



The United Benefice of Cudham and Downe

For the sake of others please do not attend if you have any symptoms of Covid19 or other respiratory illnesses.

Welcome to our services

Refreshments are available after the services and we invite you to stay and enjoy meeting others before you go home.

Sunday 28th May – Pentecost

09.30am Downe All Age Service
Kim to lead and preach
11.00am Cudham Holy Baptism (Freddie Barnard)
Please pray for Freddie and his family as we bring him to baptism. Rev Helen to lead, Rev John to preach
Reading: Acts 2: 1-21 at both services



Sorry, no live streaming this week, but you can find previous services via <https://www.youtube.com/pcdchurches>

Pentecost

Holy Spirit, sent by the Father, ignite in us your holy fire;
strengthen your children with the gift of faith,
revive your Church with the breath of love,
and renew the face of the earth,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

NB – *there is no Holy Communion Service this Tuesday, 30th May at St Mary's, Downe – we resume Tuesday 6th June with Rev Helen leading.*

As Ascension Day saw the start of this year's **Thy Kingdom Come 9 days of prayer** do have a look at the TKC website for resources to encourage you in your prayers. The links are - <https://www.thykingdomcome.global/stories/thy-kingdom-come-2023> , and children's material too - <https://www.thykingdomcome.global/cheeky-pandas>



on Tuesday 30th May, 10.30am to 12.30pm including a light buffet lunch at Downe Village Hall, 24 High St, Downe, BR6 7UT. Children, come along and have great fun getting messy! Enjoy art and craft activities on the theme of Pentecost. Don't forget to bring an

adult or carer; they have to have fun too! No charge – donations welcome on the day! Booking required please for catering purposes. Contact Denise Angell on 07957 206901 or denise.angell@virginmedia.com for more details and to book.

Sunday 4th June - Trinity Sunday

9.30am Downe Holy Communion Service
2 Cor 3:11-13; Matthew 28:16-20

11.00am Cudham All Age Communion and admission to communion of Francesca
Matthew 28:16-20

Rev John to lead and preach at both services

Sunday 11th June – 1st Sunday after Trinity

9.30am Downe Morning Worship and prayers for healing
Romans 4:13-25; Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26

11.00am Cudham Holy Communion, prayers for healing and Sunday Club

Readings: Romans 4:13-25; Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26

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Meditation Group - Christian Meditation on Thursday 1st June at 10am in St Mary's. We look forward to seeing you. The group follow the method taught by John Main, an English Benedictine monk <https://www.wccm.uk>

Wednesday Evening Homegroup – next meeting will be on 7th June, 8pm at Sue's (NB: no homegroup on 31st May).

Wednesday Ladies Fellowship at Elizabeth's, Cudham 10.00am – 12.30pm on 7th June. Please contact Barbara at barbiesherb@aol.com for more details.

London to Essex 100 for the NSPCC – James Crawford is taking part in the above race today, the 28th along with 25,000 cyclists, travelling 100 miles from Central London, around Essex and finishing on Tower Bridge! He is raising money for the NSPCC and would be very grateful for any donations you could give! A link to his fundraising page and more information on the event is below. Thank you for any donations.

https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/James-Crawford-Cudham?utm_campaign=lc_fr_share_transaction_fundraiser_page_launched&utm_content=66bc7e3e-d647-4708-a9a6-c3fb04235e90&utm_medium=email&utm_source=postoffice&utm_term=1672392410729

For Your Prayers - prayer points for this week:

- * For King Charles and Queen Camilla and all members of the Royal Family, as they fulfil their roles in our Nation and the Commonwealth.
- * For families enjoying being together over the half-term break; and rest and refreshment for teaching and other staff at our local schools.
- * For God's blessings upon those attending Messy Church at Downe Village Hall on Tuesday with Pentecost theme.
- * For the outpouring of the Holy Spirit in the life, witness and worship of our church communities in Cudham and Downe.

We invite you to join us for Evening Prayer this week

Evening Prayer 5.00pm Tuesday - Friday on Zoom

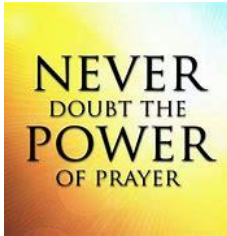
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All who knew Derek Knight are invited to attend the interment of his ashes in the churchyard at Cudham on Tuesday 6th June at 2:15pm. Please continue to pray for Bridget, Pauline and the family.

Please also pray for the family of Melissa who has recently died.

Let us keep praying for one another and our families in our congregations, as well as our parishioners in both parishes. This week can we pray for Sarah Santry (Cudham) and Carol Harris (Downe). Please also pray for our residents in the following streets Stalisfield Estate (Downe) and Bombers Lane (Cudham).



Prayer chain – please contact Pat Morbin if you have any prayer needs or requests and if you would like to be part of the prayer chain. Email office@pcd.org.uk or tel 07504 827929 or 01959 540012 and these will be passed on to Pat in confidence.

Pastoral Needs – our pastoral team is here to help, whether it's just for a chat or something that is troubling you. Why not give them a call on 07942 354533 or email pastoral.team@pcd.org.uk to arrange a visit or chat over the phone. We are here for you.

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