



# Wimborne Minster

## News and Information

**SUNDAY 15<sup>th</sup> May 2022**  
**FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

<b>8.00am</b>	<b>Holy Communion (BCP)</b>
<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Parish Eucharist</b>
<b>11.00am</b>	<b>Minster Praise</b>
<b>6.30pm</b>	<b>Choral Evensong</b>

Some measures remain in place to control the risk of coronavirus transmission. Please follow any instructions given.

Please do not attend church if you have any cold or flu-like symptoms. Please be thoughtful as we have church members who are vulnerable to infection.

Some **services are being filmed and broadcast** on YouTube, if you do not wish to appear on camera please speak to a Sidesperson about where you should sit.

The 9.30am Parish Communion will be **broadcast live on YouTube**. There is a **link on the website** or search for **Wimborne Minster Official 2022 05 15**

The **Minster Readings and Prayers** and orders of service for the week are available on the website <http://www.wimborneminster.org.uk/publications.html>

### **THIS WEEK**

### **Christian Aid Week**

**The Minster is currently open Tuesday to Thursday 10am – 4pm**

<b>Wednesday</b>	11.00am	Holy Communion
<b>Friday</b>	10am – 3pm	Christian Aid collection on Minster Green
	12.00	Act of Worship on Green for Christian Aid
	5.00pm	Wedding Rehearsal
<b>Saturday</b>	2.00pm	Wedding of
		James Hipperson & Jessamy Pullen

**NEXT SUNDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> MAY 2022**  
**SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)
9.30am	Parish Eucharist
11.00am	Minster Praise
6.30pm	Choral Evensong

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## MINSTER MATTERS

**THE SICK:** *We pray for the sick and suffering: Gill Montia, Marjorie Brown, Fiona, Minna Harvey, Dela Woodcock, Faye Wood, Beryl Sexton, Ann Tame, Cedric and Jill Mogg, Avril Tarring, Frank, Elizabeth Dodds, Miriam Ansell, Gill, Joan Squibb, Dick and Jennie Jones, Joan, Anthony Oliver, Josephine Rutty.*

The **annual Diocesan count** is happening during May. This records the attendance at all our services in May and forms part of the Parish Share calculation. A sheet will be available for you to register your attendance, **please ensure that your name is recorded** each Sunday. Thank you

**Lunch and Chat** takes place every Friday 12.00 – 1.30pm in Church House Lounge. Please come along to enjoy delicious soup, wonderful cakes and friendly chat, and support the Sudan Medical Link.

During **Christian Aid Week 15<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> May**, Gift Aid envelopes will be available on the table at the North door of The Minster. Donations can be put into an envelope and posted through Church House letter box. Christian Aid collectors will be on duty on the Minster Green on Friday 20<sup>th</sup>.

**Dementia Action Week 16<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2022** Dementia Action Week is a national awareness raising campaign and this year it will focus on the theme of diagnosis, and we will be encouraging you to “act on dementia”. There is a lot of support available for sufferers and their carers, but people need to be aware of it. In Wimborne there will be an **information table** in the garden of MED (Museum of East Dorset) from **16<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> May** where there will be leaflets explaining how to get a diagnosis and what support is available in and around the town. There will also be posters and collecting boxes in cafes and in other places where people meet together. Look out for copies of our Living Well magazine that lists all the Dementia Friendly Activities that take place regularly in Wimborne and surrounding areas.

**Mothers' Union** will meet on Thursday **19th May at 2.15pm** in the Church House Lounge when Sarah Wise from the Fair Ground shop in Wimborne will update and remind us about Fairtrade. Come and be surprised at how recycled materials are used! Please bring your blue books as we are going to enrol a new member. Non-members are very welcome.

There will be a short **act of worship** on the Minster Green at **midday on Friday the 20th May** to mark Christian Aid week

Don't miss **Lunch & Chat on Friday 27th May** as the St Michael's Middle School Hand bell team will be there between 12 & 12.30 to entertain you.

HM The Queen's **Platinum Jubilee Weekend**, Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> to Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June in the Minster: **Arts, Crafts, Flowers and Music**. Open Thursday to Saturday 10.00am until 4.00pm, Sunday 12noon until 5.00pm. Usual Sunday Services. Full Peal on the Minster Bells to mark the Jubilee on Sunday afternoon. Street Party Style Lunch on the Minster Green on Sunday 12noon until 2.00pm. Bring your own picnic and soft drinks, this to keep to the local by-law re drinking of Alcohol in Public Places. Coffee and Tea will be available from Church House if required.

**Stewards required** please over the four days of the Jubilee Weekend, to be seated around the Minster. If you can help, please sign the list on the table by the North Door or contact **Christine Oliver on 01202 888703** for more details.

**Many thanks** to all those who supported the cream tea on 1st May. After several generous donations it **raised £450** for the people of Yambio. Thank you.

I have had a **request from Mama Aide for bras**. So if you have any new or only slightly used, please bring them to the Parish Office. Any size will do but "fuller figure" are more common. Thank you, Sheila Soper.

**South Sudanese Bishops visit to Wimborne.** We are privileged to be welcoming Archbishop Samuel Peni from Yambio & Bishop Richard from Nzara to Wimborne Deanery from August 8th - 10th. This is a while away yet, but ++Samuel has already requested reading glasses so if you have some you no longer need, or are able to buy some from the supermarket, I will collect them. Thank you. **Sheila 01202 940285.**

## LOCAL NEWS

**Food Bank** - The items we need most this week are tinned tomatoes, meat meals/curry, tinned spam, tinned custard, tinned rice pudding, jam, long life fruit juice, UHT milk squash, washing pods, shampoo, shower gel. We are so grateful for all your help and support with gifts of food and financial donations. They make such a difference to people facing real hardship. **Sue Slydel 01202 889264.**

Wimborne's **Fairtrade** shop, **Fair Ground**, in the Cornmarket is **OPEN** Monday - Saturday 10.00am- 4.00pm. We look forward to welcoming you.

**Wimborne Community Garden** is now open! To find out more or get involved please visit the site on the old school paddock off School Lane Wednesday 9-12:30, Friday 1-4 or Sunday 2-4.30 or **speak to Rev Nick.**

There will be a **singalong** version of **Mamma Mia** at St Michaels Church, Colehill on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> May at 7.00pm. Let's sing together for Zimbabwe, Ukraine, Afghanistan and everywhere else where the needs are so great. No admission charge but donations to **Christian Aid** welcome.

## Folk Festival 10<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> June

During the Folk Festival (10<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> June) Rev Nick will be running **Children's activities in the Forest Garden** area 1.00 – 4.00pm each day, if you would like to **volunteer to help** run activities please speak to **Rev Nick**.

## Minster Green Charities Fair 11<sup>th</sup> June

- **Volunteers** are urgently needed to help with all aspects of the Minster Green Fair on 11<sup>th</sup> June. **Please sign** the sheet at the back of the church if you are able to help. Thank you.
- **Help needed.** Help is needed to put up a gazebo for the prayer space at the Minster Fair on **11<sup>th</sup> June**. If you can help early morning with setting up or at the end of the day with packing away, please contact Mike Winchester or the Parish Office. Thank you.
- Mothers' Union are going to run a **Tombola** at the Minster Fair on Saturday 11th June to raise money for the MU. Jenny Child has kindly offered to run it but she will **need help** to set up and man the stall during the day. You will be able to sit down! We will also **need prizes!** Please be generous and bring your donations to the May meeting or give them to Jenny in church.  
If you can help on the day or have a prize and you can't come to the meeting please phone Jenny on 01425 470034. Please come and help if you possibly can to support the wonderful MU projects.
- **Minster Fair Plant Stall** 11<sup>th</sup> June 2022 **Organiser needed.** This long-running plant stall supports the Minstead Trust, one of our Minster charities  
<https://www.minsteadtrust.org.uk/> Sadly, Pam Adams, who has ably run this stall, cannot do it this year. **Please can you help?** Please contact Sue Hatherley, Minstead link, on 01202 882861 or [sue.e.hatherley@gmail.com](mailto:sue.e.hatherley@gmail.com)

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