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### **SCARECROW FESTIVA**

### May view from the Vicarage ...

Dear friends.

Of course, the biggest national event that takes place in May is also the biggest religious event also.

In a service framed by the Church of England and led by the archbishop of Canterbury King Charles III will be anointed and crowned king and he also assumes the title of the supreme Governor of the Church of England.

The anointing of Charles has its roots in the practice of anointing kings in ancient Israel and the oil used in his coronation has been harvested from two Olive groves on the mount of olives in Jerusalem and It has been perfumed with sesame, rose, jasmine, cinnamon, neroli, benzoin, amber and orange blossom but some traditional ingredients derived from animals have been left out and this accords with Charles' views surrounding animal exploitation.

But what does anointing mean? It conveys a blessing from God to equip Charles for the trials and rigours of his role. A blessing I'm sure he'll be needing! In the same way, anointing with oil is part of baptism and confirmation and for the same reason.

Uniquely, the oil was consecrated by the Archbishop of Jerusalem and the Orthodox Patriarch of Jerusalem making it also an ecumenical event and also reflecting Charles' long-standing interest in Eastern Orthodox Christianity (The original faith of his father, prince Philip)

So, quite an event, rich in symbolism with consequences stretching far and wide.

I am certain that most of the country, perhaps the world, will be watching on TV somewhere (The coronation is to be screened live in All Saints church). Even republicans may well be drawn just by the sheer spectacle of it all.

Most of the coronation service is essentially how Archbishop of Canterbury Dunstan originally wrote it for the coronation of the first King of all England King Edgar in Bath Abbey in 973 AD, so when you settle down to enjoy the coronation you are being immersed in history and symbolism, a religious spectacle to just sit down and enjoy.

Martin



If you know of anyone vulnerable or living alone - whether they come to church or not - who would appreciate being contacted, please phone the Raleigh Mission

Community Pastoral Team Leader - Jenny Steele on 443133 or Lynda Bunting from All Saints, East Budleigh on 446731.

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### THE FAMOUS EAST BUDLEIGH 20<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY



### Friends of All Saints East Budleigh

EAST BUDLEIGH SCARECROW FESTIVAL WEEKEND 10/11 JUNE 2023

As mentioned last month, the 20th Anniversary East Budleigh Scarecrow Festival 2023 is fast approaching and will be held on the weekend of Saturday 10th and Sunday 11th June.

On every occasion the festival has taken place it has been incredibly well supported by and we are really hoping that many village residents will have a bit of fun putting together some sort of Scarecrow to display in the village over the weekend. There is no competition so no pressure – it is just great to put on a bit of a show for our visitors giving vent to your creative streak. In the past Scarecrows have ranged from simple to extravagant, funny, topical, satirical and everything in between!

There will be plenty of activities and refreshments to enjoy on both days. Centre of operations will be at the Village Hall where refreshments, including bacon baps and cream teas, will be on sale between 11am and 4pm each day along with a variety of stalls featuring local crafts and activities, cakes, pre-loved books and plants. On Saturday there will be musical entertainment during the day and on Sunday Rock Choir East Devon will be performing.

Early on in the proceedings at 12 noon on both days there will be a Scarecrow Catwalk for all those who would like to dress up as Scarecrows. There will be a prize for the most glamorous Scarecrow and a prize for the Scarecrow you would most like in your garden!

There will be a Duck Race at 3pm in the East Budleigh Brook on both afternoons with cash prizes to be won. There will be a Raffle run over the weekend with great prizes provided by local businesses who are supporting our fundraising event.

Up at the church there will be a display of knitted garments being prepared to send to Moldova with the charity CR2EE. There will also be handbell demonstrations and trial sessions as well as a chance to go up the bell tower to admire the view and try ringing the church bells on both afternoons between 2 and 4pm.

At midday on Sunday the East Budleigh Dog Show will take place up on the Recreation Field and Classic cars and rally cars will be on display in the village throughout the day.

Our event will close with a Songs of Praise service in All Saints Church on Sunday evening.

We would like to put up a display of any photos you can share of the early Scarecrow Festivals up to and including the year 2010. Please let us know on the email address below if you think you can help us out.

We hope there will be something for everyone to enjoy – you may wish to bring some cash so that you can join in all the fun!

We would be very grateful if there are any qualified First Aiders in the village who would be prepared to be available should the need arise.

Please email friendsofallsaintschurch.as@rmcommunity.co.uk if you can help us.

### **SCARECROW FESTIVA**

### Friends of All Saints 200 Club Raffle

The Friends of All Saints, East Budleigh, invite you to join our 200 Club Raffle with a chance of winning a monthly cash prize (£40 first, £20 second and £10 third prize). We hope you might find it fun to be in with a chance to win back your annual investment and maybe more ...... or, perhaps, you might like to buy tickets as gifts for friends or family!

Just send your name, address and telephone number together with payment to the address below:

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#### 200 Club Winners

1st - Mrs Ashby-Crane

2nd - Mrs J Smith

3rd - Mr Bodley-Tickell



#### From the register

April 12th. Funeral of Tony Bennett

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At our April meeting we had an excellent talk from Tony Venning, which focussed on Frank Wild, an Antarctic explorer who was Ernest Shackleton's "right hand man". The talk was enhanced by Judith Venning's super photos of scenery and wildlife taken during the trip she and Tony made to the Antarctic.

Our next meeting, on Thursday 11th May at 2pm, is our AGM. After the formal business we will look at some of our archive of scrapbooks and photos.

Our meetings are on the second Thursday of each month in East Budleigh Village Hall at 2pm and finish around 4pm. We are always happy to see visitors, so do come along and join us.

If you want to find out more about our WI then please contact our President Diana Humphreys via email: dianajeanh@hotmail.com or phone 07768 529352, or look at our website: https://eastbudleighwithbictonwi.org

#### EAST BUDLEIGH & BICTON PARISH COUNCIL

Every four years, our Parish Councillors have to stand down and apply for re-election, alongside any members of the public who also choose to apply. In April, nomination papers were completed and submitted to the Electoral Registrar. Councillors have been informed that they have been re-elected without the need for a ballot. From 5th May 2023, your Parish Councillors will be Derek Wensley, Jim Ferrers, Jim Carter, Kathy Moyle BEM, Angie Canning, Louis Allan and John Tresidder. That leaves us with three vacancies, so if you would like to join them, please contact the Clerk, explaining why you would like to become a Parish Councillor and what you might be able to do in support of residents.

Richard Slade, a well-known figure in East Budleigh, works hard all year round to keep the Football pitch in good order. Recently he replaced all the benches with new ones at his own expense. The Parish Council is extremely grateful to him for this generous gift to residents.

The lights in the village carpark have now been updated with LED bulbs. These will be a little brighter than previously and will switch on automatically if light levels fall. In addition, there have been a few issues with leaks and blockages in the Public Toilets, which we hope will have been resolved by the time you read this.

Judith Venning: clerk@eastbudleigh.org.uk 01395 48915



Photograph of Richard Slade on new bench







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### SCARECROW FESTIVAL





EASTER FLOWERS

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# Watch the Coronation on the big screen

Saturday 6 May 2023 from 9.30am at
All Saints church
Enjoy a free bacon roll!
Coronation expected 11.15am

The King and Queen Consort Camilla will arrive at Westminster Abbey from Buckingham Palace as part of the King's procession, and depart it with an even larger ceremonial procession, the Coronation procession, which will feature other members of the royal family. Afterwards, they will appear together on the balcony of Buckingham Palace to conclude the day's events.

Other Coronation Weekend community events
The <u>Coronation Big Lunch</u>, East Budleigh Street Party on Sunday 7 May
The East Budleigh Big Help Out on Bank Holiday Monday 8 May 2-4pm



### **SCARECROW FESTIVAL**

Our Churchyards...

In days gone by...

When we visit a churchyard today, what comes to mind? If we see only a group of tombstones, then we are missing much that these special places can tell us. Although now quiet and peaceful, they used to be bustling with community events where both religious and non-religious activities took place.

King James the First decreed in 1619 that 'traditional churchyard games' were to be encouraged providing they were held 'in due and convenient time, and without implement or let of Divine Service.' People frequently played games like quoits and ninepins. The church and chapel walls were used to play a game called fives. Even wrestling and cockfighting took place in the north side of the churchyard! (the south side was dedicated to more sacred activities).

There are records of Saxon Moots or parliaments being held in churchyards. Crowds would gather to watch miracle plays and sacred dramas and local markets selling food and crafts were frequently held there.

Beer festivals known as 'church ales' took place and were feasts of eating, drinking and merrymaking. They were organised by churchwardens to raise funds. Archaeological digs have found the footings of structures used for these varied activities.

Many churchyards also have their own unique tales and folklore that add to their charm and intrigue. These stories are yet another fascinating aspect of the riches found in these ancient spaces.

We know that some of these activities took place at All Saints' ... we hope to explore and recount some of these 'days gone by' about our Churchyard and Church during the Churchyard Day on Sunday 4th June.

**Churchyard Working Party** 

Thanks to Jon Roseway for leading the April working party.,

The next three Churchyard Working Party dates are Friday: 19 May; 16 June and 16 July. All are welcome so come and join us and we will find a task to suit you. We start around 10.00 with a coffee break at 11.00 ... biscuits and/or cake as well!

If you can't make a Friday but could spend an hour or two, please let us know and we can find you a suitable task or two.

Do visit and enjoy the Churchyards – wonderfully welcoming, peaceful places for quiet contemplation and mindfulness and a haven for wildlife.

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Clockwise from top left:

- Portrait of a song thrush
- Chiffchaff catches a fly
- Gadwall drake
- Lesser Yellowlegs; a very scarce vagrant bird for this area
- Short eared owl, probably on migration
- Black winged stilt, seen at Seaton but added as another very scarce bird





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#### CAN YOU HELP?

We are always really grateful to our great team of volunteers, which is essential to run our community shop so successfully.

We are still in need of more volunteers to help us fill gaps when people are away. Whether you could spare an hour or so to fill in, or could take on a regular slot — like 3 pm -5 pm on a Tuesday which we currently need to fill — do think about joining our very friendly team.

We can always use offers of help for other jobs, like helping with deliveries or putting out morning newspapers.

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There is plenty more to celebrate this May and June, with the Kings'
Coronation street party and East Budleigh's Scarecrow Weekend, plus
Tiggy's regular 'Community Dish of the Day' evenings, our popular monthly
Music and Quiz Nights and Walt's Cafe's morning treats.

Keep an eye out on our noticeboards, website and Facebook page for details of what we have planned.

#### **Special events and opening times for the Coronation Weekend:**

Saturday 6th May, the pub will be open from 12noon - 11pm.

Sunday 7th May, the pub will be open from 12noon - 11pm, serving food and drinks alongside East Budleigh's celebration street party.

Monday 8th May, Walt's Cafe will be open 10am-12noon and the pub will be open 12noon-11pm.

The village will also be holding a community 'Big Help Out' on the Monday.

Volunteers can find out more from Maria at Walt's Cafe, 10am-12noon and

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Dissatisfaction, anxiety and suffering clouds our understanding of the true nature of existence, and distorts our perception of reality. Meditation helps us to clarify and reorganise our mental processes to gain the full and accurate experience of the true nature of reality. It helps us to focus on the Here and Now, It's a mental training to achieve stability, balance and integration of mind, breath and body; to develop concentration, intuition, self-awareness; to become aware of mental restrictions, emotional stresses and physical aches and pains, and learn to manage and release these negative issues through special breathing techniques and visualisations; to heal your life, your body, mind, emotions; to learn to relax deeply, to regenerate and re-energise; to discover your true self, to connect with the Higher Self, and tap into the infinite wisdom and inner power that is available to us all, to become One.

'Meditating with a few friends at regular times can be a great support towards constancy of practice and development of wisdom. The solitary meditator eventually faces diminishing will-power, as there's often something else to do that seems more important (or more interesting) than watching the breath. Regular group meditation for an agreed duration keeps the participants going, regardless of their flux of moods. (The investigation of these shifts of disposition often yields important insights, but on our own we can find it difficult to persevere with them.) As well as seeing the personal benefits, you can reflect that your efforts are helping others to keep practising.'

Margie Kuyper worked as a yoga teacher and yoga therapy practitioner for 37 years in different parts of East Devon. She retired at the start of the pandemic and moved to East Budleigh where she now hosts a Meditation Group at 4 Pynes Close.

Meditation sessions are free and occur on Thursday evenings from 6.30pm for about 30 minutes duration. There are chairs, foam blocks, blankets, for sitting or lying down. It's easy to fall asleep lying down at the end of the day, thereby losing some of the benefits of meditation. But if you have a health problem that makes sitting uncomfortable, then be comfortable lying down. Participants are very welcome to stay on afterwards for herb teas and discussion.

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### East Budleigh in Bloom

Please put 20 May in your diaries for our PLANT SALE at 2pm at the Village Hall.



We look forward every year to seeing all the wonderful plants that you have grown for us to sell at our Plant Sale to raise much needed funds to keep the village looking colourful. We are also going to be selling garden paraphernalia, so if you have any garden equipment that is surplus to requirements, please think of us.

We shall be providing afternoon tea in the Hall, as well as a cake stall – all cakes gratefully received!

Look forward to seeing you all on 20 May. In the meantime, happy gardening!

If you have any queries please contact the secretary, Jon Roseway, 01395 488739.





We were able to join St Peters mothers union meeting recently to hear Hugh Scudder, one of the trustees of this charity, speak about the aid sent to Moldova and Ukraine via cr2ee. We saw some harrowing pictures of the suffering the people of these countries are enduring.

Our efforts to help seem like a drop in the ocean but with your support by buying the chickens and rabbits we made at Easter, we were able to make a donation of £400 to the charity.

Don't forget, everyone involved is a volunteer, no one is paid so every penny goes to funding the lorries and expenses incurred.



Thank you to all the knitters and the shop and pub who let us sell the charity chicks and rabbits.

Janet

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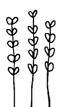
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It does not need to be large or pristine.

Would you help us raise funds by opening your garden?

We would love to hear from you.





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### **SCARECROW FESTIVAL**



### **RSPB** Aylesbeare Common

This is the time of year of early starts, for some of us, and we've just come in from spending the morning surveying some of Aylesbeare common. We do our breeding bird surveys on the commons from early April, although signs of breeding activity and nest building begins in March for many birds. Our surveying takes in several visits per area from early spring to July. You can't miss all the activity going on at this time of year. Heathland birds like Dartford warbler, stonechat, linnet and yellowhammer are all singing and calling and to be seen flitting about or displaying, birds like tree pipit atop a lone pine in full song, the scratchy call of Dartford warbler, so distinctive once you get your ear in, quite a few willow warbler already. On sunny days the lizards and adders may be seen basking or, more likely, their tail end as they slide into the cover.

So please do remember that if you're visiting Aylesbeare common, Venn Ottery Common, in fact all the Pebblebed Heaths at this time of year, to keep your dog under control and sticking to the paths. At RSPB sites we ask you to keep your dogs on a lead, you've probably seen the signs on the entry gates now. We ask this from 1st March until 31st July – this is the key breeding period for wildlife and here on the heaths we have a great many species which nest on the ground, their only defence being camouflage. It's not so much that your dog may attack a nest or bird, but that it may deter birds from choosing these areas for nests. Dogs look like predators to wildlife. It is actually a requirement under the Countryside Rights of Way Act to keep dogs under close control on open access land during these next 5 months, as well as whenever there is livestock present. So please be mindful.

We have now completed a new section of fence on Manor common, using staff and our volunteers, many of whom learned their fencing skills when we put in the fence that surrounds Aylesbeare common. We have completed the roadside edge and up about 20m up each side and at some point in the future we will be going the whole way round the perimeter to enable us to graze the whole site and we have cleared the way for this. It's been a big endeavour this winter but we're very pleased to have achieved all we have and really looking forward to being able to manage the site from now on.

Going around the sites for our breeding bird surveys throws up all sorts of work that needs doing, be it habitat related (that patch of scrub there), or infrastructure, fencing, issues with paths and water channelling, and so we have much to get on with now: the busy winter period of work on the reserve may have come to an end but it's always hard to draw breath before it all gets going again. We have a lot of projects and sites on the go and it's an exciting time. If you think you would be interested in volunteering with us, do get in touch. Much of it is hard work so be prepared if it's work parties you're interested in, but if you have DIY/engineering skills or interest in helping us to manage our workshop, that sort of thing, we've had quite a few people through the years join us in more unconventional volunteering roles and they've been invaluable.

Please enjoy the wildlife, try to stick to paths and celebrate how fortunate we are to visit or work in this National Nature Reserve. The Pebblebed Heaths celebrates two years of being an NNR in May, and it's just a reminder what a special habitat this is.

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Now that Spring is here, we have been able to take our learning outside.

Kingfishers enjoyed acting out the circulatory system on the playground. They learned the importance of the two sides of the heart and how blood is pumped around the body and to the lungs to receive more oxygen.











Dragonfly Class have been exploring shadows in the sunny weather. They wanted to find out how much their shadows changed in the sun in just one hour.











Otter's Class loved their first visit up to the allotment this term. The children planted out the broad beans they had grown from seed and their sunflower seedlings. They put in some sugar snap pea seed and watered everything well. They explored the allotment and learnt about all the new plants, fruit bushes, trees and hedgerows that have been planted. We would like to thank all the parents who have worked so hard to get it ready for us to use.











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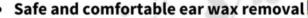


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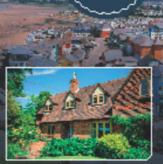
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### OVA Walks Programme for March 2023

Please check the OVA website (www.ova.org.uk) for additional walks and on the day of the walk, in case of last-minute changes.

Thursday 4 May - 10.00am - 5.5 miles. 3 hours.

'Bystock and Bluebells'

Meet: Dalditch Farm, north of Knowle, near Budleigh Salterton (OS115, SY 047 836) From Dalditch we will walk alongside Squabmoor Reservoir to Bystock Nature Reserve, returning via Wheathill Plantation and Shortwood Common, where we hope to see some bluebells. No severe hills but there could be mud in places if it has rained. We will break for coffee, so bring a flask. Walk Leader: Ross Hussey: rdandamhussey@hotmail.com or 01395 227991

Tuesday 9 May - 10.15am start - 7 miles

'Sidmouth Tree Trail & Salcombe Regis Walking Trail'

Meet: Sidmouth Triangle. Catch 157 bus (Budleigh Salterton 9.23) arriving at Sidmouth Triangle for a 10.15 start.

Gentle but undulating and sustained walk along these two trails spotting the many interesting trees. About 4 hours with retail opportunities at the end. Please bring packed lunch for cliff top stop, camera, and your well-thumbed copy of the eye-spy book of British trees or equivalent.

Walk Leaders: Iain Ure & Dee Woods 01395 568822 / 07597 921007

Saturday 20 May - 10.00am - 6 miles.

'Otter Valley Old & New'

Meet: East Budleigh CP (OS115, SY 065 849)

A 6-mile circular walk following some ancient and some very new paths in the Otter Valley. Bring your own hot drink or buy one from Otterton Mill.

Walk Leader: Steve Hagger 01395 442631

Tuesday 30 May - 10.00am - 6.75 miles

'A Bimble in the Blackdowns'

Meet: Chardstock Community Hall, EX13 7BJ. (OS 116, ST 312 042) Chardstock, Burridge, Bounds Lane and Hook. Bring a picnic.

Walk Leaders: Paul and Fran Dike 01297 20695 / 07977 057546

Friday 2 June – 10.00am – about 7 miles.

'Not quite the 100 acre wood' but parking at Eeyore's place!

Meet: Donkey Sanctuary

Walk details to follow. Please see OVA website.

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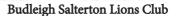
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### **SCARECROW FESTIVA**





Lions Clubs' Message in a Bottle (known within Lions as MIAB) is a simple but effective way for people to keep their basic personal and medical details where they can be found in an emergency on a standard form and in a common location – the fridge.

Recently Budleigh Salterton Lions Club President Richard Allen and Lion Anthony Alton delivered six MIABs to Linda Wood, Development Manager at Admirals Court, a retirement housing complex in Exmouth.

Message in a Bottle helps emergency services personnel to save valuable time in identifying an individual very quickly and knowing if they have any allergies or take special medication.

Paramedics, police, fire-fighters and social services support this Lions life-saving initiative and know to look in the fridge when they see the Message in a Bottle stickers, supplied. The initiative provides peace of mind that prompt and appropriate medical assistance can be provided, and next of kin / emergency contacts can be notified.

More than 6 million Message in a Bottle kits has been distributed by Lions Clubs in the British Isles to people with conditions such as diabetes, allergies, disabilities and life-threatening illnesses.

Clubs are able to provide Message in a Bottle within their local communities free of charge thanks to fund-raising and generous donations from the public and businesses. It is not just vulnerable people who benefit from Message in a Bottle. Anyone with health conditions could have an accident at home.

The Message in a Bottle kit includes a form, where personal and medical information is detailed. This is placed in the bottle (with its distinctive green branding), which is stored in the fridge. Two stickers are provided: one for the fridge door and the other for the inside of the front door of the premises.



How to obtain a Message in a Bottle:

Members of the public and other organisations can obtain a free Message in Bottle kit by contacting their local Lions Club, www.budleighlions.com or emailing bslionsclubsecretary@gmail.com.

You can also pick up a free Budleigh Lions MIAB from the Budleigh Salterton Medical Centre or from the reception at Seachange on the East Budleigh Road.

If you enjoy volunteering and helping to support the local community why not join us?! Budleigh Salterton Lions Club currently has members who live in Budleigh, Otterton, East Budleigh and Exmouth. The Club has welcomed several new members over the last three years. Membership to the Lions Club is open to men and women of all ages.

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### Services in the Raleigh Mission Community - May 2023

Date	Time	St Peters	All Saints	Otterton
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Tuesday 2nd	9.30		Morning Prayer	
Wednesday 3rd	9.30	Holy Communion	,	
Thursday 4th	9.30	j		Morning Prayer
Sunday 7th	8.00	Holy Communion BCP		
Sunday 7th	9.30		Holy Communion	
Sunday 7th	10.00	Holy Communion		
Sunday 7th	11.00			Morning Prayer
Tuesday 9th	9.30		Morning Prayer	
Wednesday 10th	9.30	Holy Communion		
Thursday 11th	9.30			Morning Prayer
Sunday 14th	8.00	Holy Communion BCP		
Sunday 14th	9.30		Holy Communion	
Sunday 14th	10.00	Holy Communion		
Sunday 14th	11.00			Holy Communion
Sunday 14th	18.00	Choral Evensong		
Tuesday 16th	9.30		Morning Prayer	
Wednesday 17th	9.30	Holy Communion		
Thursday 18th	9.30			Morning Prayer
Ascension Day 18t	19.00	Holy Communiuon		
Sunday 21st	8.00	Holy Communion BCP		
Sunday 21st	9.30		Holy Communion	
Sunday 21st	10.00	Holy Communion		
Sunday 21st	11.00			Holy Communion
Sunday 21st	18.00	Coronation Concert		
Tuesday 23rd	9.30		Morning Prayer	
Wednesday 24th	9.30	Holy Communion		
Thursday 25th	9.30			Morning Prayer
Sunday 28th	8.00	Holy Communion BCP		
Sunday 28th	9.30		Holy Communion	
Sunday 28th	10.00	Holy Communion		
Sunday 28th	11.00			Holy Communion
Tuesday 30th	9.30		Morning Prayer	
Wednesday 31st	9.30	Holy Communion		
June				
Thursday 1st	9.30			Morning Prayer
Saturday 3rd	15.00		Wedding Bryars/Turn	er
Sunday 4th	8.00	Holy Communion		
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