The Parish of Gornal and Sedgley



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All Saints' Sedgley, St Andrew the Straits and St Peter Upper Gornal DOUBLE NOTICE SHEET NOTICE SHEET FOR 15<sup>th</sup> and 22nd May 2022 The Fifth and Sixth Sunday of Easter

## SHARED WORSHIP

This is the link to the weekly Diocese of Worcester Podcast and sermon: <u>https://www.cofe-worcester.org.uk/your-</u> <u>faith/prayer-worship/sermon-podcasts/sermon-podcasts.php</u>

The wearing of face coverings in places of worship is not a legal requirement. For the safety of everyone please sanitise hands on entering and leaving church, wear a mask and keep 1 metre apart. Our services at all 3 churches are open to everyone.

Sunday 15th May 20228amHoly Communion All Saints10.30amTeam Service including APCM and PCC6.30pmCompline on zoom

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> May Holy Communion St Peters 10am

Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	<sup>I</sup> May 2022
8am	Holy Communion All Saints
9.30am	Worship Together St Andrews
10.30am	Holy Communion St Peters
10.30am	Holy Communion All Saints

12.30pmBaptism All Saints1.30pmBaptism All Saints6.30pmCompline on zoom

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May Holy Communion 9.30am St Andrews Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May Holy Communion 10am St Peters Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May Ascension Day 8am All Saints

Sunday 29thMay 20228amHoly Communion All Saints9.30amTeam Service St Andrews6.30pmCompline on zoom

PARISH PRAYERS – usually take place every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 9.15am currently on zoom.

PARISH PRAYER MEETINGS – usually take place the second Tuesday of every month at 2.30pm and the fourth Tuesday of every month at 7.30pm both on zoom.

**THE ANNUAL PARISH COUNCIL MEETING** will be held at All Saints Church today Sunday 15th May 2022 at 11:45a.m. This is an important meeting which you are encouraged to attend. There still remains a vacancy for one PCC member from St Andrew's, so if anyone is interested, please speak to Canon Jan Humphries about it.

## NOTICES FOR THE WHOLE PARISH

**MISSION ACCOMPANIERS** - Dear friends, there is a new initiative in the Diocese to offer parishes the help of Mission Accompaniers. To work alongside parish clergy and teams, to discern new ways that a parish/churches can connect with its community and those who do not know Jesus yet. It will work in a similar way as the Mission Enabler scheme for Children and Young people, where we have been blessed with Helen Laird working with us. The PCC has agreed that this will be something

that would be helpful for the Parish of Gornal and Sedgley to be involved with. The first task is to develop a short Parish Profile, so we can be linked with a suitable Mission Accompanier. The PCC would like to encourage the wider parish to be involved with this initial stage of the process. If you feel called to be part of the small team to develop the Parish profile, or would like to know more about the scheme, please contact Rev Catherine.

## PLATINUM JUBILEE EVENTS - FRIDAY 3RD JUNE -

All Saints' Church will be open from 10.30am. Come and join us to watch the Service of Thanksgiving from St Paul's Cathedral at 11.30am, on the large screen. Read people's memories of Coronation Day and memories of the Queen. Refreshments available.

**SATURDAY 4TH JUNE** - St Andrew's, The Straits, will be open between 10.00am and 12.30pm for 'Tea and Cakes'.

**TUESDAY 7TH JUNE** - Mothers' Union 'Jubilee Cream Tea', 2.00pm in All Saints' Church Hall. Tickets £6 from Liz Williams.

**MOTHERS' UNION MEETING - Tuesday 17th May** Our meeting entitled 'Cruising with Judy' is at 7.00pm in All Saints' Church. All are welcome.

**BLACK COUNTRY FOODBANK -** Our thanks to all of you who continue to donate. Our current shortages are : Long Life Milk (1L), Long Life Fruit Juice (1L), Packets of Mashed Potato, Tinned Potatoes, Vegetarian Ready Meals (Vegetarian Fray Bentos Pies, Vegetarian Chilli Con Carne, Vegetarian Curry), Tinned Meat (Corned Beef, Ham), Small Jars of Coffee, Small Boxes of Breakfast Cereal, Instant Noodles. Thanks from all at 'Springs'

**ASCENSION DAY SERVICE 26TH MAY** - Dear friends, the Ascension Day service will take place on Thursday 26th May 8:00am at All Saints, we will gather at the doorway of the church, to sing the Ascension hymn together, then enter the church for the service. Please be aware we will NOT climb the tower at 7:30 as has been the custom in previous years pre Covid. The service will be followed by breakfast, tea and coffee in church. If you would like to pre order breakfast please speak to Keith Tomlinson by Sunday 22nd May. Breakfast options will be obtained from Greggs in Sedgley (for simplicity of ordering) Sausage breakfast roll £1.95 Bacon Breakfast roll £1:95 Croissant £0.95 Blessings Rev Catherine

**FUNERAL –** the funeral of the late William Roland Guest will take place on the 16<sup>th</sup> May at 12.30pm at All Saints. On the 26<sup>th</sup> May the funeral of the late Christopher John Robinson will take place at 3.15pm All Saints. Our thoughts and prayers go to their families at the difficult time

**ST PETERS JUBILEE SUMMER FAYRE –** will take place Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> May between 10.30am and 1.30pm.

FELLOWSHIP GROUP OUR NEW COURSE, 'SHINING AS LIGHTS' The material comes from the Diocese of Sheffield and it explores what it means to be a Light for Christ and how we might develop a personal Rule of Life. June 2nd, June 9th (no meetings on May 19th and 26th). All of these meetings will take place on zoom.

## CHURCH OF ENGLAND ONLINE RESOURCES INCLUDING SUNDAY SERVICES:

https://www.churchofengland.org/news-and-media/church-online MINISTRY TEAM CONTACTS – Revd Catherine Mitchell -01902 677897 revcatherinemitchell13@gmail.com

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