

DIARY THIS WEEK 2026

Monday 4th

10:00am Craft Drop In – Church Centre

Tuesday 5th

9:00am First Steps – in Church Centre

7.00pm Bell ringing practice.

7.00pm PCC members on line discussion with Archdeacon Matthew Trick

Wednesday 6th

10.00am Finance Sub Committee in Centre

Thursday 7th

11.00am Funeral of Julien Rendle.

Next Sunday 10th May 2026.

THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8:00 am **SAID EUCHARIST**

9:30 am **SUNG EUCHARIST**

Readings: Acts 17: 22-31; Psalm 66: 7-end;
1 Peter 3: 13-end; John 14: 15-21.

PRIZE DRAW

The results of the prize draw for April are:

1st Prize No. 59

2nd Prize No. 58

3rd Prize No. 10

CRAFT DROP IN

Monday in the Church Centre from 10-12. An opportunity to bring along whatever you happen to be working on whether it be a work of art or simply a colouring book. For company, laughter and chat.

The Food Bank is in urgent need of donations!

Urgently needed: powdered milk, instant mash, sponge puddings, UHT milk, long life fruit juice, coffee and tea, together with cleaning products, toiletries, nappies and sanitary products.

We are always looking for strong carrier bags.

Thank you



All Saints Church

W I N G E R W O R T H

**SUNDAY 3rd MAY 2026
THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

Welcome to all who join in our worship today, especially newcomers and visitors.

Please join us in the Church Centre for coffee after our 9:30 am service.

8.00 am SAID EUCHARIST
9:30 am SUNG EUCHARIST
Hymns: 433, Ps31, 514, 278, 96.

COLLECT

Almighty God,
who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ
have overcome death and opened to us the gate of
everlasting life:

grant that, as by your grace going before us
you put into our minds good desires,
so by your continual help

we may bring them to good effect;
through Jesus Christ our risen Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Amen

POST COMMUNION

Eternal God,
whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and
the life:

grant us to walk in his way,
to rejoice in his truth,
and to share his risen life;
who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Amen

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FIRST READING

Acts 7.55–60

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

Standing before the high priest and the council,
55 Stephen, filled with the Holy Spirit, gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God and Jesus standing at the right hand of God.
56 'Look,' he said, 'I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God!'
57 But they covered their ears, and with a loud shout all rushed together against him.
58 Then they dragged him out of the city and began to stone him; and the witnesses laid their coats at the feet of a young man named Saul.
59 While they were stoning Stephen, he prayed, 'Lord Jesus, receive my spirit.'
60 Then he knelt down and cried out in a loud voice, 'Lord, do not hold this sin against them.' When he had said this, he died.

PSALM 31 1-5,15-16

RESPONSE: Let your face shine on your servants and we shall be saved

1 In you, O Lord, have I taken refuge; let me never be put to shame; deliver me in your righteousness.
2 Incline your ear to me; make haste to deliver me.

RESPONSE

3 Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe, for you are my crag and my stronghold; for the sake of your name, lead me and guide me.

RESPONSE

4 Take me out of the net that they have secretly set for me, for you are my tower of strength.
5 Into your hands I commend my spirit, for you have redeemed me, O Lord, O God of truth.

RESPONSE

15 My times are in your hand; rescue me from the hand of my enemies, and from those who persecute me.
16 Make your face to shine upon your servant, and in your loving-kindness save me.

RESPONSE

SECOND READING

1 Peter 2.2–10

A reading from the first letter of Peter.

2 Like newborn infants, long for the pure, spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow into salvation –
3 if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good.
4 Come to him, a living stone, though rejected by mortals yet chosen and precious in God's sight.
5 Like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.
6 For it stands in scripture: 'See, I am laying in Zion a stone, a cornerstone chosen and precious; and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame.'
7 To you then who believe, he is precious; but for those who do not believe, 'The stone that the builders rejected has become the very head of the corner,' and
8 'A stone that makes them stumble, and a rock that makes them fall.'
They stumble because they disobey the word, as they were destined to do.
9 But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's own people, in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of him who called you out of darkness into his marvellous light.
10 Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

GOSPEL

John 14.1–14

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

Jesus said to his disciples:
1 'Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me.
2 In my Father's house there are many dwelling-places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you?
3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also.
4 And you know the way to the place where I am going.'
5 Thomas said to him, 'Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?'
6 Jesus said to him, 'I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.
7 If you know me, you will know my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him.'
8 Philip said to him, 'Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.'
9 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"?
10 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.
11 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.
12 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.
13 I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son.
14 If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.'