

Parish Giving Scheme (PGS)

This is a new and easy way to give money direct to your parish.

To find out more, talk to Rev Rona or Nicki Edwards, or go to:

<https://www.parishgiving.org.uk> and look for your parish.

St John's Church Sponsor a hymn.

Dates now available for May-August

If you would like to sponsor a hymn, there is a new signup sheet, and some donation envelopes at the back of St John's Church.

Please give the completed envelope to David Johnson

If more than one person likes the same hymn, that is fine.

Suggested donation: £5

Get ready for DUCK RACING!

MONDAY 6 TH MAY

From **2.00 pm to 4.30 pm** at **The Mill, Goathill**

£1 a duck

Cream Teas available.

'Exstreamly' good fun!!

All proceeds will go towards the upkeep of St Peter's Church, Goathill

Keeping in Touch

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Vergers for St John's: Ronnie and June Goodman

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Pew News

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

April 2024

Services

Wednesday 3 April

10:30am Holy Communion Milborne Port

Sunday 7 April 2nd Sunday of Easter

Acts 4:32-35, John 20:19-31

9:00am Holy Communion Charlton
Horethorne

10:30am Parish Communion Milborne Port

6:00pm Evensong Stowell

Wednesday 10 April

10:30am Holy Communion Milborne Port

Sunday 14 April 3rd Sunday of Easter

Acts 3:12-19, Luke 24:36b-48

9:00am Holy Communion BCP Goathill

10:30am Parish Communion Milborne Port

12:00pm Baptism of Violet Milborne Port

6:00pm Evensong Charlton
Horethorne

Wednesday 17 April

10:30am Holy Communion Milborne Port

Saturday 20 April

10:00am Community Milborne Port
Thanksgiving Service

Sunday 21 April 4th Sunday of Easter

Acts 4:5-12, John 10:11-18

9:00am Holy Communion Milborne Wick

10:30am Family Service with Milborne Port
Baptism

6:00pm Holy Communion Charlton
Horethorne

Wednesday 24 April

10:30am Holy Communion Milborne Port

Sunday 28 April 5th Sunday of Easter

Acts 8:26-40, John 15:1-8

10:30am Holy Communion Milborne Port

6:00pm Evensong, followed Goathill
by APCM

Wednesday 1 May

10:30am Midweek Milborne Port
Communion

April 2024

Sunday 5 May 6th Sunday of Easter

Acts 10:44-end, John 15:9-17

9:00am	Holy Communion	Charlton Horethorne
10:30am	Holy Communion	Milborne Port
6:00pm	Evensong	Stowell

Wednesday 8 May

10:30am	Midweek Communion	Milborne Port
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Thursday 9 May Ascension Day

7:00pm	Deanery Service (all welcome)	Milborne Port
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****Diary Dates****

Saturday 20 April

3:00pm	Milborne Port APCM with tea	Church House Milborne Port
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Sunday 21 April

6:00pm	Charlton Horethorne APCM (after shortened Communion service)	St Peter & St Paul, Charlton Horethorne
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UKULELE SINGALONG and CREAM TEAS

Sunday 19th May

Doors Open 2.00 pm to start at 2.30pm

Church House/Gardens,

Next to St John's Church

Bathwell Lane, Milborne Port

Enjoy listening to, and singing along
with our great Ukulele Group

£5 per person INCLUDING A CREAM TEA!

(at approximately 3.15 pm)

*All proceeds will go towards the upkeep of St
Peter's Church. Goathill*

St John's Church Sponsor a Date 2024

Please can you help us with the running
costs of our beautiful and historic building?
Choose a date (s) - birthday, anniversary or
special day, and contact:

Nicki Edwards: nickiedwards19@gmail.com

1st April - John Fanning

6th April – Neil and Anne Briggs

12th April - Tone Higgins

19th April - Jacquie Hall

21st April - Robin and Anne Bawtree

28th April - Stuart and Heather Thomas

29th April - Margaret and John Barker

29th April - Nicki Edwards

Candles for Ukraine

Do you have old candles at home that are
a bit sad and neglected?

They could be put to a far better use
helping to give light, warming up food,
bringing a little hope in the darkness.

Church candles, household candles,
scented candles, nearly used up candles...
any candles will do.

Swindon Humanitarian Aid Partnership

are collecting candles for Ukraine.

They can be melted down to help with
a whole range of things e.g. trench candles
There are collection points in Milborne Port
and Charlton Horethorne Churches as well as
the Parish office in Church House

<https://www.shapuk.org/>

Coffee @ St John's

Coffee is available at Church House after every
10.30 service, but not on the 14th of April.

FOODSHARE @ St John's

Please donate if you can.

**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.

**Coffee, tinned meals and meats, spreads, and
all cereals are particularly welcomed.**

*Please make sure the gifts are in date and
unopened.*

If you would like to volunteer, either to collect
from the Co-op or to help with distribution or
both please contact

Elaine Ennis-Bunt 01963 250221

Charity and Mission

During April 2024 St John's will be supporting
Parkinson's UK.

They provide information and support and
fund research to find new and better
treatments for people living with Parkinsons.

<https://www.parkinsons.org.uk/>