

Welcome to The Great Grimsby Team Ministry

Sunday 22nd April 2018 The Fourth Sunday of Easter

Acts 4.5-12 • Psalm 23 • 1 John 3.16-end • John 10.11-18

8am	Holy Communion	President <i>Canon Andrew Dodd</i>
10.30am	Parish Eucharist	President <i>Canon Andrew Dodd</i> Preacher <i>Revd Pat Barlow</i> Reader <i>Sam Bruning</i> • Intercessor <i>Katherine Bruning</i>
St Hugh 9.30am Service of the Word President <i>Rdr Ken Richardson</i> Reader <i>Sheila Harrop</i> Prayers <i>David Duggan</i>		St Mark 9.30am Patronal Festival Eucharist President <i>Revd Mark Hutson</i> Hymns 434, 649, 323, 303
St Martin 11am Service of the Word Officiant <i>Rdr Pat Woolliss</i>		

Next Sunday 29th April 2018 The Fifth Sunday of Easter

Acts 8.26-end • Psalm 22.25-end • 1 John 4.7-end • John 15.1-8

8am	Holy Communion	President <i>Revd Mark Hutson</i>
10.30am	United Parish Eucharist	President & Preacher <i>Canon Andrew Dodd</i> Reader <i>Lorna Sharp</i> • Intercessor <i>Pat Woolliss</i> <i>followed by Annual Parochial Church Meeting at 12:30pm</i>
6pm	Choral Evensong	<i>Psalm 96 • Isaiah 60.1-14 • Revelation 3.1-13</i>
St Hugh 9.30am United Parish Eucharist Grimsby Minster		St Mark 9.30am United Parish Eucharist Grimsby Minster
St Martin 11am United Parish Eucharist Grimsby Minster		

Forthcoming services in our churches

6 th May Sixth of Easter	13 th May Seventh of Easter	20 th May Pentecost	27 th May Trinity Sunday
Minster 8am Holy Communion 10.30am Eucharist	Minster 8am Holy Communion 10.30am Eucharist 6pm Choral Evensong	Minster 8am Holy Communion 10.30am Eucharist	Minster 8am Holy Communion 10.30am Eucharist
St Hugh's 9.30am Extended Comm'n	St Hugh's 9.30am Service of the Word	St Hugh's 9.30am Eucharist	St Hugh's 9.30am Service of the Word
St Mark's 9.30am Eucharist	St Mark's 9.30am Service of the Word	St Mark's 9.30am Extended Comm'n	St Mark's 9.30am Service of the Word
St Martin's 11am Eucharist	St Martin's 11am Service of the Word	St Martin's 11am Extended Comm'n	St Martin's 11am Service of the Word

Thought for the week



Monday this week, the 23th April, is a celebration of English identity. It is, of course, St Georges Day the patron saint of England. It also marks the anniversary of the birth England's most famous playwright William Shakespeare. – Many of you will know the famous quote from Henry V – cry God for Harry, England and St George. There will be plenty of festivities to mark this highlight in our national calendar. I think that perhaps we live at a time, especially as arguments about Brexit continue to cause so much political debate, where we live with anxiety about our national identity. And that anxiety about identity highlights a lack of confidence in our status as a nation. And here's where St George can help us be a little more relaxed about who we are. Because St George's day will not only be celebrated in England. St

George is also the patron of countries as diverse as Canada, Russia, Greece, Germany, Portugal, and Palestine. Very little is known about the real St George. All that is known is that he was a soldier in the 4th century but he was also a Christian. And he refused to assist the Roman emperor persecution of Christians and was tortured and executed for his failure to follow orders. The story of George slaying the dragon, and saving a young princess from its clutches is a legend, but even without it George's story is an important one. Because in the little we do know about him we see a brave man stood up for what he believed in and who trusted God for his sense identity. Perhaps this morning as we think about who we are we might want to remember how St George trusted God and be a bit less anxious about our identity.

Church Services & Parish Meetings this week

Tuesday 24th April *Mellitus, Bishop of London, first Bishop at St Paul's, 624*

9.20am Morning Prayer, Grimsby Minster

9.30am Coffee Shop open until 2pm, Grimsby Minster

9.30am Morning Service, St Hugh's

Wednesday 25th April *Mark the Evangelist*

9.20am Morning Prayer, Grimsby Minster

9.30am Coffee Shop open until 2pm, Grimsby Minster

9.30-11am Minster Minis

1pm Memorial Service, the late Mike Burton, Grimsby Minster

Thursday 26th April.

9.20am Morning Prayer, Grimsby Minster
 9.30am Coffee Shop open until 2pm, Grimsby Minster
 11am Holy Communion, Grimsby Minster (Lady Chapel)
 5.30pm Evening Prayer, Grimsby Minster
 7:30pm PCC meeting at St Hughs

Friday 27th April *Christina Rossetti, Poet, 1894*

9.20am Morning Prayer, Grimsby Minster
 9.30am Coffee Shop open until 2pm, Grimsby Minster

Saturday 28th April *Peter Chanel, Missionary in the South Pacific, Martyr, 1841*

9.15-11.45 MAPAS choir, Grimsby Minster
 2pm-5pm WEA Lecture

Forthcoming meetings in the Parish

The **PCC meets** this Thursday 26th April 2018, at 7:30pm at St Hugh's. Papers should be available for collection at you church today.

Because of the number of apologies received, the **St Hugh's DCC** meeting has been rescheduled from today, until Sunday 20th May at 10:30am.

Because of a clash of meeting the **St Marks DCC** meeting has had to be rescheduled from this Tuesday 24th April. It is suggested that it is now held on Tuesday 15th May at 2pm.

St Hugh DCC

Sunday 20th May 2018 10:30am

St Mark DCC

Tuesday 15th May 2018 2pm

PCC

Thursday 26th April 2018 7:30pm St Hugh's

Annual Parochial Church Meeting

Sunday 29th April 12:30pm**Why not have a go at this week's Word search**

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WELCOME TO OUR SERVICES IN THE PARISH OF GREAT GRIMSBY.



On 4th May at 7:30pm at the Minster, there is a Classical Charity Concert in aid of St Andrew's Hospice and Grimsby Minster featuring music by Bach, Handel, and Saint-Saëns performed by talented local musicians. Tickets are available on the door or via Grimsby Central Hall box office 01472 355025

There is a service of **CHORAL EVENSONG** next Sunday 29th April at 6pm at the Minster.



Will you #StandTogether with us this Christian Aid Week (13th - 19th May 2018) to help families like those of Vilia, Marcelin and Jocelyne live full lives, free from poverty? You can read about their stories on the Christian Aid Week website www.christianaid.org.uk.

We are looking for volunteers for the house-to-house collection to raise money to help in this important work. Please speak to Chris Daniels if you can help (01472 277277)

The **PILGRIM GROUP**, scheduled to meet this Tuesday evening (24th April) has had to be reschedule and we are now going to meet on Tuesday 8th May at the Rectory starting at 7pm. We are going to be looking at the material for Thy Kingdom Come – see notice below. You are very welcome to come and please let Fr Andrew know if you will be there.

REVISION OF THE ELECTORAL ROLL. We are currently undertaking a revision of the church Electoral Roll, something we do every year prior to the Annual Parochial Church Meeting. The Church electoral roll is the foundation of the whole structure of synodical government in the church. It contains the names and addresses of everyone who can vote at the Annual Parochial Church Meeting. Copies of the Electoral Roll will be available in all the team churches from Sunday, 15th April 2018. If you are already on the Roll please check your details and bring any discrepancies to the attention of Ann Morton, our Electoral Roll Secretary. If you are not on the roll, and would like to be, please get an application form from Ann Morton, via the parish office (01472 277277).



During the 11 days of **THY KINGDOM COME**, it is hoped that everyone who participates will deepen their friendship with Jesus, bring other to know Jesus or know him better, and come to know that every aspect of their life is the stuff of prayer. Thy Kingdom Come is a global prayer movement that invites Christians around the world to pray for more people to come to know Jesus. What started in 2016 as an invitation from the Archbishops of Canterbury and York to the Church of England has grown into an international and ecumenical call to prayer.

Thy Kingdom Come 2018 (10th-20th May 2018) is set to provide the cover story for the May/June issue of Crosslinks. We have a dedicated Thy Kingdom Come page on the diocesan website.