 June. Any help with a spot of weeding, bramble snipping appreciated. Thanks, Robert and David

### **Additional Churchyard Working Party at St Bartholomew's - Saturday 14 June from 9.30 to 12.00.**

This is being arranged in readiness for the judging, later in the month, of our entry of the main churchyard into this year's South and South East in Bloom competition. The aim is to carry out some last minute tidying of graves and borders, including the war memorial garden and shrubs. Please bring your own tools such as secateurs, maybe loppers, shears, etc. Please feel free to undertake what you like most (within reason!). Further details from Philip Hunt (644120).

**Mavis & Roger Edge** would like to thank everyone for their lovely flowers and Wedding anniversary messages— they had a great day!

### **Concert by Clive Osgood's A-level students from Reed's School- Friday 20th June, 7-8pm St Bartholomew's Church.** No need to book. There will be a Retiring collection.

**Springs Evening for women— Thursday 26th June, 7.45pm, St Stephens, Shottermill.** The next Springs evening for women is called "Jesus said I am, the life" with guest speaker Clare Luther.

**St Christopher's Flower Festival in aid of the Link Community Hub 12<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup> June** needs willing bakers to make cakes for the tea tent! Anything that we can sell in the tea tent for the four days of the festival. If you can make something - then please label it clearly as to what it is and either drop it off at the Parish Office or let Frances Reincke 01428 607206 or Sarah Mulliner 01428 643504 know and we can pick it up from you. If you're not a baker but would enjoy volunteering. We need help with the following:

Servers in the tent, taking the money, pouring drinks and serving the cakes.

Manning the kitchen, supplying coffee and teas to the tent, using the dishwasher and general cleaning.

Stewards, to help with any general enquiries.

If interested in the above, we'd love to hear from you. Please contact [lucymcooper3@gmail.com](mailto:lucymcooper3@gmail.com) or [Sarahmulliner@gmail.com](mailto:Sarahmulliner@gmail.com)

**Summer Sizzler- Family BBQ Picnic 21st June 2pm-4.30 pm St Bartholomew's School Field (or inside if inclement weather)** Families are invited to come and enjoy a great day of traditional games, crafts, stalls and activities designed to bring smiles and laughter. This is a wonderful opportunity to come together and share this fun day and BBQ. If you are planning to come, please sign up to give us an idea of how many to cater for. You can do that [here](https://haslemereparish.churchsuite.com/events/vdqqgnfh): <https://haslemereparish.churchsuite.com/events/vdqqgnfh>

If you are able to help run a game or activity or if you are a dab hand on the BBQ, please contact Karen on [karen@haslemereparish.org](mailto:karen@haslemereparish.org) We will also be looking for donations for the children's lucky dip and the tombola. If you are able to donate something, please bring it to the Parish office.

### **Pop-In Coffee Morning and Hearing Champions— next clinic 12th June in St Bartholomew's**

**Church— please bring your own mug!** Our regular Pop-In Coffee Morning reaches out to those who would like a bit of company and a chat. We meet on each 2nd and 4th Thursdays, in St Bartholomew's Church at 10am. Also if you have a hearing aid, you can have it cleaned and serviced by our Hearing Champions service, with new batteries at the same time!