

**Readings for 14<sup>th</sup> May**  
**Sixth Sunday of Easter**

Acts 17. 22-31

1 Peter 3. 13-end

John 14. 15-21

**Hymns**

19 All my hope on God

114 Come down, O Love divine

620 Such love, pure as the whitest snow

503 O Jesus, I have promised

**Collect:**

God our redeemer, you have delivered us from the power of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of your Son: grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life, so by his continual presence in us he may raise us to eternal joy; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

**Readings for Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May**  
**Seventh Sunday of Easter**

Acts 1.6-14

1 Peter 4. 12-14 5. 6-11

John 17. 1-11

**Visiting Ministers this week**

Sunday : Rev. Mark James

Wednesday: Rev. Barry Johnson

**Verse for the week**

Finally all of you, have unity of spirit, sympathy, love for one another, a tender heart, and a humble mind. Do not repay evil for evil or abuse for abuse on the contrary, repay with a blessing.

(1 Peter 3.8)

**St Aidan's Verse for 2023**

Cast thy burden upon the Lord, and He shall sustain thee.

(Psalm 55 v 22)

**Coronation celebration 8<sup>th</sup> May**

54 visitors came to see the tapestry at church and enjoyed coffee and cake in the hall with music at lunchtime.

Thanks to Diane for all her hard work in arranging this event and to everyone who brought cakes and volunteered. Thanks to Gary who put up the tables and bunting. A special thanks to Nicola, her brother Paul, the Brownies, and their parents. £165.00 was raised.

O Glorious God, the whole Creation proclaims your marvellous work: Increase in us a capacity to wonder and delight in it, That heaven's praise may echo in Our hearts and our lives be spent as good stewards of the earth, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

In our intercessions, we are asked to remember those in need: Katharine Watts, Julie Shute, Margaret Taylor, Tony Mabbatt, Stuart Greenway, Callum Turner, Linda Chambers, Kim Herd, Elaine Turner, Lynee Wells, June Hipworth, John and Brenda Mangion, Violet Doyle, Dennis and Jean Pogose, Audrey Pegrum, Lee Jackson, Robert Saint, Anmarie Ayoub, Tammy Bartlett, Helen Bartlett, Muriel Hill, Lydia Petitt., Eunice Walker, Hilda Pipes, Dorothy Brandon, Sue Gray, Steve Sutherland, Barbara Armitage, Andy Omand, Dulcie Moore, Barbara Millard, Stephen Sturrock, Mac McCarthy, Elaine Harris, Kevin Barber, Rob Symonds.



**And those whose anniversaries occur this week** Elvina Savill, Barbara Griffiths, Derrick Luxford We also remember **those living in residential care or housebound and less able to get to Church:** Jean Jones, Betty Burton, Margaret Brooks, Dot Bartlett, Beryl Bristow, Florrie Webb.