LOOKING AHEAD

Daily Office will not be prayed in church this week.

Sun 28 May 2017 10am Sun 28 May 2017 2pm Fri 2 June 2017 1pm Sun 4 June 2017 10am

Sun 4 June 2017 10am Sun 4 June 2017 7pm Sun 11 June 2017 10am Sun 18 June 2017 10 am

Sat 24 June 2017 2pm

Sun 25 June 2017 10am Sun 25 June 2017 11.30am Sun 25 June 2017 2pm Mon 26 Jun 2017 7pm Sat 1 July 2017 from 12.00pm Sun 2 July 2017 10am Sun 2 July 2017 10am Fri 7 July 2017 6.30pm Sun 9 July 2017 10am

Sun 16 July 2017 10am Wed 19 July 2017 6.45pm Sun 23 July 2017 10am

Sat 29 July 2017 11am-2pm Sun 30 July 2017 10am Mass for Easter 7 **Confirmation Class** (vicarage) Funeral Service (RIP Peter Graham) Mass for Pentecost with (baptism & Sunday School Presentation) Confirmation Class (vicarage) **Young People's Service** Mass for Trinity Sunday (Fr Chris Morgan) Mass for Trinity 1 (Revd. Canon Irena Edacumbe) Celebrating May, Isabel and Mary's 90th birthdays (afternoon tea party in the vicarage aarden) Mass for Trinity 2 Chalice Assistants (sharing good practice) **Confirmation Class** (Vicarage)

Rosary Group (vicarage) St Paul's Way Festival Mass for Trinity 3

Young People's Service

ALMA VISTORS & CELEBRATION Mass for Trinity 4 – ALMA SUNDAY Mass for Trinity 5 PCC Meeting (church hall) Mass for Trinity 6 (with Baptism & Confirmation) Summer Sale (church) Mass for Trinity 7



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Next Sunday: 4th June 2017

Mass for Pentecost (with baptism) Hymns: 90 490 321 228 494 (m) Acts 2:1-21: Sunday School Gospel John 17:1-11 Intercessions: Sunday School Chalice: Hendrika

Sidespeople: Hendrika & Beata



Vicar Mother Bernadette Hegarty 020 3774 6833 Churchwarden: Julian Bream 020 7515 4938 Churchwarden: Safia Dimsdale



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THE PARISH OF ★ ST. PAUL WITH ST. LUKE ★ BOW COMMON



Sunday 28thMay 2017 Mass for the 7th Sunday of Easter

Hymns: 372 46 442 16(m) Ezekiel 36:24-28: Safia Acts 1:6-14: Jennea Psalm 68 Gospel John 17:1-11 Intercessions: Arthur Chalice: Nikki Sidespeople: Arthur & Jennea

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Edmond Brien, William Jarvis, Naomi Harris, Esther Christian, , Margaret Diss, John Christian, Rachel Christian, Isobel Coates, Ray Williams, Charlie Berry, Dawn Smith, Sharni Josephine, Nojahan Hamid, Mark Emmerson, Jane Keefe, Audrey Mameli, Blesie Smith, John McLean, Kenneth Lambert, Joseph Agatha, Winnie Pegden

For our link church of **Santa Monica, Maputo** in Mozambique **May Year's Mind:** Horace Kingston, Tom Duberry Today we celebrate the **7th Sunday after Easter** and we are nearly at the end of our journey through the joys of Eastertide.

We will be commissioning Ayo as Chalice Assistant during the service.

This Sunday our thoughts and prayers are very much with the families of those killed in the Manchester bomb explosion, those wounded and all affected by it.

Don't forget to wear red next Sunday for our Pentecost celebration during which we will be baptizing Arthur. We are looking forward to our Sunday School Presentation.

Archbishop Justin and Sentamu have written a pastoral letter for parishes with regard to the General Election on 8th June 2017. I have pinned in on the notice board and would encourage everyone to read it.

Banns of Marriage: I publish the Banns of Marriage between *Peter Denis Corble* and *Elizabeth Sarah Kay* both of this parish of St Paul with St Luke, Bow Common. If any of you know cause or just impediment why these two persons should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, you are to declare it. This is the *third* time of asking.

Mthr. Bernadette will be on annual leave the following dates: Tuesday 30 May – Thursday 1 June Saturday 3 June Tuesday 6 June – Tuesday 20 June During these periods the church will be in the care of our church wardens: Safia & Julian.

YOU'RE INVITED

Over 50's Coffee Morning every Friday 10am-12.00 noon at the St Paul's Way Centre, 83 St Paul's Way.



Come along and share a cup of tea/coffee with new and old friends from your local community.

You will have the opportunity to get creative doings lots of arts and crafts activities, local trips and skills sharing.

No need to join, just **drop in any Friday** at the above time. For more information ring: 0207 510 5600.

Christian Aid have written to us to thank us for the funds we raised for the East Africa Appeal. See letter on the noticeboard.

PCC Highlights

90th Birthday Celebrations well in hand.

Saturday Sale at church on Saturday 29 July 11am-2pm. Agreed to look at offering a sale on Saturday every couple of months.

Safeguarding policy and statement reviewed and signed.

Common Fund – agreed 2017/2018 contribution to the Common Fund (£30k). Mary and Julian attending the Common Fund meeting later this month.

Agreed to buy cassock albs for new altar servers.

ALMA Visit – A delegation coming from Maputo to visit London. We will host them on Friday 7th July from 6.30 – 8.45. We will offer supper. The visit will end with Compline. Jennea and Safia are co-ordinating the visit. All members of the PCC and congregations are welcome.

St Paul's Way Festival – Agreed to hire 2 tables possibly selling clothes and bric-a-brac. The Festival takes place on Saturday 1 July 2017.

Chalice Assistants: Sharing best practice session after the Service on **Sunday 25 June 2017**. It's been some time since we have had the opportunity to review and share our skills and understanding of this very special task of assisting in the distribution of Holy Communion.

Please make a special effort to be at this service.

St Paul's Way Festival is on Saturday 1 July 2017 and we will be having two tables at the festival. Please come along to support this very enjoyable community event.

Summer Sale at church on Saturday 29 July 11am-2pm. Please let family, friends and neighbours know so they can come along. If you would like to help or know more about this event, talk to Toni.



Don't forget this very important celebration

This year three of our beloved sisters celebrate their **90th birthday** so we are holding a special party in the vicarage garden (weather permitting) on **Saturday 24th June 2pm-5pm** to

celebrate with them, their friends and their family this very special birthday.

All members of the congregation, past and present are very welcome.

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