



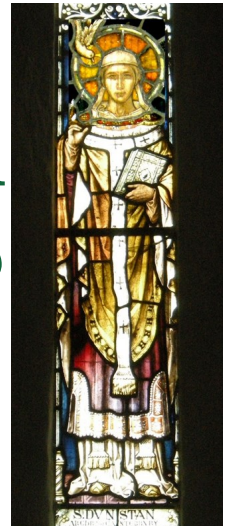
THE CHURCH
OF ENGLAND

MAYFIELD & FIVE ASHES

NEWS from ST. DUNSTAN'S

SUNDAY 22 OCTOBER

TRINITY 20



10.15am PARISH EUCHARIST

Setting: *Mass of St Osmund (Halls)*
Anthem: *If ye love me (Tallis)*
Postlude: *Overture from the Royal Fireworks (Handel)*

SUNDAY CLUB

12noon SAID EUCHARIST
at the Cottage Hospice

6pm CHORAL EVENSONG

READINGS:

1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10
Matthew 22: 15-22



COLLECT

O God, whose image we bear
and whose name we carry, yours
is the world and all it
contains. Recall us to our true
allegiance, so that above the
powers and rulers of this world
you alone may claim our fullest
loyalty and love. We make our
prayer 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

God our Father, whose Son, the
light unfailing, has come from
heaven to deliver the world from
the darkness of ignorance: let
these holy mysteries open the
eyes of our understanding that
we may know the way of life,
and walk in it without stumbling;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

CHURCH PRAYER DIARY

Friday 20th: All who own businesses within the
parish, including our farmers
Saturday 21st: Nina Sanderson and the Flower Guild
Sunday 22nd: Mayfield and Five Ashes Parish
Councillors
Monday 23rd: Holy Dusters
Tuesday 24th: St Thomas' RC Church and congregation
Wednesday 25th: Our work with children and young
people, especially Sunday Club
Thursday 26th: Doctors/staff at Woodhill
Surgery and Mayfield dentists
Friday 27th: Our sidespeople



PRAY ALSO ...

For the courage to make the most of every opportunity
to share our faith with others through words and deeds
For Gary Huxtable and Eleanor Walters whose
confirmation takes place on Friday
For church growth in numbers, spiritual commitment
and in service to our community
For those struggling because of cost of living increases
For our local schools, teachers and pupils
For all known to us who are sick; for those awaiting
hospital appointments/surgery; for the NHS/all carers
For the recently departed Patricia Spencer-Wood; **and all**
who mourn the loss of loved ones
For those whose anniversaries fall at this time: John
Smith, John Winter, Patrick Driscoll and Daphne Steven

OUR PRAYERS FOR THE NEEDS OF THE WORLD

For our Government, Prime Minister and national institutions
in the many challenges facing us
For our King and Queen and all members of the Royal family
For all national leaders that they be guided by a Godly
wisdom in their decision-making
For peace and reconciliation in all areas of conflict—especially
at this time for Israel, Palestine, Ukraine, Yemen
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 those affected by adverse weather conditions; for an
urgent and determined global response to climate change,
pollution and loss of biodiversity

A PRAYER FOR THE MIDDLE EAST

Loving Heavenly Father, we pray for an end to the
strife in the Middle East so that Israelis and
Palestinians can create a better future for
themselves. Even as we pray for a time when
Israel and Palestine will be a symbol of hope,
peace, and reconciliation, help us to be mindfully
aware of the volatile present.
Draw close to the multitude of injured and
grieving people in the Holy Land; gather up the
hopeless and abide with the physically and
emotionally oppressed; comfort our brothers and
sisters in their suffering.
Father God, prepare tables of dialogue and
opportunities for truth-telling around us. Open
the hearts of hurting people so that they may
witness small signs of hope.
With your help, we continue to seek justice and
resist evil, all the days of our lives, Amen.

THIS WEEK'S DIARY

Fri 20th: 7.30pm HOLY EUCHARIST with CONFIRMATION
Sun 22nd: 10.15am PARISH EUCHARIST
 12noon SAID EUCHARIST— Cottage Hospice
 6pm CHORAL EVENSONG — St Dunstan's
Wed 25th: 10am SAID EUCHARIST from reserved sacrament
 with Deacon Di in the Lady Chapel
Sun 29th: 10.15am PARISH EUCHARIST
 6pm THANKSGIVING SERVICE for our loved ones

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

WHAT IT MEANS TO BELONG TO GOD
 AND OTHERS

1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10
 Matthew 22: 15-22



Dear God,
 thank you for those people who show
 us what God is like,
 who show us what it means to be
 part of your family,
 who show us what it looks like to
 wear your imprint.
 Bless them. Amen.

SAID
 EUCHARIST
 at the
 COTTAGE
 HOSPICE
 at
 FIVE
 ASHES
 12noon
 22 OCTOBER
 26NOVEMBER



PARISH CONFIRMATION SERVICE

7.30pm on Friday 20 October
 with Bishop Nicholas Reade
 Come join us as we welcome
 Gary Huxtable and Eleanor Walters
 on the next stage of their Christian journey.

CHORAL EVENSONG

takes place in St Dunstan's on the
 4th Sunday of the month—
 this month SUNDAY 22 OCTOBER.
 Do spread the word!



SERVICE OF THANKSGIVING FOR OUR LOVED ONES

6pm SUNDAY 29th OCTOBER
 If you would like someone remembered by
 name during the service, please print your
 name on the list at the back of church.



A DATE FOR YOUR DIARY!

ST DUNSTAN'S CHRISTMAS MARKET

SATURDAY 2 DECEMBER 10am—1.30pm
 All your favourite stalls and much more!
 Please be sure to alert family and friends.

LOOKING AHEAD DECEMBER in ST DUNSTAN'S

Sat Dec 2nd: 10am Christmas Market
 Sun Dec 3rd: 6pm Advent carols
 Sun Dec 10th: 10.15 Sung Eucharist and
 dedication of the new statue of St Dunstan
 Fri Dec 15th: 7.30pm Concert Handel's Messiah
 Sun Dec 17th: 10.15 Sung Eucharist (followed by farewell to Jack)
 Tues Dec 19th: 6pm Christmas Carol service
 Sun Dec 24th: 10.15am Said Communion service
 Sun Dec 24th: 5pm Christingle service
 Sun Dec 24th: 11pm midnight Mass of Christmas
 Mon Dec 25th: 10.15 Sung Eucharist
 Sun Dec 31st: Eucharist with carols

10.15 Wednesday Eucharist
 in the Lady Chapel as usual



MUSIC IN ST DUNSTAN'S

7.30pm Sunday 19 Nov
 Bach's CHRISTMAS ORATORIO
 with Mayfield Festival Choir and
 Mayfield Baroque
 conducted by Jeremy Summerly
www.ticketsource.co.uk/mayfieldfestival
 or Sew Inspired. Further info, please click logo.

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 those who
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 different
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 very
 thought-
 provoking



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 of our church, please see the
 church website. Thank you.

DONATE

10.30-11.30am WEDNESDAY COFFEE
 in St Dunstan's (after 10am Said Eucharist)
 ALL WELCOME
 for a cuppa and a chat!



SATURDAY PICNICKERS
 12.30-2.30 London House
 Tel Valerie 873253



DOGS-ODOLOGY! 'PRAISE HIM, ALL CREATURES HERE BELOW'



THANK YOU to all who
 joined us last Sunday on a
 glorious autumn
 afternoon—and to those
 who supplied cake for a delicious tea afterwards!