

<b>Activities for the week</b>		
Today	10.00am	Holy Communion
	11.15 a.m.	APCM
Tuesday 17th	7.30 p.m.	PCC meeting in the Choir Vestry
	12.00 noon	Knit & Natter
Wednesday 18th	6.00pm	Beavers
	9.30am	Holy Communion
	3.30p m	PrimeTime: Cook and Eat
	6.30pm	Cubs
Sunday 22nd	7.30pm	Scouts
	10.00am	Holy Communion

### **Annual Parochial Church Meeting**

Today, the Annual Parochial Church Meeting will be after the service. There are vacancies on the PCC for 2 members as well as a Deanery Synod representative and a churchwarden. If you are interested ask a current member for more information. Volunteers for Sidesperson would also be welcome.

### **Thy Kingdom Come programme**

Thursday 26th May	7.00pm	Joint Ascension Day service at St. Saviour's
Saturday 28th May	4.30pm	Opening service for St. John's refurbishment - open to all, but not joint.
Monday 30th May	7.00pm	Prayer walk from St. Saviour's
Tuesday 31st May	7.00pm	Prayer Walk from St. John's
Wednesday 1st June	7.00pm	Prayer Walk from St. Peter's to St. Francis, ending at St. Peter's Vicarage
Thursday 2nd June	7.00pm	Prayer Walk from St. James's
Friday 3rd June	Tba	Jubilee Afternoon Tea at St. Peter's Vicarage Garden
	Tba	Jubilee in the Park, Clayton
Sunday 5th June	Tba	Joint Pentecost praise service at St James'

Also: A midweek prayer group to be organised at St. Peters  
Every evening - Night Prayer on Zoom. Times to be arranged.

### **Please pray for ...**

Wendy Heywood who is having trouble with her heart. She is still having tests and remains cheerful.  
Dennis Shaw who is well but quite lonely.  
Doreen Robinson who is waiting for a cataract operation before her treatment can begin.  
Simon Willis who is in hospital following a stroke.

# Sunday 15th May 2022

## 5th Sunday of Easter

**Service: Holy Communion**

**Hymns:**

**25, 560, 4, 565**

## Welcome to St. Saviour's Church

([www.stsavioursfwg.org.uk](http://www.stsavioursfwg.org.uk))

**Interim Priest-in-Charge:**

Revd Canon Vaughan Pollard (tel. 01274 883000)

**Interim Associate Minister**

Revd Philippa Slingsby-Lunn (tel. 01274 491379)

**Churchwardens:**

Mrs. Grace Studholme;

Mr. Patrick Preston

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**Children in Church**

Children are most welcome to our services.

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**Refreshments.**

**Please join us for refreshments in the hall after the service.**

*Please take this service sheet home with you*

### **Collect of the Day *Easter 5***

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.

### **Acts 11.1-18**

<sup>1</sup> The apostles and the believers who were in Judea heard that the Gentiles had also accepted the word of God. <sup>2</sup> So when Peter went up to Jerusalem, the circumcised believers criticized him, <sup>3</sup> saying, 'Why did you go to uncircumcised men and eat with them?' <sup>4</sup> Then Peter began to explain it to them, step by step, saying, <sup>5</sup> 'I was in the city of Joppa praying, and in a trance I saw a vision. There was something like a large sheet coming down from heaven, being lowered by its four corners; and it came close to me. <sup>6</sup> As I looked at it closely I saw four-footed animals, beasts of prey, reptiles, and birds of the air. <sup>7</sup> I also heard a voice saying to me, "Get up, Peter; kill and eat." <sup>8</sup> But I replied, "By no means, Lord; for nothing profane or unclean has ever entered my mouth."

<sup>9</sup> But a second time the voice answered from heaven, "What God has made clean, you must not call profane." <sup>10</sup> This happened three times; then everything was pulled up again to heaven. <sup>11</sup> At that very moment three men, sent to me from Caesarea, arrived at the house where we were. <sup>12</sup> The Spirit told me to go with them and not to make a distinction between them and us. These six brothers also accompanied

me, and we entered the man's house. <sup>13</sup> He told us how he had seen the angel standing in his house and saying, "Send to Joppa and bring Simon, who is called Peter; <sup>14</sup> he will give you a message by which you and your entire household will be saved."

<sup>15</sup> And as I began to speak, the Holy Spirit fell upon them just as it had upon us at the beginning. <sup>16</sup> And I remembered the word of the

Lord, how he had said, "John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit."

<sup>17</sup> If then God gave them the same gift that he gave us when we believed in the Lord Jesus Christ, who was I that I could hinder God?'

<sup>18</sup> When they heard this, they were silenced. And they praised God, saying, 'Then God has given even to the Gentiles the repentance that leads to life.'

Alleluia! **Alleluia!**

This is my commandment, says the |Lord, that you love one another as I have loved you.

**Alleluia!**

### **John 13.31-35**

<sup>31</sup> During the supper, when Judas had gone out, Jesus said, 'Now the Son of Man has been glorified, and God has been glorified in him. <sup>32</sup> If God has been glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself and will glorify him at once. <sup>33</sup> Little children, I am with you only a little longer. You will look for me; and as I said to the Jews so now I say to you, "Where I am going, you cannot come."

<sup>34</sup> I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. <sup>35</sup> By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.'

### **Post-communion**

Eternal God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life: grant us to walk in his way, to rejoice in his truth, and to share his risen life; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.