

## St John's Church Sponsor a Date 2022

Please can you help us with the daily running costs of our beautiful and historic building? **Choose a date, eg birthday, anniversary or special day, contribute £30 and phone, email or complete an application form.**

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Thank you Jacquie Hall

This month we pray for and thank:

Nicki Sandeman	9 <sup>th</sup> May
John and Margaret Barker	11 <sup>th</sup> May
Tony and Naomi Thorp	18 <sup>th</sup> May
Nicki Edwards	27 <sup>th</sup> May
John and Margaret Barker	30 <sup>th</sup> May
Susan Morgan	30 <sup>th</sup> May

## Ukulele Singalong & Cream Teas

**Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> May, 2.30 pm until 5.00 pm**

**Church House & Garden**

**£5.00 all inclusive**

**in aid of St Peter's Church, Goathill**

Grateful thanks to the Sherborne Ukulele Group

## CAKE APPEAL for Village Jubilee Fete

The Events Committee have been asked to provide cream teas and cakes at the Village Fete on **Saturday June 4<sup>th</sup>**.

If you can make a cake, please talk to Anne Briggs 251000 or Sandra Nichols 250725

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NB Their well-deserved day off is SATURDAY

# Pew News

Milborne Port, Milborne Wick, Goathill, Charlton  
Horethorne and Stowell.

## Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2022

### Forthcoming Services

**Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> May 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**

*Acts 16.16 - 34; John 17.20 - end*

10.30 am Benefice Holy Communion Charlton  
Horethorne

**Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> June**

10.30 am Midweek Communion Milborne Port

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June Pentecost + Platinum Jubilee**

*Acts 2. 1 - 21; John 14. 8 - 17*

9.00 am Holy Communion Charlton  
Horethorne

10.30 am Holy Communion Milborne Port

6.00 pm Evensong Stowell

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> June**

10.30 am Midweek Communion Milborne Port

### Diary Dates

**Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> May**

2.30 – Ukulele Singalong Church House,  
5.00 pm and Cream Tea Milborne Port

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June**

12 - 2.30 Church Jubilee BBQ Church House,  
pm Milborne Port

**Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> June**

2 - 5 pm Open Gardens Milborne Port  
with Cream Teas

**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> July**

2 pm Summer Fete and Church Lawn,  
onwards Grand Draw Milborne Port

### Platinum Jubilee Barbecue

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June, Church House 12 - 2.30 pm**

Entry by ticket **£10**. Bring your own drinks

**See list at back of Church**

### Open Gardens

**Saturday June 11<sup>th</sup> 2 - 5pm**

Come and enjoy some of the gardens of the village followed by a cream tea.

**Tickets £6, in aid of St John's Church**

**Do you know someone who would like Communion brought to them at home? If so, please let one of the retired clergy or Churchwardens know and someone will visit them.**

# Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2022

## 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

### Collect

Risen, ascended Lord, as we rejoice at your triumph, fill your Church on earth with power and compassion, that all who are estranged by sin may find forgiveness and know your peace, to the glory of God the Father.

### Readings

#### **Acts 16.16-34**

One day, as we were going to the place of prayer, we met a slave-girl who had a spirit of divination and brought her owners a great deal of money by fortune-telling. <sup>17</sup> While she followed Paul and us, she would cry out, 'These men are slaves of the Most High God, who proclaim to you a way of salvation.' <sup>18</sup> She kept doing this for many days. But Paul, very much annoyed, turned and said to the spirit, 'I order you in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her.' And it came out that very hour.

<sup>19</sup> But when her owners saw that their hope of making money was gone, they seized Paul and Silas and dragged them into the market-place before the authorities. <sup>20</sup> When they had brought them before the magistrates, they said, 'These men are disturbing our city; they are Jews <sup>21</sup> and are advocating customs that are not lawful for us as Romans to adopt or observe.' <sup>22</sup> The crowd joined in attacking them, and the magistrates had them stripped of their clothing and ordered them to be beaten with rods. <sup>23</sup> After they had given them a severe flogging, they threw them into prison and ordered the jailer to keep them securely.

<sup>24</sup> Following these instructions, he put them in the innermost cell and fastened their feet in the stocks.

<sup>25</sup> About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. <sup>26</sup> Suddenly there was an earthquake, so violent that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened and everyone's chains were unfastened. <sup>27</sup> When the jailer woke up and saw the prison doors wide open, he drew his sword and was about to kill himself, since he supposed that the prisoners had escaped. <sup>28</sup> But Paul shouted in a loud voice, 'Do not harm yourself, for we are all here.' <sup>29</sup> The jailer called for lights, and rushing in, he fell down trembling before Paul and Silas. <sup>30</sup> Then he brought them outside and

said, 'Sirs, what must I do to be saved?' <sup>31</sup> They answered, 'Believe on the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household.' <sup>32</sup> They spoke the word of the Lord to him and to all who were in his house. <sup>33</sup> At the same hour of the night he took them and washed their wounds; then he and his entire family were baptized without delay.

<sup>34</sup> He brought them up into the house and set food before them; and he and his entire household rejoiced that he had become a believer in God.

#### **John 17.20-end**

'I ask not only on behalf of these, but also on behalf of those who will believe in me through their word, <sup>21</sup> that they may all be one. As you, Father, are in me and I am in you, may they also be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. <sup>22</sup> The glory that you have given me I have given them, so that they may be one, as we are one, <sup>23</sup> I in them and you in me, that they may become completely one, so that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me. <sup>24</sup> Father, I desire that those also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory, which you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world.

<sup>25</sup> 'Righteous Father, the world does not know you, but I know you; and these know that you have sent me. <sup>26</sup> I made your name known to them, and I will make it known, so that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them.'

#### **Post Communion Prayer**

Eternal God, giver of love and power, your Son Jesus Christ has sent us into all the world to preach the gospel of his kingdom: confirm us in this mission, and help us to live the good news we proclaim; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### **FOODSHARE @ St John's**

Thank you very much to all who have donated gifts of non-perishable food, household products, hygiene items, etc for us to offer people who come to the distribution sessions in Church House. These gifts are still vital although we are now also being supported by Sherborne Foodbank who are supplementing our stocks.

**We now really need more volunteers**, either to collect from the Coop or to help with distribution or both. If you are interested, please contact

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