

# Welcome to St John's Church-Elmswell

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**9.30am All Age Service with Music Group**  
**11.00am Morning Prayer with Holy Communion**  
(Book of Common Prayer)



If you are visiting or have recently moved to Elmswell and are here for the first time, a warm welcome to you. Tea and coffee will be served in the church room after the All Age service until 10.45am.

## 11.00am Service

**Collect** (*special prayer for today*)

**The Sixth Sunday of Easter**

God our redeemer,  
who hast delivered us from the power of darkness  
and brought us into the kingdom of thy Son:  
grant, that as by his death he hath recalled us to life,  
so by his continual presence in us he may raise us to  
eternal joy;  
through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord,  
who liveth and reigneth with thee,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

**Amen.**

## **BIBLE READINGS**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Colossians 4: 2 to 6 ( p1184 )

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Luke 24: 44 to 53 ( p1062 )

## **HYMNS**

MP 708 To God be the glory!

MP 649 The King of love

MP 728 We have a gospel to proclaim

MP 631 Tell out, my soul

**Sunday 6th May 2018**

## **Notice Board**

On Saturday 30 June 2018 a training session for first aiders will be held in the church room , starting at 9.00am and finishing by 2.30pm. If you are interested in taking part, for further information and booking details please contact Lesley Reed ([Lesley@reed.org](mailto:Lesley@reed.org)) or Peter Goodchild ([petergoodchild19@gmail.com](mailto:petergoodchild19@gmail.com)).

### ***The week ahead***

**This evening** There will not be a CYFA Group meeting this evening.

**Monday 7 May** There will not be a Coffee break this week.

**Thursday 10 May** 7.30pm Ascension Day - Service of Healing and Wholeness.

**Friday 11 May** 11.30am Ladies' Lunch in the Wesley Hall, School Road. If you would like to attend please add your name to the list at the back of the church.

**Saturday 12 May** 9.00am Celtic Prayer in church room.

### ***Diary Dates***

**Sunday 13 May** 10.30am Mission Sunday with OMF speaker, service followed by bring and share lunch.  
6.30pm Taizé service at the Cathedral: a quiet, reflective service with beautiful music.

**Monday 14 May** 10.00am Coffee Break at the Rectory (with thought on prayer).

**Tuesday 15 May** 7.30pm Stations of the Resurrection: Bible readings and prayers focussing on the risen Jesus.

**Thursday 17 May** 7.30pm Praise and Prayer evening.

**Friday 18 May** 2.30pm The Friends of St John's Beetle Drive and afternoon tea in the Wesley Hall.

Tickets £4.00 available now from Jean Folkard, (tel. 01359-242099).

8.00pm Compline in church.

**Saturday 19 May** 9.00am to 9.45am Prayer meeting in the church room.

☺ Please take this notice sheet home with you as a reminder of future events ☺

**Next Sunday – Mission Sunday**  
**8.00am Holy Communion** (Book of Common Prayer)  
**10.30am OMF Service followed by bring and share lunch**