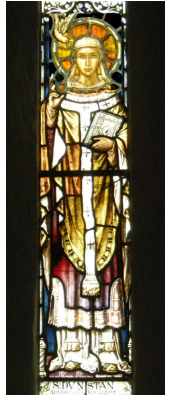




THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND

MAYFIELD & FIVE ASHES

NEWS from ST. DUNSTAN'S



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

Sunday 1 September

TRINITY 14

10.15am PARISH EUCHARIST

Mass Setting: *St Helen's (Forbes L'Estrange)*

Please come early for another run

through of our new Mass Setting

Anthem: *Behold the tabernacle (Harris)*

SUNDAY CLUB

READINGS:

James 1: 17-end

Mark 7: 1-23



COLLECT:

Father of light, giver of every good and perfect gift, bring to fruition the word of truth sown in our hearts by your Son, that we may rightly understand your commandments, live your law of love, and so offer you worship that is pure and undefiled. Grant 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:

Lord God, the source of truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, united in prayer and the breaking of bread, and one in joy and simplicity of heart, in Jesus Christ our Lord.



Loving Lord, help us to match our actions to

our words and may both match the way you want us to live. Amen.



Sunday 8 September

TRINITY 15

10.15am PARISH EUCHARIST

Mass Setting: *St Helen's (Forbes L'Estrange)*

Anthem: *Call to Remembrance (Farrant)*

SUNDAY CLUB

READINGS:

James 2: 1-10 & 14-17

Mark 7: 24-end

12noon SAID

EUCHARIST—Cottage

Hospice



COLLECT:

God of power and compassion, in Christ you reveal your will to heal and to save. Open our ears to your redeeming word and move our hearts by the strength of your love, so that our every word and work may proclaim as Messiah Jesus the Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever.

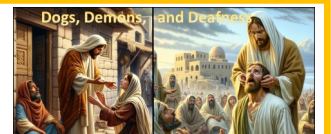
POST COMMUNION:

Keep, O Lord, your Church, with your perpetual mercy; and, because without you our human frailty cannot but fall, keep us ever by your help from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord.



We pray for everyone we know: Bless them and strengthen them. We pray for people across the world: Bless them and strengthen them. We pray for those who need healing:

Bless them and strengthen them. Thank you for your love, Lord. Amen.



Sunday 15 September

TRINITY 16

10.15am PARISH EUCHARIST

Mass Setting: *Darke in E*

Anthem: *Ave Maria (Parsons)*

SUNDAY CLUB

READINGS:

James 3: 1-12

Mark 8: 27-end



COLLECT:

Make us one, O God, in acknowledging Jesus the Christ. As we proclaim him by our words, let us follow him in our works; give us strength to take up the cross and courage to lose our lives for his sake. 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:

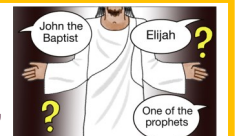
Almighty God, you have taught us through your Son that love is the fulfilling of the law: grant that we may love you with our whole heart and our neighbours as ourselves; through Jesus Christ our Lord.



Lord Jesus, we'll help carry your cross when we comfort people; we'll help carry your cross when we care;

we'll help carry your cross when we speak kindly. Amen.

'WHO DO YOU SAY THAT I AM?'



DIARY for the coming weeks:

Sun 1st: 10.15am PARISH EUCHARIST—St Dunstan's
 Wed 4th: 10am SAID EUCHARIST in the Lady Chapel
 11am PRAYER TOGETHER—Stone House
 Fri 6th: 10am COFFEE & CHAT—London House
 Sun 8th: 10.15am PARISH EUCHARIST—St Dunstan's
 12noon SAID EUCHARIST—COTTAGE HOSPICE
 Wed 11th: 10am SAID EUCHARIST in the Lady Chapel
 Thurs 12th: 7-9pm MAYFIELD FESTIVAL CHOIR rehearsal
 Fri 13th: 2pm FUNERAL of Bill Sellick—St Dunstan's
 Sat 14th: am FILMING—St Dunstan's & Churchyard
 Sun 15th: 10.15am PARISH EUCHARIST—St Dunstan's
 Wed 18th: 10am SAID EUCHARIST in the Lady Chapel
 Thurs 19th: 7-9pm MAYFIELD FESTIVAL CHOIR rehearsal
 Sat 21st: pm MAYFIELD BOYS & BELLES CARNIVAL—High St
 Sun 22nd: 10.15am PARISH EUCHARIST—St Dunstan's
 from 12noon HARVEST LUNCH—tickets now on sale

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

The next Enews will be issued on Friday 20 September.

Loving congratulations to **Daniel and Hayley** who were married in St Dunstan's on Saturday 24th August



****CHOOSE A HYMN:** as of October, the Gradual Hymn will be chosen by a member of the congregation. Please list the first line of a hymn that is special to you on the form at the back of Church and be prepared to explain your choice within the service. **Thank you.**

PARISH WALK followed by tea and cake from 2pm on Sunday 6 October
 Come and join in the fun at any point in the afternoon. The walk (for all ages and abilities) will start from St Dunstan's Porch at 2pm and conclude with a short service at 3pm followed by tea and cake. Dogs are most welcome!



SATURDAY PICNICKERS 12.30-2.30 LONDON HOUSE ALL WELCOME!



SAID EUCHARIST—CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD at the COTTAGE HOSPICE, FIVE ASHES 12 noon on 2nd and 4th Sundays NEXT SERVICES: 8 & 29 SEPT



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



"Be the change you wish to see in the world." Gandhi



'PRAYER TOGETHER' in Stone House by kind permission of Sr Jean and Sr Maria 11am Wednesday 4 September The entrance is through the white gateway and across the courtyard. ALL WELCOME.



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.



MAYFACS Helpline: 01435 873888



Come and join us at our: **HARVEST FESTIVAL LUNCH**

from 12noon on Sunday 22nd September in St Dunstan's

Tickets: £12 adults; £6 children available either after Church from Sunday 1st September or from Nicky in the Parish Office.

Vegetarian and gluten free option available—please just mention this when purchasing your ticket. Spaces are limited so please buy your tickets early to avoid disappointment.

(Cash appreciated please!)

Wine will be available by donation or BYO.



KNOW YOUR PARISH 10.30-1.30pm

Saturday 28 September

in St Dunstan's & organised by The Mayfieldians * Make new friends * Widen your horizons* Come and find out about the many and varied groups and societies for adults and children alike in both Mayfield and Five Ashes.

You may be surprised at what's on offer!

Refreshments available.



ECO CHURCH ANA ROCHA UK PROJECT

Have you seen?

Buggingham Palace in the Churchyard!

COFFEE & CHAT Friday 6 Sept 10-11.30 in London House—a lovely opportunity to pop in for a friendly chat over a cup of coffee/tea. A WARM WELCOME AWAITS!



PRAYER POINTERS

LOCALLY, WE PRAY....

For our church, Fr Michael, Deacon Di, Nicky, & PCC and all who contribute to the life of St Dunstan's
 For other places of worship within our villages
 For our two villages: for the Parish Councils, MAYFACS, schools, farmers, shops and services
 For all known to us who are sick: including Valerie Donovan; for those awaiting hospital appointments/surgery; for the NHS and all carers
 For the recently departed: Vaila Pring, Bill Sellick; all who mourn the loss of loved ones; and for those whose anniversaries fall at this time: Estelle Coulter, Rosemary Watson, Mike Mather, Alf Thompson, Janet Haines, Jean Wicker, Elizabeth Burt, Jacinta Smith, Margaret Maclean Smith, Penelope Hill and Christian Martin

AND FURTHER AFIELD, WE PRAY

For our Government, Prime Minister and national institutions in the many challenges we face
 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—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 & oppression
 For compassion and wisdom in dealing with migrants
 For healthcare services and aid agencies both in this country and throughout the world
 For the many and varied affects of climate change

THANK YOU, Holy Dusters, for all your hard work on Thursday and for ensuring that the church always looks so well cared for.

