

# WELCOME TO ST BARNABAS

with

# CHRIST CHURCH WORCESTER

5th MAY 2024

6th SUNDAY of EASTER

**ARRANGEMENTS** for booking Banns, Baptisms & Marriage: please send us a message through the contact page on our website: [www.stbarnabasworcester.org.uk](http://www.stbarnabasworcester.org.uk)

**PASTORAL TEAM** If you or someone you know would welcome a home visit, please contact one of the churchwardens (details below).

**IF YOU** would like the ministry of prayers/Home Communion please contact Churchwarden (details below). (For example before going into Hospital or in particular illness.)

**CLERGY** are available, either by arrangement, or in church, for confessions, confidential interviews, advice, home visits etc. Please contact us if you know anyone who would appreciate this.

**IF YOU ARE NEW TO THE CHURCH** please take one of our welcome sheets home with you. These can be found at the back of church.

**GIFT AID ENVELOPES** Please feel free to use these but make sure your name and postcode are on them to enable us to claim back tax of 25p in the £.

Priest in Charge:  
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Revd Rosie Moss 07761 691984  
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Rachel Chalmers 01905 458101  
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ASCENSION



Almighty God,  
To whom all hearts are open,  
All desires known,  
And from whom no secrets are hidden:  
Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts,  
By the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,  
That we may perfectly love you,  
And worthily magnify your holy name:  
Through Christ our Lord.

*Amen*

**WELCOME** to everyone in church today:  
you are invited to stay for coffee or tea  
straight after the service.

**5th MAY 2024**  
**6th SUNDAY of EASTER**  
10.00 am Parish Eucharist

**MID WEEK:**  
Wednesday 10am Eucharist followed by refreshments

Church open Sunday to Friday (*closed Saturday*)

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**SCRIPTURE READINGS:**  
10.00am Something Else Sunday  
Isaiah 55:1-11, John 15:9-17

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**NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:**  
10.00am Acts 1:15-17,21-26,  
John 17:6-19

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**FOR OUR PRAYERS**  
Pennie & Stephen, Nick, Julieann, Bill Tansell, Ana, Helen Lubin, Val, Jade, Brian, Robert Slyde, Alan Clark, Anne James, Nick, Patricia Simms, Nick, Raphael, Susan Sumpner, Pam Instan, Linda Day

**WE PRAY FOR COMFORT FOR THE FAMILIES & FRIENDS OF THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY:**  
Wendy Francis, Rebecca Davidge, Jean Emmment, Ruth Coote, Baby Sofia

**AS WE REMEMBER THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OF DEATH OCCURS AT THIS TIME, PRAY FOR ALL WHO STILL GRIEVE FOR THEM**  
Leonard Banks, Ted Williams, Ronald Jones, Norah Allen, Jean Taylor, Ivor Japel, Kenneth Berry, James Stubbs, Ernie Edmunds, Gerwyn Evans, Judith Ford, Lil Strain, Kathleen Lord



**ASCENSION DAY** service of Holy Communion **THIS Thursday** 9th May 7pm at St John Baptist Church Claines with guest preacher Revd Canon Dr Georgina Byrne. *All welcome!*

**CHURCH GARDEN TIDY UP MORNING**  
**NEXT** Saturday 11th May 9.30-11.30—all help much appreciated! Please bring your own gardening tools.

**HELP NEEDED** with Church Inventory on Monday 20th May from 9.30am. If you can spare an hour or so please speak to Rachel or Mary. *Thankyou!!*

**SUNDAY CROSSROADS** continue at 7pm:  
*NEXT WEEK: 12th May:* What does the Ascension mean for us?  
*19th May:* What does day of Pentecost mean for us

**MAGGS FOOD BOX**  
Maggs Centre is now only offering breakfast—the box for donations is kept on the windowsill at the back of church—*these are much appreciated. Thank you*

*Happy Birthday to you  
To Jesus be true  
May God's richest blessings  
Ever rest upon you*