



THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND

MAYFIELD & FIVE ASHES

NEWS from ST. DUNSTAN'S

Sunday 2 June

TRINITY 1



10.15am PARISH EUCHARIST

Anthem: *I give to you a new commandment (Nardone)*
Setting: *Addington (Shepherd)*



SUNDAY CLUB

READINGS:

2 Corinthians 4: 5-12
Mark 2: 23 – 3: 6

COLLECT:

Holy God, you sanctified this day as a time for rest and worship. As its blessed hours unfold, place on our lips canticles of praise and in our hearts the charity of Christ, that this day may be a pledge and foretaste of the eternal kingdom yet to come. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns

with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever.

POST COMMUNION:

Eternal Father, we thank you for nourishing us with these heavenly gifts: may our communion strengthen us in faith, build us up in hope, and make us grown in love: for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

St Dunstan's strives to be a diverse yet inclusive church, affirming everybody, young and old.

CHURCH PRAYER DIARY

- Friday 31st: Mayfield Baptist church/congregation
- Saturday 1st: Our Vicar, Fr Michael, and Jo
- Sunday 2nd: Mayfield Primary School
- Monday 3rd: Deacon Di
- Tuesday 4th: Five Ashes Primary School
- Wednesday 5th: Stephen Blurton, Churchwarden
- Thursday 6th: Mayfield Scout Group
- Friday 7th: Nicky Higgins, Parish Administrator



PRAY ALSO ...

For the courage to make the most of every opportunity to share our faith with others through words and deeds

For our church: for an additional churchwarden, and PCC secretary; for growth in numbers, spiritual commitment and in service to our community

For our schools - teachers, pupils and governors

For those struggling because of cost of living increases

For all known to us who are sick: Margaret Mill

For those awaiting hospital appointments/surgery

For the NHS/all carers

For the recently departed: Christopher Starling, Stephen Martin, Martyn Cornford, Shirley Winzar (Karen Dine's mum); and all who mourn the loss of loved ones

For those whose anniversaries fall at this time: Derrick Rostron and Rita Coomber

BIBLE VERSE FOR THE WEEK

Let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

Hebrews 12: 1-2

OUR PRAYERS FOR THE NEEDS OF THE WORLD

For our Government, Prime Minister and national institutions in the many challenges facing us; for the upcoming General Election

For God's healing hand on King Charles and the Princess of Wales; for all members of the Royal family

For all national leaders that they be guided by a Godly wisdom in their decision-making

For unity within the Anglican Communion

For peace and reconciliation in all areas of conflict—at this time particularly for Israel, Gaza, the West Bank, Yemen, Ukraine, Sudan

For safe refuge for the displaced and homeless

For all victims of intolerance, persecution and oppression

For compassion and wisdom in dealing with migrants

For healthcare services both in this country and throughout the world

For aid agencies and all who work, both here and abroad, to alleviate poverty, hunger and disease; for adequate supplies of clean water for all

For an urgent and determined global response to climate change, pollution and loss of biodiversity

THIS WEEK'S DIARY

- Sat 1st: 10-12noon CHURCHYARD WORKING PARTY
pm set up D DAY COMMEMORATION EXHIBITION
- Sun 2nd: 10.15am PARISH EUCHARIST—St Dunstan's
- Wed 5th: 10am SAID EUCHARIST in the Lady Chapel
- Thurs 6th: 6.30pm RINGING OF BELLS for D DAY 80th ANNIVERSARY
- Fri 7th: NO Coffee & Chat today
from 4.30pm SET-UP CRAFT & FOOD MARKET
- Sat 8th: 8am CRAFT & FOOD MARKET SET UP
11am—3pm CRAFT & FOOD MARKET, BELL TOWER
- Sun 9th: 10.15am PARISH EUCHARIST
12noon SAID EUCHARIST—COTTAGE HOSPICE

CONTACT DETAILS FOR FR MICHAEL ASQUITH:

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CHURCH OPENING HOURS: daily 9am to 5pm

PARISH OFFICE/LONDON HOUSE BOOKINGS:

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Office hours: 9am-1pm Mon/Wed/Fri

Tel: 01435 873484. Website: www.stdunstansmayfield.org.uk

Sunday Club

Meet in London House from 10am.
The children will join the Service in Church as the 'Peace' is being shared.

Dear Father,
help us to be faithful
in following the
teaching we find in
your Word,
but also help us to
follow the example of
Jesus in loving and
caring for others.
In Jesus' name we
pray. Amen.



DEANERY SYNOD—'WHAT IS WORSHIP?' —open to all interested persons—Thurs 20 June—7 for 7.30pm at All Saints' Crowborough.


Further information: julia.lawrence10@btinternet.com

NEWS FROM THE DIOCESE - CONGRATULATIONS TO:


* our Archdeacon, the Venerable Dr Edward Dowler, Archdeacon of Hastings and Priest-in-Charge of St John the Evangelist, Crowborough, on his new appointment as **Dean of Chichester**.

* our Rural Dean, The Revd Julie Sear, Rector of Hartfield with Coleman's Hatch, (soon to be also Priest in Charge of Cowden) and Rural Dean of Rotherfield, who has been appointed **Honorary Canon of Chichester Cathedral**.

SATURDAY PICNICKERS 
12.30-2.30
London House
Tel Valerie 873253
(Not 8th June)
ALL WELCOME!

SAID EUCHARIST—CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD at the 
COTTAGE HOSPICE, FIVE ASHES
12 noon on 2nd and 4th Sundays.
ALL WELCOME.
JUNE SERVICES: 9&23

MAYFACS HELPLINE:
01435
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Loving congratulations to
Angus and Steph
married in St Dunstan's
last Saturday. 

10.30-11.30am
WEDNESDAY COFFEE in
St Dunstan's
(after 10am
Said
Eucharist). 
ALL WELCOME

ECO CHURCH  In 1912 Charles Rothschild held a meeting to discuss "Saving places for Nature". One area in our churchyard is left uncut, especially in the spring & summer, to help pollinating insects, small mammals, and bird species and to maintain biodiversity.

CHURCHYARD WORKING PARTY

10-12noon **SATURDAY 1st JUNE**
All age groups are welcome to come along (equipped with gardening tools) to help tidy the churchyard. Coffee included!



If the weather is poor, please phone Stephen on 07780 684486, or Mike on 07710 319348.



Future dates: 6 July, 3 Aug.

Please click here to help directly with the running costs of St Dunstan's. For additional ways to contribute financially to the life of our church, please see the church website. Thank you. 

If you would like to receive the weekly Enews and are not already on the mailing list, do please be in touch with Nicky in the Office office.stdunstans@gmail.com

MAYFIELD & FIVE ASHES CRAFT & FOOD MARKET
Saturday 8th June 2024
11am to 3pm
in and around St Dunstan's Church,
Mayfield, TN20 6AQ
Loads of craft and food stalls and games for all the family.
Do come and join us!
www.stdunstansmayfield.org.uk

***** IF YOU ARE ABLE TO HELP OUT at the CRAFT & FOOD MARKET on SATURDAY 8 JUNE**

—please contact Nicky in the office as soon as possible.

Also needed: **CAKES** (please bring on the day) and **BOTTLES** for the **TOMBOLA** (there's a collection point at the back of church).

PLEASE INVITE FAMILY & FRIENDS!

There'll be something for everyone: Bell Tower open; Bar, BBQ & Cream Teas; and a myriad of stalls with local artisans.

THANK YOU and see you there!

The Schools of Mayfield and Five Ashes present an exhibition of their work:

D-DAY, CHAPLAINCY AND THE MAYFIELD/FIVE ASHES EXPERIENCE OF WORLD WAR II

9-5pm daily 4th-27th June 2024
in St Dunstan's



In Association with the Mayfield History Society and the Mayfield, Five Ashes & Hadlow Down Royal British Legion

