

Tideswell Benefice: the Church of England
serving Cressbrook, Litton, Millers Dale, Peak Dale,
Tideswell and Wormhill



August 2026

Sunday services:				
Date & Time	Church			
	St Johns Tideswell	Christ Church, Litton	St Johns Cressbrook	St Margaret Wormhill
2nd August	9.30am Café Church (St Johns Institute – behind the church)	11:15 am Holy Communion	...”	
9th NB Vicar away	9.30am Holy Communion		3pm Café Church postponed until October	6pm Evening Prayer
16th	9.30am Holy Communion	11:15: Café Church		
23rd	9.30 Holy Communion			6pm HC
30th - 5th Sunday	09:30 SAID Eucharist			6pm Songs of Praise

**MORNING PRAYER - EVERY
Wednesday @ 08.30am ,
St Johns Tideswell**

Bell Ringers - practice
every Friday night @
7.30pm – fancy giving
it a go?

Parish pilgrimage –“Mills & Martyrs” is available for anyone to undertake – and a badge to be gained once completed – walking from Tideswell nad across all 4 (5 including St Annes, Millers Dale) of the parish churches. You can join Faye from @Hopewalking for a guided pilgrimage on Wed Aug 29th for a shortened dog friendly walk On National Dog Day – or on Sat 12th September for the full walk. - contact Faye @ hopewalking.co.uk

Our churches are in the process of being designated Pilgrim Places more info to follow later in the summer!

And our pilgrimage & Faye are featured on the BBC Songs of Praise on Sunday 9th August @ 1pm!!

Wedding: *praying with joy for*

Mike Small & Natalie Morgan as they get married in Tideswell on Friday 14th August @ 2pm

Wedding Blessing: Sat 22nd August @ 2pm Kellie and Timothy Nadin

Tideswell Church yard clean up – *come and help – Saturday 8th Aug -09am – noon, Wed 12th 09am –noon – drop in or stay – bring your own tools*

Find us on the Tideswell Benefice Facebook Page..
Andachurchnearyou.com

Coming in September - **The Book of Romans** – a chance to explore this amazing letter written by Paul – over 10 sessions with the course from The Bible Society - *we will be covering the first 6 sessions Sept – October, and then completing in January – you can join in an evening session or a Friday morning one – or speak to the vicar about a different time? Perhaps meet with some friends and the materials... check in Revd Fiona for more information.*

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please do get in touch

NB: the Vicar's day off is *usually* Friday and the Curate is Fridays and the Vicar will be out of the parish between Friday and Sunday 7 – 9th August and the Curate is on holiday until Sunday 16th August .

Enquiries about booking rooms in the St Johns Institute or St Johns
tideswellinstitute@gmail.com

The parish has 3 Church Wardens:

Mrs Gillian Richards -

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For St Margaret Wormhill:

Mr Barry Peirson 01298 871023

Board Game Nights – monthly:

Upstairs in the Institute,
1st August, 5th Sept, 10th
October, 7th November

Mid Week Communion is offered monthly in the Lady Chapel in Tideswell

Tuesdays @ 10am:

**4th August, 8th Sept, 6th Oct,
3rd Nov, 8th Dec**

Mindful Mondays –

usually on the last Monday of the month - 30 mins of quiet– 12 noon in the Chancel at St Johns, Tideswell –24th Aug, 28th Sept, 26th October

Wormhill Well Dressings will be **blessed on Sat 29th August @ 7pm**, followed by a village BBQ, there will a café open the following week each day And a **Songs of Praise @ 6pm Sunday 30th**

Franciscan Peace Pilgrimage

– join the pilgrims...on new roads....



A group of Franciscan pilgrims, including Franciscan friars and sisters, are walking for 70 days [visiting all the Anglican Franciscan houses in the UK] in honour of the 800th anniversary of the death of St Francis of Assisi. www.spiritoffrancis.com They are coming to Tideswell on **Wednesday 12th August**. They are staying overnight in the Institute, where the Vicar is going to provide them with a meal (**any offers of puddings gratefully received!**)

We will then have some time in church that evening so we can meet the pilgrims and hear more about their journeying: 8 - 9pm and compline @ 9pm, you can always join us for Morning Prayer at 08.00am on Thursday 13th as they set off on the next stage... *All welcome.*

MESSY SPACE
a gift from St Margarets Church, Wormhill

Tuesdays
28th, July 11th & 25th August
Wormhill Village Hall
10 – 12, noon

FREE Story, games, craft activities, space,



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Can't make it to church? We are usually able to offer a zoom link for the 9.30am service at St John's Tideswell - please let the Vicar know your email address and she will arrange for your address to be added to the distribution list

Animal Blessing Service –
Sunday 5th Sept @ 3pm.
St Margarets Wormhill

