

Welcome to Grimsby Minster

Sunday 30th April 2017 Third Sunday of Easter

8am **Holy Communion** President *Canon Andrew Dodd*

10.30am **Festival Eucharist** Readings *Acts 2.14a,36-41 • Psalm 116.1-3,10-17*
1 Peter 1.17-23 • Luke 24.13-35
 President *Revd Mark Hutson* • Preacher *Canon Andrew Dodd*
 Reader *Anne Kennedy* • Intercessions *Chris Daniel*

6pm **Evening Prayer** *said first evening prayer for Phillip & James*
 Readings *Psalm 119 1-8 • Isaiah 40. 27-end*
John 12.20-26

9.30am St Hugh	9.30am St Mark	11.00am St Martin
Service of the Word Officiant <i>Pat Woolliss</i>	Service of the Word Officiant <i>Revd Jan Vasey</i> Hymns 19, 361, 72, 686	Service of the Word Officiant <i>Revd Jan Vasey</i>

Next Sunday 7th May 2017 Fourth Sunday of Easter

8am **Holy Communion** President *Revd Mark Hutson*

10.30am **Parish Eucharist** Readings *Acts 2. 42-47 • Psalm 23*
1 Peter 2. 19-25 • John 10. 1-10
 President & Preacher *Canon Andrew Dodd*
 Reader *Joan Date* • Intercessions *Chris Daniel*

6pm **Evening Prayer** Readings *Psalm 29. 1-10 • Ezra 3. 1-13*
Ephesians 2. 11-end

9.30am St Hugh	9.30am St Mark	11am St Martin
Extended Communion Officiant <i>Ken Richardson</i> Reader <i>John Foulds</i> Prayers <i>Sheila Harrop</i>	Eucharist Officiant <i>Revd Mark Hutson</i> Hymns 367, 28, 161, 187	Eucharist Officiant <i>Revd Mark Hutson</i>



#PLEDGE2PRAY

25 May – 4 June 2017 “Thy Kingdom Come”

The Archbishops of Canterbury and York are asking us to pray! The 10 days between Ascension and Pentecost are traditionally a time of focused prayer as we celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit. “Thy Kingdom Come” is a global wave of prayer during those ten days: 25 May – 4 June. How can you commit yourself to pray for the world,

our country, our community and your friends during this time?

Here in the Great Grimsby team we are holding two guided prayer events in the Lady Chapel:

Friday 26 May 12 noon – 1pm: 60 minutes praying the Lord’s Prayer

Friday 2 June 12 noon – 1pm: 60 minutes praying for our nation

We will also produce copies of daily prayers to use at home, or during your lunchbreak at work.

Nationally, Cathedrals across the country are holding beacon events to celebrate this wave of prayer. In **Lincoln Cathedral** the beacon event is on **Saturday, 3rd June at 7.30pm**. Please speak to Louise Vincer if you would like to go.

Find out more at www.thykingdomcome.global which also has lots of resources for praying as individuals and families. And if you still have your Jan/Feb 17 copy of Crosslinks there are stories about what other churches did last year.

“In praying 'Thy Kingdom Come' we all commit to playing our part in the renewal of the nations and the transformation of communities.” *Archbishop Justin Welby*

Church Services & Parish Meetings this week

Tuesday 2nd May *Athanasius, Bishop of Alexandria, Teacher, 373*

- 9.20am Morning Prayer, Grimsby Minster
- 9.30am Morning Service, St Hugh’s
- 5.30pm Evening Prayer, Grimsby Minster

Wednesday 3rd May

- 9.20am Morning Prayer, Grimsby Minster
- 5.30pm Evening Prayer, Grimsby Minster

Thursday 4th May *English Saints and Martyrs of the Reformation Era*

- 9.20am Morning Prayer, Grimsby Minster
- 11am Holy Communion, Grimsby Minster (Lady Chapel)
- 5.30pm Evening Prayer, Grimsby Minster

Friday 5th May

- 9.20am Morning Prayer, Grimsby Minster
- 5.30pm Evening Prayer, Grimsby Minster



St Mark's, Laceby Rd



St Martin's, Sutcliffe Ave



St Hugh's, Haycroft St

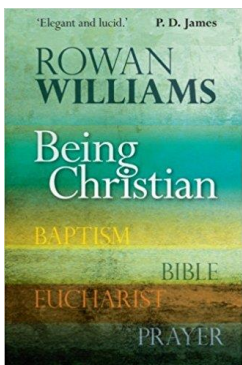
If you have any items to go in next week's newsletter, email admin@grimsbyminster.co.uk or ring the office on 01472 277277

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Have a go at our word search based on the gospel reading for the day!

Rite
of
Way

On Sunday 11th of June at 3pm, we will be starting a monthly all age worship service, **RITE OF WAY**. It is aimed at accompanied pre-teens and will last for about an hour. It will be an interactive act of worship, containing songs, storytelling, magic, crafts and cake. So, please tell anyone with children or grandchildren who may like to join us. Any questions please see Mark Huston.



Andrew would like to invite the members of the **PILGRIM GROUP**, which until recently has met on Tuesday evening's, to a meeting to reflect together on how we might want to develop the group and learn together. To start off, I would like to suggest that we read Rowan Williams' short book 'Being Christian' (SPCK 2014) and meet to discuss it. Can we meet on Tuesday 6th June at 7pm in the St James Centre to think about what we learned from the book; if you have problems getting a copy please speak to Andrew and let Andrew or Pat Woolliss know if you can come.

It is with great sadness that we announce the news of the death of **MIKE STAMFORD**, who died in the early hours of Sunday morning last week at Grimsby Hospital. Our thoughts and prayers are very much with his family at this time. Mike was a long standing and generous member of the church community and a much loved friend to us all. He will be greatly missed. Following Mike's wishes there will be a funeral service at Grimsby Crematorium on Monday 8th May at 11:40am attended by family and close friends. There will be a memorial service of thanksgiving for his life at Grimsby Minster on Friday 2nd June at 2pm.

Today is the first Sunday of the new **CHOIR TERM**, and so we welcome back our Choristers and all the members of our Choirs to the Minster this morning!

Our **ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING** is at 12:30am following this morning's service at the Minster. This an important event in the year where we conduct formal church business and elect members of our church council. Everyone on the church electoral roll is invited to take part in this meeting.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK this year runs from 14th to 20th May. As usual we will need volunteers for the house-to-house collection. Any commitment you are able to make, however small, will make a difference. Watch this space, and look out for the posters in church. For more information, please see Chris Daniel.

Three members of **NORTH Lincs ART SOCIETY** are pleased to be staging their third exhibition together, to take place in the beautiful setting of Grimsby Minster from Tuesday, 2nd May until Monday, 8th May, excluding Sunday, Opening times are 10.00 am to 4.00 pm each day, except the final day, when it will close at 3.00 pm. They will be delighted to welcome both regulars and first-time viewers, the exhibition will provide an excellent chance for visitors to meet the artists and chat about the work on show.

The next meeting of Grimsby Minster **MOTHER'S UNION** is on Wednesday, 3 May 2017 at 10 30 am when our speaker will be Sheila Sittatombe.

Gill Ross is hosting a **GARDEN PARTY** at her home 14 Southern Walk, Scartho, Grimsby at 2 30 pm on Wednesday 7 June 2017. The cost of the afternoon cream tea is £5 per person. All monies raised go to AFIA - Away From It All (A Mother's Union Charity providing holidays for needy families). Further details from Gill Ross or Diana Major.

The next **PCC MEETING** will be held at St Hughs church on Thursday 11th May at 7.30pm.

On Saturday 13th May 10am-12noon there is an important Growth Plan Review for the PCC in the St James Centre at the Minster. Could PCC members make sure this date is in your diaries and you have looked at the Developing Discipleship Plan before the meeting.

St Mark's Church will be hosting a service of **PRAYER FOR HEALING AND WHOLENESS** on Wednesday 3rd May. Doors open for refreshments and conversation at 2pm, and we will then move into a quiet service at 2.30pm.