

## Dates for Diaries

May 2017

17 May, BTCT short meeting @ 6pm

17 May, Archdeacon Visitation, St James Church @ 7pm

20 May, Pastoral Training at Galmington @ 10am

20 May, New Archdeacon of Wells service @ Cathedral @ 3pm

23 May, Childrens Working Group Meeting @ 8pm

25 May, Ascension Day Service @ 7.30pm

27 May, Church Wardens Meeting @ 9am

### Hymns – NHWS

338 To God be the glory

10 Amazing Grace

227 Morning has Broken

87 Give me joy in my heart

Contact for notices - Please e-mail Jess English on Jess.k.english@gmail.com with any notices. Deadline 9am Thursday of each week for the following Sunday (earlier if possible). Please keep them as brief as possible!

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# St Peter & St Paul - Bishops Hull Keynotes

**Welcome to your Parish Church –  
a special welcome to Owen (being Baptised today)  
and his Mum and Dad (Carly and Nick) and their guests.**  
We are delighted to invite everyone to stay and join us for  
tea or coffee after the 10am service –served at the back of  
the Church. *The North Chapel is available for prayer  
before the service.*

## Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2017

### 5th Sunday of Easter

Readings Acts 7.55-end & Matthew 27.54-66

8am Holy Communion

10am Holy Communion plus Baptism, with Ablaze

### Services / Events this week

Wed 17 May, Prayer Meeting @ 9am

Wed 17 May, Midweek Communion @ 10am

Wed 17 May, Funeral (Brian Iley) at Crematorium @ 2.30pm

Fri 19 May, Funeral (Linda Poole) in church @ 11am

Sat 20 May, Service @ Wells Cathedral @ 3pm

### Services next week

Sun 21 May, HC @ 8am & 10 am

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**Website:** [www.stpeterandstpaul.org.uk](http://www.stpeterandstpaul.org.uk)

### Prayers for:

- Those living in this Parish, especially in **Westfield Close and Wellington New Road.**
- **Owen Howlett**, being Baptised today.
- **Ben and Gemma, Jay and Harriet** who are having their Banns read for the first time this week.

Perhaps you could use this prayer at the start of each day this week:  
*“Risen Christ, your wounds declare your love for the world and the wonder of your risen life: give us compassion and courage to risk ourselves for those we serve, to the glory of God the Father”.*

## Notices

### **BTCT – drawings in church!**

Do make time to have a look at the drawings our newly appointed architect has sent through with regard to how the new porch and new hall could look. The porch brings the benefits of a gathering/welcome area, a toilet and a servery to the church. The new hall gives a better internal layout and roughly the same size hall space, though the final decision rests with the yet-to-be-appointed hall trust.

Having these drawings is a major step forward towards having a final plan and idea of cost. Watch this space!!

*The BTCT Team*

### **Pastoral Care Training –invite from St Michaels, Galmington:**

*“We are having a Pastoral Care morning at St Michael's on 20th May from 10am-1pm and your congregations are very welcome to join us. The morning will be led by Rev Jane Eastell on the subject of 'Who Am I?' and will consider our pastoral roles and spiritual selves.”* No cost, no need to book, just turn up!

### **“Thy Kingdom Come” – Ascension to Pentecost Prayer initiative**

How do you talk to God? Do you find somewhere quiet and private and whisper, or do you climb a mountain and shout into the clouds? *“I cannot remember in my life anything that I have been involved in where I have sensed so clearly the work of the Spirit”*, Archbishop Justin Welby encourages us to individual and corporate prayer in the days between Ascension and Pentecost. Look out for more info of how you can be involved... and check out the website <https://www.thykingdomcome.global/>

### **St Margaret’s Hospice Lectures 2017**

St Margaret’s Hospice has asked a leading Sociologist, Philosopher and Theologian to each give a lecture followed by questions and discussions on “Finding meaning in life and death”. The lectures will be held at St Margaret’s Hospice, Heron Drive, Taunton. Tickets are £5, which goes towards the cost of the evening and can be booked by clicking on the lecture below that you would like to attend. Alternatively, if you would like to book your place at all 3 lectures please go to [someset-hospice.org.uk](http://someset-hospice.org.uk). Drinks and canapes will be served from 6.30 pm with the lecture to start at 7.15pm.

### **Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> May, “A Theology of Death after the Resurrection”**

Dr Jane Williams

### **A date for your diaries**

The 2017 Annual Parish Walk will be on Sunday 9th July in the afternoon. From 4th June there will be a list at the back of the church for you to sign if you would like to go. At the moment this is just a date for your diaries. Thank you, *Marian Ash*

### **Thank you:**

- To our Cleaners!