

## DIARY FOR THE WEEK

<b>Tuesday 5th May</b>	5.00pm	<i>LOT at Larchfield Community Centre</i>
	8.00pm	Tuesday Club in the Birinus Room <i>An Evening with John Harrison</i>
<b>Wednesday 6th</b>	10.00am	<b>Eucharist</b> with refreshments Celebrant: Fr Jeremy
	10.00am	<b>Open the Book</b> at Larchfield School
<b>Thursday 7th</b>	9.00am	<b>Open the Book</b> at All Saints School
<b>Friday 8th</b>	10.00am	<b>Tiny Saints Toddler Group</b> in the Parish Centre
<b>Saturday 9th</b>	10.00am	<b>Eucharist of Our Lady</b> Celebrant: Fr Jeremy
<b>Sunday 10th</b>	<b>Sixth Sunday of Easter</b>	
	8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP) Celebrant: Fr Neil Preacher: John Ainslie
	10.00am	<b>Parish Eucharist</b> President: Fr Jeremy Preacher: John Ainslie Crèche & Young Saints
	12 noon	<b>Holy Baptism</b>
	4.00pm	<b>ROCK SHOP</b>
	6.00pm	<i>Christian Aid Service at St Luke's</i>

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## PARISH CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS BOYNE HILL

**Sunday 3rd May 2015 Fifth Sunday of Easter**

*You are very welcome to take this pew sheet home with you to look at the readings, and to remind you of the events taking place. The Bible references are for the Bibles to be found at the back of Church, which you are welcome to use during the service.*

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**8.00am HOLY COMMUNION (BCP)** Collect, N T Reading and Gospel: as below  
**Celebrant:** Fr Jeremy **Preacher:** Elizabeth Bryson

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### 10.00am THE PARISH EUCHARIST & CAFÉ CHURCH

**Service:** *The Parish Eucharist from Easter Day until the Eve of the Ascension*

**Hymns:** *Celebration Hymnal*

**Celebrant:** Fr Neil **Café Church:** Fr Jeremy

Prelude Chorale Prelude "Eventide" C H H Parry

**Opening Hymn** **27 At the Lamb's high feast we sing**

*Café Churchers go to the Birinus Room and  
Young Saints (3 years & over) go to the Parish Centre during the hymn*

### 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.**

O T READING Genesis 22: 1—18 (OT p 18) Anne Clark

N T READING Acts 8: 26—40 (NT p 135) Elizabeth Bryson

Anthem (Choir) Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song Carl P Daw  
(words below)

*Like the murmur of the dove's song,  
Like the challenge of her flight,  
Like the vigour of the wind's rush,  
Like the new flame's eager might:  
Come, holy spirit, come.*

*To her midst as gift and sign:  
Come, holy spirit, come.*

*With the healing of division,  
With the ceaseless voice of prayer,  
With the power to love and witness,  
With the peace beyond compare:  
Come, holy spirit, come.*

*To the members of Christ's body,  
To the branches of the vine,  
To the Church in faith assembled,*

GOSPEL John 15: 1 — 8

Jesus said to his disciples: 1 'I am the true vine, and my Father is the vine-grower. He removes every branch in me that bears no fruit. Every branch that bears fruit he prunes to make it bear more fruit. You have already been cleansed by the word that I have spoken to you. Abide in me as I abide in you. Just as the branch cannot bear fruit by itself unless it abides in the vine, neither can you unless you abide in me. I am the vine, you are the branches. Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing. Whoever does not abide in me is thrown

away like a branch and withers; such branches are gathered, thrown into the fire, and burned. If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask for whatever you wish, and it will be done for you. My Father is glorified by this, that you bear much fruit and become my disciples.'

Sermon	Elizabeth Bryson	
<b>Offertory Hymn</b>	<b>501 I am the Bread of life</b>	
<b>Communion Hymn</b>	<b>623 This is my body, broken for you</b>	
<b>Closing Hymn</b>	<b>184 Love divine, all loves excelling</b>	
Postlude	Prelude in G BWV 541	<i>J S Bach</i>

Refreshments will be served at the back of the Church  
thanks to Barbara Bannister, Gillian Churchill & Sally Gaines

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**6.00pm EVENSONG** led by *Elizabeth Bryson*  
with Sermon & **BENEDICTION** by Fr Jeremy  
Hymns: *Hymns Ancient & Modern*

<b>Opening Hymn</b>	<b>428 Thine be the glory</b>
<b>Psalm</b>	<b>96: page 542</b>
First Lesson	Isaiah 60:1-14
<b>Office Hymn</b>	<b>131 Love divine, all loves excelling</b>
Second Lesson	Revelation 3: 1-13
Benediction Hymn	<b>391 Lord Jesus Christ</b>

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## NEWS

**LOT Larchfield Open Table 5.00pm at Larchfield Community Centre**

**Tuesday Club 5th May 8.00pm in the Birinus Room**

Everyone is welcome to join us as we welcome John Harrison for another of his fascinating talks. **Brenda Illott**

**ROCK SHOP 4.00pm Sunday 10th May in Church** All musicians and singers welcome to join our rehearsal, learning new hymns to play during 10.00am Services. Refreshments served at the end. Please contact me ([ddunford@pupit.com](mailto:ddunford@pupit.com)) for further information. **Christine Dunford**

**Mothers' Union 2.30pm Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May in the Parish Centre**

Exciting news – we are to have an enrolment of several new members, so we need a good attendance. Also, by way of light relief, this will be followed by any members who have brought souvenirs to the meeting, recalling stories attached to these items. Something you might want to save in case of fire! Anything from a well-loved photograph to a teapot, which could be a good start to any conversation! We look forward to seeing you there. **Wendy Channon**

## CHRISTIAN AID WEEK 11th – 17th MAY

The following activities are planned for Christian Aid Week this year; we will have the collection envelopes available in Church shortly for delivery to streets in the Parish and would be very grateful for volunteers to help deliver and collect them.

**Coffee Morning Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> May at High Street Methodist Church**, Your contributions of home-baked goods, chutney, jams and preserves for the 'Home Pantry Stall' would be most welcome.

**Christian Aid Service, 6.00pm Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> May at St Luke's Church**. There will be a speaker from Christian Aid to update us on their work and to specifically talk about this year's theme. The service is an opportunity for us to bring our work to God and ask for his blessing upon it.

**Envelope Distribution**. The house-to-house distribution and collection of envelopes takes place from 10<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> May. Sign-up sheets will be available at the back of the Church next week if you are able to volunteer to help distribute and collect these envelopes. Please do help if you can.

As difficult as it is, you are assured that it does work. Last year's nationwide campaign raised **£12m** of which, 75% came from 'door to door' collecting. Maidenhead's contribution was a fraction under £13,000, another wonderful effort, so well done and again, grateful thanks to everyone who was involved. **Stella Harding**

**ALPHA** Our next Alpha Course will be in the Summer starting on **Wednesday 1st July**. Alpha is helpful for people who want to find out more about the Christian faith, it is an excellent refresher Course and Confirmation preparation. Please sign the list at the back of the Church if you would like more details. **Elizabeth Bryson**

**Summer Fete Saturday 27th June**. Please sign the list at the back of the church if you are able to help in any way. **Chris & Co**

**The Holy Land Pilgrimage 26th January—4th February 2016**

Please sign the form at the back of the church if you would like to take part in this wonderful trip. You will need to complete the relevant forms, but we do need to know numbers.

**Gift Aid** As you will all be aware the church is able to claim Gift Aid on all eligible donations. For your donation to be eligible you must be a UK tax payer. Please could all those that donate regularly either via standing order or the envelope scheme ensure that they inform me if they tax status has changed, so I can adjust our Gift Aid records accordingly. If you have any queries regarding Gift Aid please get in touch. **Peter May**

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