

## Calendar for 31st May to 7th June

### Sunday 31st May – Trinity Sunday

- 8.00am** Said Eucharist (BCP) – **St Peter and St Paul**  
Readings: Isaiah 40.12-17, 27-end; 2 Corinthians 13.11-end; Matthew 28.16-end.
- 10.00am** Parish Eucharist – **St Peter and St Paul and live online**  
**3.00pm** Cream Teas and Music – **St Peter and St Paul**

### Wednesday 3rd June

- 9.30am** Holy Communion – **St Peter and St Paul**  
**10.30am** Coffee 'n' Share – **Abbeyfield**

### Sunday 7th June – Trinity 1

- 8.00am** Said Eucharist (BCP) – **St Peter and St Paul**  
Readings: Hosea 5.15-6.6; Romans 14.13-25; Matthew 9.9-13, 18-26.
- 9.30am** Said Eucharist with hymns, followed by refreshments to which all are welcome – **St Mary's Church, Ballinger**
- 10.00am** Parish Eucharist – **St Peter and St Paul and live online**  
**3.00pm** Cream Teas and Music – **St Peter and St Paul**  
**6.00pm** Evening Prayer – **St Peter and St Paul**

### Future Dates for your Diary (at St Peter and St Paul unless stated)

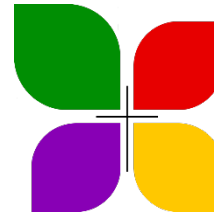
- Saturday 13th June, 2.30pm:** FGMPC Talk & Tea Event (see details inside)  
**Friday 26th June, 10.30am-11.30am:** Coffee Morning at St Mary's Church, Ballinger to which all are welcome.  
**Saturday 27th and Sunday 28th June, 12-5pm:** Sun, Sea and Summer Flower Festival.

### Live-Streaming of our Services

Many of our 10am services are streamed live. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Vicar or Safeguarding Officer (details below).

#### **STAFF AVAILABILITY:**

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**St Peter and St Paul, Great Missenden**  
**St Mary's Church, Ballinger**  
**Little Hampden**

**Helping one another to Know, to  
Serve and to Share God's love**

### **Sunday 31st May – Trinity Sunday**

Please include in our prayers:

- for the soul of Bruce Chalmers, Malcolm's brother, who died on Tuesday 26th May in Vietnam;
- for all the First Holy Communion candidates who will be admitted on Sunday 7th June, the Feast of Corpus Christi;
- for peace throughout the world, that peace which passes all understanding;
- for our confirmation candidates who are to be confirmed on Sunday 14th June at Wendover;
- for our PCC members who will be formally admitted on Sunday 7th June.

Jesus said, 'Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'

Matthew 28.19-20

### **Collect**

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity and in the power of the divine majesty to worship the Unity: keep us steadfast in this faith, that we may evermore be defended from all adversities; 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.

### **Post Communion**

Almighty and eternal God, you have revealed yourself as Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and live and reign in the perfect unity of love: hold us firm in this faith, that we may evermore rejoice in your eternal glory, who are three Persons yet one God, now and for ever.

### The Vicar writes...

Matthew's Gospel this morning, places the invocation of the Trinity at the heart of mission and ministry: mission belongs to God, and is the church's outworking of the divine revelation in the world. Baptism is a key part of this mission, as the way that new Christians are called to their new identity in God. Teaching follows on from baptism as new believers are formed individually and communally into the likeness of Christ, continuing his work in the world.

(Based on Matthew 28.16-20.)

### News and Events

**Malcolm and Janet** are very grateful for the condolences and kind messages they have received, as a result of the death of Malcolm's brother, Bruce, on Tuesday 26th May in Vietnam.

**Please pray** for our confirmation candidates who will be confirmed by Bishop Dave at St Mary's Church in Wendover, on Sunday 14th June at 5pm: Vickie, Finan, Alistair, George, Ruby, Mylo, Ross and Ronan.

**Cream Teas** are served every Sunday until the end of September from 3pm-5pm in the Church. Come and enjoy home-made cakes and scones, with music this week from Vintage Brass.

**Tearfund Ebola Appeal.** We are supporting Tearfund's emergency appeal for those affected by the Ebola outbreak in the Democratic Republic of Congo. To donate, please visit <https://shorturl.at/IPYbd> or place your gift in the collection basket on Sunday. Please also keep those affected, healthcare workers and aid agencies in your prayers.

**Flower Festival Cream Tea help:** if anyone is willing to spare a couple of hours to help serve Cream Teas on Sunday morning, 28th June, after the service please speak to Wendy Harris. Many thanks!

**Lighthouse Missenden (LHM) needs a Data Protection Officer (DPO) – can you help or do you know someone who can?** We are looking for a volunteer to take on the role of DPO, as an advisor to the trustees, to take on a number of Data Protection related tasks.

No need to attend Lighthouse week in the summer holidays in person; report to Trustees in writing or in person. Interested? For further information please contact [bettina.gothard@lighthousemissenden.org.uk](mailto:bettina.gothard@lighthousemissenden.org.uk)

Thank you!

**Lighthouse is nearly here (27-31 July 2026), and we'd love you to be part of it.** There are lots of difference ways to get involved this year, including some new roles, and we're always especially in need of Lighthouse Keepers. You don't have to commit to the whole week – even a day or two really helps. If you're not quite sure what might suit you, do have a look at the website.

We're expecting around 750 children this year, and to be able to welcome as many as possible, we do need more helpers across our teams. If you're able to help. Please do sign up – it really does make a difference.

### **Children's registrations now open.**

For more information or to get involved, please visit [www.lighthousemissenden.org.uk](http://www.lighthousemissenden.org.uk)

**Friends of Great Missenden Parish Church** (Regd. Charity No.: 1067435). Fundraising for urgent repairs to this historic building, founded in 1133AD.

- **“An Arts & Craft Country House & Garden in Great Missenden” by Katharine Hersee.** This Talk and Tea fundraising event is on Saturday 13th June at 2.30pm in the Parish Church. Tickets, £15 (inc. Tea), will be available at Samways from 12th May.
- **Jam Jars.** Thank you for kindly recycling jars. There is a large supply now so only the tiny and small jars are required at present.
- **Preserving/Storage Jars.** I have a good supply of 1lb size Kilner and Le Parfait jars if you'd like some for your summer jams and fruit. Contact Vivienne Davis: 01494 891 312.

**The Misbourne School Year 12 Work Experience - Help Needed!** A number of our Year 12 students are struggling to find work experience placements for 1 - 5 June. Work experience shouldn't be reliant on who you know - we would like 100% of our students to gain a meaningful experience to help them understand the world of work and explore future pathways. Please do get in touch if you can assist. Thank you.



**The Chiltern Foodbank is currently looking for donations of...**

Cup-a-soup; Deodorant; Household Cleaner; Jam; Rice; Sponge Puddings; Tinned Chicken; Tinned Corned Beef; Tinned Custard; Tinned Fish; Tinned Potatoes; Tinned Pulses; Toilet Cleaner.

**All items must be within BBE date, please.**

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