

## PEWS NEWS

*Committed to God – through worship, prayer and scripture*  
*Committed to Community – within our congregations and reaching out*  
*Committed to Growth – in discipleship, service and numbers*

One inclusive and extensive  
 Church family  
 Gathering in  
 Three meeting places  
 Around the Woottons  
 Near to King's Lynn

**19<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**

Acts 11.1-18  
 Psalm 148  
 Revelation 21.1-6  
 John 13.31-35

8.30am Holy Communion  
 10.00am Holy Communion  
 10.00am Breakfast at 10

St Mary's Church  
 St Mary's Church  
 South Wootton Village  
 Hall

**26<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

**6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**

Acts 16.9-15  
 Psalm 67  
 Revelation 21.10,22-22.5  
 John 14.23-29

8.30am Holy Communion  
 10.00am Holy Communion  
 and Holy Baptism  
 With Children's Church  
 3.00pm Holy Baptism

All Saints Church  
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### **The Collect for The Fifth Sunday of Easter**

Risen Christ, your wounds declare your love for the world and the wonder of your risen life: give us compassion and courage to risk ourselves for those we serve, to the glory of God the Father. **Amen**

**WELCOME** - If you are visiting us for the first time we hope you enjoy your time with us. If you would like to find out more about any aspect of church life or what we do please ask one of the clergy or churchwardens or visit our website [www.churchinthewoottons.net](http://www.churchinthewoottons.net) and please take this newsletter home with you.

**THIS WEEK**

Monday 20 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Women's House Group
	11.00am	Gathered Holy Communion
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup>	9.00am	3 <sup>rd</sup> TuesDAY
	11.30am	Funeral of Wendy Bontoft at Mintlyn Crematorium
	12 midday-6.00pm	Kings Lynn Men's Shed at unit 7 Bryggen Road, North Lynn Industrial Estate
	7.00pm	Woottons Community Choir at SW Junior School
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	7.00pm	Wednesday Church restarts at the Rectory
Thursday 23 <sup>nd</sup>	8.45am-12 midday	Dropin at St. Mary's Church
	12 midday-6.00pm	Kings Lynn Men's Shed at unit 7 Bryggen Road, North Lynn Industrial Estate
	7.30pm	Homegroup at Half-Acre, North Wootton
Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Holy Baptism of George Alexander Robertson at All Saints Church
	3.00pm	Holy Baptism of Peter Siegfried Kisimir Scolz at All Saints Church

**FURTHER AHEAD**

Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup>	12 midday-6.00pm	Kings Lynn Men's Shed at unit 7 Bryggen Road, North Lynn Industrial Estate
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup>	2.15pm-4.15pm	Mothers' Union Talk by Stella Green at South Wootton Village Hall
	7.00pm	Wednesday Church at The Rectory
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup>	11.30am	Funeral of Patricia Ann Thomas at Mintlyn Crematorium
	8.45am-12 midday	Dropin at St. Mary's Church
	10am-4.00pm	Kings Lynn Men's Shed at unit 7 Bryggen Road, North Lynn Industrial Estate
	7.30pm	Homegroup at Half-Acre, North Wootton
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	10.00am	Women's House Group
	11.00am	Monday Church restarts at All Saints Church
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Holy Communion at Crossroads
	12 midday-6.00pm	Kings Lynn Men's Shed at unit 7 Bryggen Road, North Lynn Industrial Estate
	1.00pm	Memorial Service for Audrey Stevens at St Mary's Church
	7.00pm	Woottons Community Choir at SW Junior School
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup>	7.00pm	Wednesday Church at the Rectory
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup>	8.45am-12 midday	Dropin at St. Mary's Church
	10.00am	Holy Communion at Crossroads
	10.00am-4pm	Kings Lynn Men's Shed at unit 7 Bryggen Road, North Lynn Industrial Estate
	7.30pm	Homegroup at Half-Acre, North Wootton

**RECTORY OFFICE** – W/C 20th May Laura will be in the Rectory Office on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday 9am-12.00 midday

**MONDAY CHURCH** – Monday Church will restart on 3<sup>rd</sup> June at 11am at All Saints! Come along to share food, fellowship, collaborative learning and communion.

**AUDREY STEVEN** – A memorial service for Audrey will be held at St. Mary's Church on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June at 1.00pm and her ashes will be interred at South Wootton Cemetery.

**FRIENDSHIP COFFEE MORNING** – We had a lovely, chatty morning in May hosted by Joyce Peart. We meet from 10.30am to 12 noon on the second Thursday of every month at a different location each time. There are usually around twenty people who gather for a chat and refreshments and they are always friendly, happy events. It is always nice to meet new people so if you haven't been before why not come along next time? On Thursday June 13<sup>th</sup> Tony Kendall has invited us to Home Farm, The Green, North Wootton so if you are free that morning please come along, you will be very welcome. Please let me know if you need directions or you may like a lift, someone to go with or more information especially if it is your first time. Gloria Pantling (01553 671912)

**KINGS LYNN FOODBANK** – emergency food and support for people in crisis. Here is a list of shopping items that can be donated to foodbank, tinned meat, tinned fish, tinned veg, tinned fruit, cooking sauces, Milk (UHT or powered), fruit juice (long life), tinned pudding, jam, shampoo/deodorant, and toilet rolls/shower gel. These items can be dropped off in the church.

**CONGRATULATIONS!** – We offer our congratulations to Roy Featherby and Sera Tansey who were both Confirmed on Wednesday by the Bishop of Lynn. Roy and Sera were joined by other candidates from St. Faith's Church and the Gaywood, Grimston and Massingham Team Ministry. Thank you to the many people who came along to the service to support Roy and Sera.

**DROPIN** - The Dropin continues to be very successful with many people attending each week. We are kept very busy, which is why we are asking for more people to join us in baking, serving, setting up and clearing away. There is a very faithful and much appreciated core of helpers, but it only needs one or two of us to be away and we realise that a bigger pool of staff is necessary. Please consider if you could join us in making the Dropin happen. We have been open for over 5 years now and I know that many folk look forward to this weekly social. Please contact me if you feel you can help in any way or would just like more information. Thank you. Linda

**ARCHDEACON'S CHARGE** - Thanks you everyone who has already sponsored Dan Tansey for the 15k run in the Archdeacon's Charge on 18<sup>th</sup> May, and if you haven't had to chance to sponsor him it's not too late! Jennifer Watts will also be doing the Sponsored Walk on the day so please sponsor her too – it all goes to the same two causes. And please come along for the picnic! It's only up the road at Sandringham, is a great opportunity for us share a fun day out and Dan, Jennifer and others will appreciate your support. It all starts at 10am and entry costs £5. More info on the Diocesan website if you need it.

**ART AND SOUL IS FAST APPROACHING** – We have received more than enough entries for the exhibition so we can be confident that St. Mary’s Church will be full of exhibited art and craft. The deadline for applications has passed and we can’t accept any more exhibits. We need help from many of you during the week of Art and Soul. The exhibition will be open from 10 – 6.00pm for each of the 7 days 17<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> June. We are going to offer tea, coffee and cake throughout the week and we will need 3 caterers to be on duty at all times. Also, we will need an additional person to act as steward. Sign-up sheets are available in church and you will see that we have divided each day into four i.e. 9.30 – 12.00, 12.00 - 2.00, 2.00 – 4.00 and 4.00 - 6.30. In addition, we need people to bake cakes – lots of cakes! Please sign up asap either to cover the sessions or to bake cakes – or both.

**CHRISTIAN AID WEEK 12-19 MAY** - For our part in Christian Aid Week this year, we are asking for donations to be given via the special envelopes you will find in the pews on Sunday 12 and Sunday 19 May. It seems that in every corner of the world there are people in desperate need of our help - please give as generously as you can.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR: -**

- Margaret Murray, Derek Beck, Mary Beck, Ron Butcher, Karen Tripp, Marianne Gascoyne, Dick Webster, Betty Shaul, Sue O’Brien, Sue Threlfall, Marion Peacock and Margaret Green
- The friends and family of Wendy Bontoft and Patricia Thomas whose funeral’s will be taking place soon
- The Baptism of George Alexander Robertson and Peter Siegfried Kasimir Scholz and their parents, godparents, family and friends
- The Art and Soul exhibition in June
- Students at primary and secondary schools doing SAT’s, GCSE’s and A levels
- Everyone affected by Cyclone Idai in Eastern Africa
- Sidespeople and Sacristans
- The world’s response to climate change

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