



9th June 2019
Pentecost

St James' Church
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Mon	11.00 am – 12.00 noon
	12.45 pm – 2.00 pm
Tue	11.00 am – 1.00 pm
Wed	2.00 pm – 4.00 pm
Thu	11.00 am – 1.00 pm
Fri	10.00 am – 1.00 pm

Charity register number: 1128877

TODAY

6.00 pm No Evening Prayer
6.30 pm Thy Kingdom Come
Beacon Event at
Exeter Cathedral

A warm welcome to all, especially those visiting us for the first time. Please make yourself known to Fr Henry, Fr Martin, the churchwardens or the sidespeople, or complete a contact card from the table at the back and leave it in the box.

Large-print copies of the bulletin, service card and hymns are always available from the sidespeople. Gift Aid envelopes are also available. Please ask if you are unsure. A loop system is in place for those who use a hearing aid; set your hearing aid to 'T'.

Pastoral Care Team

Please address all pastoral care matters through the parish office.

JAM (Jesus and Me) and 11-Ups

Our children aged 4-11 and 11-16 respectively are enjoying fellowship together in the hall and will join us later.

We are pleased to have the Rev Tom Carson with us today as our preacher.

10.00 am Music

Entrance hymn 102
Gradual hymn 524
Offertory hymn 116
Communion hymn 595
Recessional hymn 652

Music setting: Inwood et al.

Come Down, O Love Divine
O Thou Who Camest From Above
Come, Thou Holy Spirit, Come
Spirit of the Living God
The Spirit Lives to Set Us Free

Organ Voluntary

Chorale Prelude on 'Farley Castle' (by June Nixon)

Collect

God, who as at this time taught the hearts of your faithful people by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit: grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgement in all things and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Sharing God's love through worship, fellowship and service

First Reading: Acts 2 vv. 1-21

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, 'Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own



native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs – in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power.' All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, 'What does this mean?' But others sneered and said, 'They are filled with new wine.' But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: 'Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: "In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'"

Gospel Reading: John 14 vv. 8-17 & 25-27

Philip said to Jesus, 'Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.' 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"? 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. 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. 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. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it. If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you for ever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you. [...] I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.' them.'

Second Reading: Romans 8 vv. 14-17

All who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, 'Abba! Father!' it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ – if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

Post Communion Prayer

Faithful God, who fulfilled the promises of Easter by sending us your Holy Spirit and opening to every race and nation the way of life eternal: open our lips by your Spirit, that every tongue may tell of your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

This Week

Morning Prayer is said at 8.30 am Mon – Fri

Mon 10th June Matthew 5 vv. 1 – 12

10.00 am Standing committee meets

10.15 am Home Communion

12.00 noon Mass

7.30 pm Social committee meets

7.30 pm Brass quartet rehearsal

Tue 11th June John 15 vv. 12 – 17

Barnabas, apostle

10.00 am Fr Henry at the Old Deanery

12.30 pm Luncheon Club

2.00 pm Outreach: Favourite recipes – with samples

6.00 pm Evening Prayer

6.30 pm Mass

7.30 pm Fr Henry: House blessing

Wed 12th June Matthew 5 vv. 17 – 19

11.30 am Fr Henry meeting with Laura Armstrong

2.30 pm Fr Henry: Reflective practice

5.00 pm Slimming World in the church

7.30 pm Fr Brian's house group

Thu 13th June Matthew 5 vv. 20 – 26

Fri 14th June Matthew 5 vv. 27 – 32

Richard Baxter, puritan, divine, 1691

Start of the parish camping weekend at Yeatheridge Farm

12.00 noon Mass

Sat 15th June Matthew 5 vv. 33 – 37

Evelyn Underhill, spiritual writer, 1941

Next Sunday: 16th June

8.00 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Parish Eucharist for Trinity Sunday

Gospel: Luke 8 vv. 26 – 39

Preacher: The Rev Adrian Hough

6.00 pm Evening worship led by Laura Armstrong

Dates Ahead

Thu 20th June

7.00 pm Corpus Christi: Parish Eucharist and refreshments

Tue 25th June

7.00 pm Licensing of the Rev Jane Frost as Team Vicar at St John the Baptist, Bishopsteignton
7.45 pm Book group discussing *Sisters of Sinai* by Janet Soskice

Thu 27th June

7.30 pm Fellowship: AGM

Sat 29th June

2.00 pm Parish summer fête

Wed 3rd July

3.30 pm Messy Church in the hall

7.30 pm Fr Brian's house group

Thu 4th July

7.30 pm Fellowship: Charity speaker

7.30 pm Fr Brian's house group

Fri 5th July

2.00 pm Craft group

Sun 7th July

4.00 pm Celebrate Together at Mint Methodist Church



What's on at Exeter Cathedral?

• Today at 6.30 pm

Thy Kingdom Come

A beacon event at the end of the global wave of prayer from Ascension Day to Pentecost.

• Saturday 22nd June from 11.30 am

National 12-Bell Striking Contest

Hear the Cathedral bells rung by some of the best teams in the country as they compete for the prestigious Taylor Trophy, have a go on a mini-ring, find out more from the exhibitions, enjoy the beer and soak up the atmosphere!

Exploring Christian Spirituality and Spiritual Accompaniment

A one-year, ecumenical course on one Tuesday per month for those who seek to grow in their own spirituality and to enable others to do likewise.



exploring.spirituality@exeter.anglican.org

Applications by: Monday 15th July

Cost: £100 per term

Exeter University Chapel Choir invites you to enjoy

Music for a Summer Evening

at 7.00 pm on Thursday 13th June in the Mary Harris Chapel.

Free entry and retiring collection. If you will be attending, please reply to Director of Chapel Music, Michael Graham on 01392 725858 or chapelmusic@exeter.ac.uk.

Exeter Repair Café

3rd Saturday of the month

St Sidwell's Community Centre

Are you good at mending things? Or could you help out with administration? You don't have to be an expert but anyone competent would be a great help.

Instead of throwing away household items that are broken, we help people with mending and reusing them.

For more information contact Jude on 01392 424234 or judetm@hotmail.co.uk

Notices

Borrowing and Returning

Only a few copies of the score for our mass settings remain in the church. If you have borrowed a copy, please return it urgently, as the music is expensive to replace but frequently used.

Giving Wisely

If you are considering how to give, please take a leaflet from the back of the church or talk to a member of our finance team.

Parish Summer Fête

This annual event will take place on Saturday 29th June from 2.00 pm to 4.00 pm. To donate items for sale, please leave them in the boxes at the back of the church or in the parish office.

Get in Touch

In your seat pocket, together with the hymn book, you will find a contact card. If we do not already have your details, please fill in a card so that we can keep in touch with you.

Luncheon Club

To be able to continue to provide this weekly service, more help is needed. Could you take a slot on the rota or assist someone else with cooking? Please speak to Rachel Martindill or Sue Pinn.

Space for All

Our car park is very small so please use it on Sundays only if you have limited mobility. Parking is available at Mount Pleasant Health Centre for those who wish to drive, or why not enjoy the sunshine and walk or cycle if you live nearby?

Give Me Oil In My Lamp

Congratulations to Judith Wedgwood who, with the addition of Gift Aid, has raised £847.50 from her recent pilgrimage. If you have not yet done so, it is not too late to contribute towards the fundraising for more oil-filled candles at St James'.