The Parish of Brize Norton
St Britius Church
News Sheet — April 2024

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Services:



Wednesday 3 April -7.00pm Holy Communion (Rev. Ian & Carol)

Sunday 7 April – Second Sunday of Easter (Rev. Barry) **9.15am** Holy Communion, *Readings: Acts 4. 32-53, John 20. 19-end*

Wednesday 10 April -7.00pm Holy Communion (Rev. Katie)

Sunday 14 April – Third Sunday of Easter (Rev. Drew & Billie) **9.15am** Holy Communion. *Readings: Acts 3. 12-19, Luke 24, 36b-48* **Annual Parochial Church Meeting after service**

Wednesday 17 April - 7.00pm Holy Communion (Carol & Rev. Ian)

Sunday 21 April – Fourth Sunday of Easter (Rev. Katie & Lyndsay) **9.15am** Holy Communion, *Readings: Acts 4. 5-12, John 10. 11-18*

Wednesday 24 April - 7.00pm Holy Communion (Rev. Drew)

Sunday 28 April - Fifth Sunday of Easter (Rev. Drew)
9.15am Holy Communion, Readings: Acts 8. 26-end, John 15.1-8

Wednesday 1 May - 7.00pm Holy Communion (Rev. Drew)

Sunday 5 May – Sixth Sunday of Easter (Rev. Drew)
9.15am Holy Communion, Readings: Acts 10.44-end, John 15.9-17

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Lay Ministers: Lyndsay Baker <u>layminister@stjohnschurchcarterton.org.uk</u> and Billie Tweedy

Churchwardens: Dr Phil Holmes 01993 843856 p.holmes@brizenorton.org

Rosalind Sewell 01993 843418 rossie.sewell@googlemail.com (Contact for Baptisms)

Anniversaries this month: Mabel Coldman, Elsie Wiggins, John Oates, Valerie Cusack, Elsie Betts, Jennifer Haslam, Ridley Mackintosh-Smith, George Jackson, Kim Neal, Doris Bartlett, Arthur Woodley, Keith Drinkwater, Lesley Willis, Gwendoline Bown, Agnes Thorne, Joe Pinniger



Happy Birthday: to Joy for 1 April and Deanna for 7 April

<u>Prayers:</u> This month please pray especially for Sandy Bain, Dave Bignell, Len Duke, Bette Holmes, Rev Ian and Rev James and Lily-May Roberts. Special prayers have been requested by the family of Janet Simpson. Please pray for the Simpson/Stewart family following the death of Jill, aged 43.



Monthly Prayer Meeting: Thursday 18 April 9.45am at St John's. This is the 3rd Thursday of each month and is currently at St John's each month.

<u>Pilgrim Lunch:</u> Come along to church on a **Tuesday**, for fellowship and a chat over lunch, **12:00-1:00pm**, Please bring your own picnic style lunch and maybe something to share. Contact Phil Holmes 01993 843856 for more information.



Firewalk: Billie and Lyndsay both completed their Firewalks. Congratulations to them. Please remember to pay your sponsor money to Carolyn or Rossie. It is not too late to sponsor Billie in aid of our church.





<u>Our APCM:</u> will be on **Sunday 14 April** after the morning service. If you would like to find out about being on the PCC, please speak to Drew, Phil or Rossie as there is room for another member. If you are not on the electoral roll and would like to be, please speak to Rosemary.

<u>Annual Village Meeting:</u> Tuesday 28 May 7.30pm in the Elder Bank Hall. We are looking for a couple of people to help serve refreshments, in return the Parish Council make a donation to church. Please see Carolyn if you can help

<u>Village Gardens Open:</u> Sunday 23 June. Please put this in your diary. We are serving teas and cakes and Carolyn would greatly appreciate your help.

<u>Warm Space with Soup Lunch:</u> At St John's, Wednesday 3 April and 17 April, 10.30am – 12.30pm.

For other events at St John's go to www.stjohnschurchcarterton.org.uk
For events at St Mary's go to www.blackbourton.org.uk/our-church