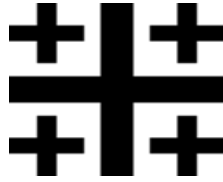


The **BENEFICE** of **INKBERROW**
with **COOKHILL** and **KINGTON**
with **DORMSTON**



Newsheet
03 May 2026
The Fifth Sunday of Easter

Services for Sunday 3rd May, The Fifth Sunday of Easter

Psalm 31:1-5, 15-16; Acts 7:55-60; 1 Peter 2:2-10; John 14:1-14

08.00	Holy Communion	St. Peter's Church, Inkberrow
09.30	Holy Communion	St. Paul's Church, Cookhill
11.00	Morning Praise	St. Nicholas' Church, Dormston
11.00	Church @11	St. Peter's Hall, Inkberrow
13.00	Baptism	St. Peter's Church, Inkberrow

Dates for the week ahead:

Psalm 122: 1-5; Acts 15: 1-6; John 15: 1-8

Tue	05 May	20.00-21.30	Bishops Certificate Course, St. Peter's Hall, Inkberrow
Wed	06 May	10.00	Midweek Reflection
Wed	06 May	10.30-12.00 noon	Noah's Ark, St. Peter's Hall, Inkberrow
Sat	09 May	09.30	Church Yard Working Party, St. Peter's Church, Inkberrow

Services for Sunday 10th May, The Sixth Sunday of Easter

Psalm 66:7-18; Acts 17:22-31; 1 Peter 3:13-22; John 14:15-21

09.30	Morning Praise *	St. Paul's Church, Cookhill
09.30	Holy Communion	St. Peter's Church, Inkberrow
11.00	Morning Praise	St. James' Church, Kington

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Those bereaved of:

Those who are in special need: Ollie Davidson, Roger Cliffe and family, John and Patty Richards,
Adrienne Carmichael

PRAYER FOCUS:

- God of grace, God of glory, guide us by your goodness, that we may walk in your ways. We pray our homes may be places of peace and love, that our lives may reflect your love and acceptance, that our communities may show your beauty and joy.
Lord, your kingdom come, on earth as it is in heaven.
- Lord help us to remember that even in our flaws and struggles there is meaning and grace to be found. You love us in all our darkest times, help us to learn to do the same.
- Vicar of St Thomas' Church, Stourbridge: Andrew Sillis
Chewsday Church Worship leader: Val Charles
- Southwark: Bishop Christopher Chessun, Bishop Martin Gainsborough, Bishop Rosemarie Mallet, Bishop Alastair Cutting
Björgvin (Norway): Bishop Ragnhild Jepsen
The Church of North India (United): Paritosh Canning
- For all those who live and work in Main Road, Barley Meadows, Worcester Road

Noah's Ark Baby and Toddler Group



NOAH'S ARK IS NOW TWICE MONTHLY IN TERM TIME
10.30AM - 12 NOON, In St Peter's Hall (PEC)
behind St Peter's church, Inkberrow

Summer TERM DATES

Wednesday 15th April
Wednesday 6th & 20th May
Wednesday 3rd & 17th June
Wednesday 1st & 15th July



Craft table

Free play

Song

Refreshment

Socialise

Bible story

Noah's Ark is a baby & toddler group for pre-school children and their parents or carers, run by members of the Inkberrow group of churches. Meet other parents over a cuppa in a very informal setting. All Sessions free of charge. Further details available from: Philippa (01386 462594) or Rosie (01386 793676).

Coffee Morning

at St. Paul's Church, Cookhill

Saturday 23rd May 2026
10.00am-12.00noon

There will be a variety of stalls including plants, cakes, books and giftware..

Come along, a warm welcome awaits you!



At the end of the Agape meal on Maundy Thursday in St Peter's Church there was a large basket of fresh and silk flowers in front of the lectern. They would have been cleared for the Easter weekend. If you know where the basket and silk flowers are, please let me know so that I may collect them.

Thank you,

Vivienne

Sunday 10th May 2026, 9.30am St. Paul's Church, Cookhill

Sherry Owolabi will be at St Paul's Church to share with us her work with the Church Army, a charity we have supported for many years.



CHURCHYARD WORKING PARTY - ST PETER'S CHURCH

There is lots to do to keep the churchyard looking neat and tidy for the benefit of the whole community. If you know of anyone who may be interested in helping out regularly or on an ad hoc basis, please do come along from 9.30am on the dates listed below or get in touch with the team co-ordinator Andrew Jones (inkberrowchurchyard@gmail.com). It is a great way to get some fresh air, exercise and meet others. Furthermore, following the big Summer Cut on 11th July, the team like to finish with a cheese and strawberry picnic, with cider and soft drinks at lunchtime. What could be better!

Proposed dates 2026

9th May
13th June
11th July - Big Cut
12th September
10th October
7th November (pre Remembrance Sunday and lunch)

Everyone,

I just want to say a big thank you for your prayers, support, and donations as I took on the London Marathon. I went into the race with a bit of a grumpy knee, so it wasn't the easiest start, but I'm really grateful that I managed to keep going and finish. I truly believe your prayers and support made a big difference on the day. The money raised is going to make a real difference, helping to support vulnerable children and families through the work of the foundation. Your generosity will go a long way in changing lives. Thank you again for your kindness and support it really means a lot.

God Bless

Harriet

CHURCH CONTACTS:

Website:

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<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCwncKetgt7J-ld11BB4swUQ>

Or search: [YouTube The North Avon Group](#)

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