



Bewsborough Bulletin

The weekly newsletter for Barfreestone, Coldred, Guston, Eythorne & Elvington, Waldershare, Shepherdsweil and Whitfield

Coming Up

Sun 8th June – PENTECOST

9.00am | BCP Communion | St. Pancras'
10.30am | Holy Communion | St. Andrew's
10.30am | Let's Worship | Whitfield School Hall



Monday 9th June

10.00am | Let's Play | Elvington Community Ctr.

Wed 11th June

9.30am | Let's Chat | Whitfield Rec. Pavilion

Thur 12th June

11.30am | Informal Communion | SS Peter & Paul's
7.00pm | Small Group | Whitfield

Fri 30th May

9.30am | Let's Play! | Whitfield Village Hall

Sun 15th June

9.00am | BCP Communion | St. Nicholas
10.30am | Holy Communion | St. Andrew's
10.30am | Family Communion | St. Peter's
6.00pm | Evensong | St. Martin's
4.00pm | Dover Sanctuary Event | St. Mary's, Dover

COLDRED FETE DONATIONS NEEDED!!

With this year being the 100th year celebration of the Coldred Fete the church team of organisers want to make the barrow of booze, raffle and the tombola prizes an even bigger draw and haul than usual.

SO YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!

If you have anything lurking around at home that could be offered for the raffle or tombola (new or looking new please), or any bottles of plonk, spirits (or other) that could be offered in the barrow please get in touch with Jonathan Bates – 07579 042061

For Our Prayers

Please pray for the following people, all known to God, who need our prayers and for those who tend to them and show them love and care:

Tallulah, Michael, Pauline, Elsie, Ian M, Mark, David B, Whitney, Tantely, Joyce C, Simisola Adedeji, Karen T, Janet B, Madge, Jill, Ian, Marion G, Malcolm, Mike P, and Paul Adesanya as he recovers from surgery.

Please also pray for:

- Our PCC following the recent APCM especially those newly elected (and those who continue to serve so generously!)
- For Rev. Catherine Wagstaff as she comes towards the end of her ministry here and steps down.
- Our Let's Play Leaders and teams as they continue to support parents and grandparents and discern the future shape of things.
- Peace and justice in Gaza.

Keep in Touch



Rector – Rev. Sean

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Curate – Rev. Seb

Seb is currently on placement, please do not contact until after 28th June.

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Leading Your Church into Growth

The Leading your Church into Growth Prayer

God of Mission

Who alone brings growth to your Church,
Send your Holy Spirit to give
Vision to our planning,
Wisdom to our actions,
Joy to our worship,
And power to our witness.
Help our church to grow in numbers,
In spiritual commitment to you,
And in service to our local community,
Through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen

"Leading your Church into Growth concentrates on the tried and tested - putting parish and people, evangelism and service front and centre. This is extraordinary help for ordinary churches."

- Rt Revd Stephen Cottrell



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Primary School Leaver Gifts 2025

With our schools finishing this week for the end of term 5 and their well earned break, time is beginning to run out for us to commit to a leaving gift for each pupil, which we hope will equip them and support them on their new adventures.

Do consider a donation to this important annual gifting campaign so we can bless each year 6 child stepping into new things after the coming summer break.

Details to make a donation as follows:

Bewsborough PCC General Account

Account no: 89938307

Sort code: 09-01-51

Reference: BOOKS

If you would prefer to make a cash or cheque donation then please get in touch with Rev. Sean who can help with this.

Thank you!!



THANKS FROM MADAGASCAR!

LENT LUNCH GROUP
PARISH OR BEWSBOROUGH

Dear Sir/Madam,

We would like to express our sincere and heartfelt thanks for the support provided to our school through the provision of teaching materials for the subject "Life and Earth Sciences."

Thanks to your generosity, channeled through the Bishopric of Ambohimano of the Malagasy Episcopal Church, our students will benefit from an enriched learning environment better suited to their educational needs.

We are deeply grateful for this valuable contribution, which demonstrates your commitment to the education and future of our young people.

NB: Attached is a photo as acknowledgment of receipt of the equipment.

With our deepest gratitude,

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Director of the Saint Jean d'Ambohimangakely LPA



Sunday and Mid-Week Worship for June

Date	Location	Service
1st June White Easter 7	St. Nicholas, Barfreestone	9.00am BCP Communion
	St. Andrew, Shepherdswell	10.30am Holy Communion
	Whitfield Village Hall	10.30am Let's Worship
	St. Martin's, Guston	6.00pm Communion
Thur 5th June	SS Peter & Paul's, Eythorne & Elvington	11.30am Informal Communion
Sat 7th June	St. Peter's, Whitfield	Wedding of Jo and Alex
8th June Red PENTECOST	St. Pancras, Coldred	9.00am BCP Communion
	St. Andrew, Shepherdswell	10.30am Holy Communion
	Whitfield School, Mayfield Site	10.30am Let's Worship
Thur 12th June	SS Peter & Paul's, Eythorne & Elvington	11.30am Informal Communion
15th June White/Gold Trinity Sunday	St. Nicholas, Barfreestone	9.00am Morning Worship
	St. Andrew, Shepherdswell	10.30am Holy Communion
	St. Peter's, Whitfield	10.30am Family Communion
	St. Martin's, Guston	6.00pm Evensong
Thur 19th June	SS Peter & Paul's, Eythorne & Elvington	11.30am Informal Communion
22nd June Green Trinity 1	St. Pancras, Coldred	9.00am BCP Communion
	St. Andrew, Shepherdswell	10.30am Morning Worship
	Whitfield School, Richmond Site (tbc)	10.30am Let's Worship
	St. Peter's, Whitfield	1.00pm Baptism
Thur 26th June	SS Peter & Paul's, Eythorne & Elvington	11.30am Informal Communion
29th June Green Trinity 2	St. Andrew, Shepherdswell	10.30am Parish Communion



Acts 2:1–21

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, 'Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power.' All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, 'What does this mean?' But others sneered and said, 'They are filled with new wine.'

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: 'Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

"In the last days it will be, God declares,
that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh,
and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,
and your young men shall see visions,
and your old men shall dream dreams.

Even upon my slaves, both men and women,
in those days I will pour out my Spirit;
and they shall prophesy.

And I will show portents in the heaven above
and signs on the earth below,
blood, and fire, and smoky mist.

The sun shall be turned to darkness
and the moon to blood,
before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day.

Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

John 14:8–17 [25–27]

Philip said to Jesus, 'Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.' Jesus said to him, 'Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, "Show us the Father"? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

'If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you for ever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you. 'I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me; and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them.' Judas (not Iscariot) said to him, 'Lord, how is it that you will reveal yourself to us, and not to the world?' Jesus answered him, 'Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them. Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; and the word that you hear is not mine, but is from the Father who sent me.

(25–27) 'I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.'

Other readings:

Genesis 11:1–9

Romans 8:14–17

THE WONDER OF PRAYER

PENTECOST - PRAYING IN THE POWER OF THE SPIRIT



'When Jesus had finished praying, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray" ...' (Luke 11:1, CEV)

Holy Spirit, breath of God -

- Fill the hearts of all who are taking new steps in their vocation this summer.
- Rest on the Crown Nominations Commission as they discern who the next Archbishop of Canterbury will be.
- Breathe life over the summer outreach events happening across our diocese.
- Enfold all who feel anxious about changes to benefits and social care.
- Renew your Church, and teach us to pray.



Dover: A Place of Sanctuary & Hope

SUNDAY, JUNE 15

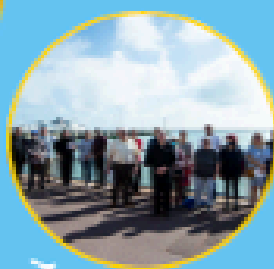
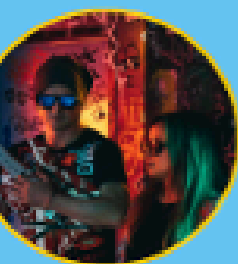
2PM - 4PM

FREE

Come along and mark the start of Refugee Week as we celebrate our refugees and the communities who have accompanied them



**ST MARY'S CHURCH HALL
CANNON STREET
DOVER
CT16 1BY**



Talks, activities, music, food
— and stories that matter



Please register by either:

- Scanning the QR code & reserving a spot
- Or
- Contacting us at:

✉ caritassouthwark@rcaos.org.uk

☎ 07521 525400

Celebrating 100 Years

Coldred Church Fete

2025



Each year on the last Friday evening in June, Coldred Church holds its annual fete on the village green.

This year on **Friday 27th June at 5.00pm** will be the 100th anniversary of this popular event and we hope it will be one of the most enjoyable yet.

SO DO COME ALONG AND ENJOY THE CELEBRATIONS!

We also want to make the raffle, tombola and the every popular barrow of booze the biggest and best ever! So if you have anything lurking at home that could be given away as a prize (new or nearly) or any bottles of plonk, spirits or other, that could go into the barrow, please get in touch.

If you feel able to offer your time to run a stall, to help in the tea tent, organise a new activity or help others with their activity please contact either Jonathan Bates on 07579 042061 or Sue Wadey on 07941 733303.

We look forward to hearing from you!

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THE R.V COLEMAN TRUST

Application for Financial Assistance

THE R.V COLEMAN TRUST is a Charity providing relief in sickness for those residents of Dover and the immediate neighbourhood.

Are you or your relatives in need of respite care or assistance?

The R V Coleman Trust primarily provides financial assistance for convalescence and respite care, however other requests to assist those defined above will also be considered.

Whatever financial relief is provided under the scheme, however, **must be related to the need of each case and be reasonable in the circumstances.** Those who are sick or have special needs also includes those who are mentally and physically disadvantaged.

PLEASE NOTE:

1 THE TRUST IS UNABLE TO ASSIST THOSE LIVING OUTSIDE ITS SPECIFIED AREA OR THOSE IN RECEIPT OF STATE PENSION CREDIT OR GUARANTEED CREDIT.

2 Applicants/residents who are in receipt of **PENSION CREDIT OR GUARANTEED CREDIT** should refer to the local **KCC Social Services department** for support.

3 Individuals may receive financial assistance **only once is a calendar year.** In residential cases this relates to a **total of two weeks' care in the year.**

4 All referrals for residential care should be made of the Trust's referral form held at G.P surgeries. The completed form should be **signed by the patient's Medical Practitioner and either posted or emailed** to the Trust's Welfare Officer prior (if possible) to the proposed date of admission. The Home selected will then be contacted and advised that the Trust will pay a contribution towards its account less the patient's contribution.

5 THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT THE TRUST WILL PAY IN RESPECT OF NURSING HOME CARE IS £1,000 p.w AND £1,250 p.w FOR RESIDENTIAL HOME CARE.

PATIENTS THEREFORE, WILL NEED TO PAY THE BALANCE (directed to the Home) WHICH WILL DEPEND UPON THE FEES CHARGED BY THE SELECTED NH/RH.

6 Repairs, adaptations or maintenance cannot be considered.

Further information can be obtained by contacting the Welfare Officer (Mrs Jill Sarjeant) or Clerk (Mrs Glynis Farthing)

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