

Calendar for 25th May to 1st June 2025

Sunday 25th May – The Sixth Sunday of Easter

8.00am Said Eucharist (BCP) – **St Peter and St Paul**
Readings: Acts 16.9-15; Revelation 21.10, 22-22.5; John 5.1-9
10.00am Parish Eucharist – **St Peter and St Paul and live on-line**
11.30am Matins – **Little Hampden**
3.00pm Cream Teas and Music – **St Peter and St Paul**
6.00pm Choral Evensong – **St Peter and St Paul**

Wednesday 28th May

9.30am Holy Communion – **St Peter and St Paul**
10.30am Coffee 'n' Share – **St Peter and St Paul**

Thursday 29th May

7.30pm Ascension Day Service – **St Peter and St Paul**

Sunday 1st June – The Seventh Sunday of Easter

8.00am Said Eucharist (BCP) – **St Peter and St Paul**
Readings: Acts 16.16-34; Revelation 22.12-14, 16-17, 20-end; John 17.20-end.
9.30am Holy Communion – **St Mary's Church, Ballinger**
10.00am Parish Eucharist – **St Peter and St Paul and live on-line**
3.00pm Cream Teas and Music – **St Peter and St Paul**
6.00pm Evening Prayer – **St Peter and St Paul**

Further Dates for your Diary (at St Peter and St Paul unless stated otherwise).

Wednesday 18th June, 7.30pm: APCM (see details inside)

STAFF AVAILABILITY:

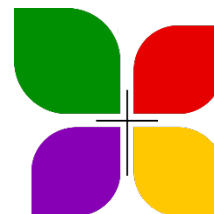
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The Chiltern Foodbank is currently looking for donations of...

Tinned Mixed Vegetables, Tinned Hot Dogs, Fruit in Jelly, Honey, Deodorant, Washing-Up Liquid.

All items must be within BBE date, please.

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St Peter and St Paul, Great Missenden
St Mary's Church, Ballinger
Little Hampden

Helping one another to Know, to Serve and to Share God's love

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Please include in our prayers:

- for our Parishioners to be Christ's ambassadors of love;
- for our plans to appoint a Youth Worker in our Parish;
- for peace in Gaza, Ukraine, India and Pakistan and all the world;
- for those feeling called to serve as Churchwardens or on the PCC;
- for those responsible for the appointment of a new Archbishop of Canterbury.

'Peace I leave 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.'
 John 14.27

Collect

God our redeemer, you have delivered us from the power of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of your Son: grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life, so by his continual presence in us he may raise us to eternal joy; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion

God our Father, whose Son Jesus Christ gives the water of eternal life: may we thirst for you, the spring of life and source of goodness, through him who is alive and reigns now and for ever.

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News and Events

Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) and the Meeting of Parishioners

****Please note change in venue****

Our APCM will take place on 18th June, 7.30pm at St Peter and St Paul, *not* in the Oldham Hall. All are welcome to attend.

Cream Teas will be accompanied by music from Allsorts (Saxophones) this week.

Parish Office Hours until 25th May. The office will be working on a reduced schedule in this time of transition. The office will be open Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 10am – 11.30am.

Eco Tip for May. Say no to the mow. Mowing your lawn less and letting parts grow long saves you time and helps give nature a home. If you want to make an even bigger impact on wildlife, wait to mow your lawn or a section of it until August to support even more animals.

Friends of Great Missenden Parish Church (Regd. Charity No.: 1067435).

- **A Date for your Diary: Saturday 14th June**, 2.30pm in the Parish Church – Talk & Tea fundraising event, 'Seriously Seeking Sybil', the ghost at Hampton Court Palace. A talk by Sam Hearn, Trustee of the John Hampden Society. Sybil Penne was nurse and tutor to King Edward VI and Lady of the Bedchamber to his sisters, Queen Mary and Queen Elizabeth. A full afternoon Tea and Raffle follow the talk. Tickets are now available at Samways in Station Approach. It would greatly help catering if you would buy them in advance, please!
- **Are you planning a party or wedding?** A member of the "Friends" charity has kindly donated: 97 x 9.5" white plates; 52 x white napkins, 20" square; 26 small water glasses and 17 larger water glasses. Please contact Vivienne if you are interested: 01494 891 312 / avd@davis.f9.co.uk

Great Missenden School Wishlist. Please can you consider supporting the school by donating through its Amazon Wishlist: <http://tinyurl.com/mryzhna3> Your contributions help to provide resources and materials for the children. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

In need of a breath of sea air? Much loved, perfectly situated and very well-equipped, one-bedroomed flat available. Less than ten minutes' walk from Freshwater Bay and close to the downs in a fascinating and historic part of West Wight. Interested? If so, do give me a ring: 07879 427 370. Karen Butler.

Beyond Difference – Reflections on Faith and Leadership. This talk will take place on Sunday 15th June, 2.00pm - 4.00pm at Chesham Town Hall. Further details can be found at <https://beyonddifference.org/#upcoming-events>

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