

# Parish of Goring-by-Sea

## Newsletter *Extra*

A monthly supplement to the Weekly Newsletter



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May 2023



## Parish Contacts

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# The Parish of Goring-by-Sea: Dates for your Diary

## Services, Meetings, Events

### MAY 2023

Tues 2 <sup>nd</sup>	10.00am	Said Eucharist (BCP)	St Mary's
	2.00pm	Funeral: Ann Palmer-Douglas	St Mary's
Wed 3 <sup>rd</sup>	9.15am	Smarties	St Mary's Hall
	<i>Weekly term-time session for children from birth to 4 years (pre-school)</i>		
	<i>Craft activity, live music, toys, refreshments, £1.50 per family</i>		
	7.00pm	PCC	St Mary's
Thurs 4 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Said Eucharist (CW)	St Laurence's
Fri 5 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am	Church cleaning	St Mary's
Sat 6 <sup>th</sup>		KING'S CORONATION	
FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER			
Sun 7 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am	Said Eucharist (BCP)	St Mary's
	10.00am	All Age Worship	St Mary's and via Facebook*
Tues 9 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Said Eucharist (BCP)	St Mary's
Wed 10 <sup>th</sup>	9.15am	Smarties	St Mary's Hall
Thurs 11 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Said Eucharist (CW)	St Laurence's
Sat 13 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Parish Prayers	St Mary's
	2.00pm	Games Afternoon	St Laurence's Hall
	3.30pm	Sussex County Bellringers' Association service	St Mary's
SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER			
Sun 14 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am	Said Eucharist (BCP)	St Mary's
	10.00am	Sung Eucharist (CW)	St Mary's
	6.00pm	Second@Six	St Mary's
Tues 16 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Said Eucharist (BCP)	St Mary's
	2.30pm	Prayer Shawl Ministry	<i>as notified**</i>
Wed 17 <sup>th</sup>	9.15am	Smarties	St Mary's Hall
ASCENSION DAY			
Thurs 18 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Said Eucharist (CW)	St Laurence's
Fri 19 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am	Church cleaning	St Mary's
SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER			
Sun 21 <sup>st</sup>	8.00am	Said Eucharist (BCP)	St Mary's
	10.00am	Breathing Space/Eucharist	St Mary's and via Facebook*
	11.30am	Annual Parochial Church Meeting ( <i>see agenda</i> )	St Mary's
	4.00pm	Feast@4	St Mary's & Hall
Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup>	10.00am	Said Eucharist (BCP)	St Mary's
Wed 24 <sup>th</sup>	9.15am	Smarties	St Mary's Hall
Thurs 25 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Said Eucharist (CW)	St Laurence's
PENTECOST			
Sun 28 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am	Said Eucharist (BCP)	St Mary's
	<b>10.30am</b>	Sung Eucharist (CW)	St Mary's
		<i>NB Combined service at St Mary's – no service at St Laurence's</i>	
	6.00pm	Evensong	St Mary's

Tues 30<sup>th</sup>

10.00am

Said Eucharist (BCP)

St Mary's

2.00pm

Wedding: Roseanne and Andrew

St Mary's

\* Facebook link for the parish: <https://www.facebook.com/StMaryAndStLaurenceGoringBySea>

\*\* information will be notified to those involved by group leaders

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## Readings: May 2023

### Sundays

	First Lesson	Psalm	Second Lesson	Gospel
7 May 5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter W	Acts 7: 55-end	31: 1-5,15-16 [or 31: 1-5]	1 Peter 2: 2-10	John 14: 1-14
14 May 6 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter W	Acts 17: 22-31	66: 7-end	1 Peter 3:13-end	John 14: 15-21
21 May 7 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter W	Acts 1: 6-14	68: 1-10, 32- end [or 68: 1-10]	1 Peter 4: 12-14, 5: 6-11	John 17: 1-11
28 May Pentecost R	Acts 2: 1-21	104: 26-36, 37b[or 104 26: end]	1 Corinthians 12: 3b- 13	John 20: 19-23 or John 7: 37-39
Evensong	Joel 2: 21-end		Acts 2: 14-21 [22-28]	

### Tuesdays at St Mary's, Thursdays at St Laurence's

	Lesson	Gospel
Tuesday 2 May	Acts 11: 19-26	John 10: 22-30
Thursday 4 May	Acts 13:13-25	John 13: 16-20
Tuesday 9 May	Acts 14: 19-end	John 14: 27-end
Thursday 11 May	Acts 15: 7-21	John 15: 9-11
Tuesday 16 May	Acts 16: 22-34	John 16: 5-11
<b>Thursday 18 May Ascension Day</b>	Acts 1: 1-11 Ephesians 1: 15-end	Luke 24: 44-end
Tuesday 23 May	Acts 20: 17-27	John 17: 1-11
Thursday 25 May	Acts 22: 30 – 23 :6-11	John 17: 20-end

**The Annual Meeting of Parishioners to be held on  
Sunday 21 May 2023 at 11.30 am in St Mary's Church**

1. Welcome and Introductions
2. Opening Prayer by the Revd Keith Littlejohn
3. Approval of the minutes of the Annual Meeting of Parishioners held on Sunday 3 April 2022
4. Election of Churchwardens

**The Annual Parochial Church Meeting to be held on  
Sunday 21 May 2023 at 11.40 am in St Mary's Church**

**AGENDA**

1. Apologies for absence
2. Approval of the minutes of the APCM held on Sunday 3 April 2022
3. Matters Arising
4. Elections to the PCC
  - Deputy Wardens (2 places) \*
  - Members of Deanery Synod (4 places for 3 years) \*
  - Members of the PCC (3 places for 3 years, 1 place for 1 year) \*
5. Appointments
  - Appointment of Reader to serve on the PCC
  - Appointment of Independent Examiner
6. To receive the following reports:
  - The Electoral Roll
  - The PCC Secretary
  - Finance – Accounts and Report
  - Churchwardens' and Fabric Report
  - Visioning Day
  - Deanery Synod Report
  - Safeguarding Report
  - Worship, Outreach and Nurture Report
  - Children's and Young People's Work Report
  - Mission Giving Report
7. Proposal re Membership of Standing Committee

It is proposed that membership of the Standing Committee, which currently comprises the Incumbent, Churchwardens, Deputy Wardens, Treasurer and PCC Secretary, should be expanded to include two ordinary members of the PCC, as chosen by the PCC. Proposed by Ginny Ward, Seconded by Janice Lelliott.
8. Vicar's Report
9. Closing Prayer

*\* See nomination forms in this booklet. There are no nomination forms for Treasurer or PCC Secretary, as these appointments are made by the PCC; people are, however, still needed to fill these roles.*

## NOMINATION FOR ELECTION TO THE PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL

	<i>Proposer</i>	<i>Secunder</i>
We ( <i>insert names</i> )		
of ( <i>insert addresses</i> )		
being members of the electoral roll of this parish, hereby nominate		
of ( <i>insert address</i> )		
as a candidate for election to the parochial church council at the annual meeting on _____		
	<i>Proposer</i>	<i>Secunder</i>
Signed		
I declare that I am communicant of 16 years or over and not disqualified, and that if elected, I consent to serve.		
Signed: <i>Nominee</i>		

Nominees must be:

- at least sixteen years of age;
- actual communicants;
- on the Electoral Roll of this Parish for at least six months

Proposers and seconds must be on the Electoral Roll of this Parish

No person shall be nominated unless they have signified their consent to serve, or there is in the opinion of the meeting sufficient evidence thereof. No person shall be nominated if they are disqualified from serving by the Church Representation Rules. (See below for details)

### DISQUALIFICATION (Church Representation Rule 68 in Part 7)

A person shall be disqualified from being nominated, chosen or elected or from serving as a member of a parochial church council, a district church council or any synod under these rules if the person:

- (1) A person is disqualified from being nominated, chosen or elected or from serving as a churchwarden or a member of a parochial church council, a district church council or a joint council if the person is disqualified from being a trustee of a charity (and the disqualification is not subject to a waiver which permits membership of a parochial church council, district church council or joint council).
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- (4) A person's disqualification under sub-paragraph (3) may be waived by the bishop of the diocese by giving the person notice in writing.
- (5) A person is disqualified from being nominated, chosen or elected or from serving as a member of a parochial church council if the person has been disqualified from holding office under section 10(6) of the Incumbent (Vacation of Benefices) Measure 1977.

### Note

In order to confirm that you are eligible to act as a charity trustee, all newly elected PCC members will be required to sign a declaration confirming their eligibility to hold office as a charity trustee eligibility (i.e. non-disqualification under charity law) and will be asked to sign a Fit and Proper Person declaration. A copy of these declarations can be found at [www.parishresources.org.uk/pccs/apcms/](http://www.parishresources.org.uk/pccs/apcms/). By confirming that you are eligible for election, you are confirming that you are able to sign these declarations.

## NOMINATION FOR ELECTION TO WORTHING DEANERY SYNOD

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Signed		
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**NOMINATION FOR ELECTION AS DEPUTY CHURCHWARDEN TO THE PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL**

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## EASTER CELEBRATIONS – MALAWI STYLE

Greetings from Malawi in the name of risen Savior King Jesus Christ.

We had a good time celebrating the risen saviour on resurrection day with the children at Maoni Orphanage.



Word being preached  
Worshipping on resurrection day at  
Maoni.  
Choir singing celebrating the risen  
savior.

Giving out the Easter Message in  
Chichewa







Food and treats were served to all on resurrection day.  
The party was so great. Indeed He is Risen!

Keep on praying for the provision of the evangelistic trip we will be having on 20<sup>th</sup> April 2023.

Once again thank you so much for all your prayers always.  
May God richly bless you so much.  
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