

# Welcome to St John's Church-Elmswell

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## 10.30am Holy Communion

If you are visiting or have recently moved to Elmswell and are here for the first time, a warm welcome to you. Everyone is invited to stay for tea and coffee in the church room after the service.

If you have or know of a pastoral need, please contact one of the Clergy or Christine Martin



Sunday 26th May 2019

**Collect** (*Special prayer for today*)

### The Sixth Sunday of Easter

God our redeemer,  
you have delivered us from the power of darkness  
and brought us into the kingdom of your Son:  
grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life,  
so by his continual presence in us he may raise us  
to eternal joy;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

Amen

### BIBLE READINGS

Epistle: Ephesians 1: 15 to 23 (p1173)

Gospel: Luke 11: 1 to 13 (p1042)

### HYMNS & SONGS

Song: Jesus is Lord, behold the King (On Sht)

Song: We are marching (On Rev N/Sht)

MP 296 I stand amazed

MP 59 Blessed Assurance

MP 13 All hail the power of Jesus' name

## Notice Board

We require a Health and Safety Officer for the church. The officer would be responsible for keeping St John's health and safety policy up to date and undertaking regular inspections and risk assessments. If you are interested in taking on this role please speak to the Rector.

### The week ahead

**This evening** 7.30pm Discovering Christianity at the Rectory.

**Thursday 30 May Ascension Day** 7.30pm to 9.00pm Service of Celtic Prayer and Taize music.

**Friday 31 May** 10.00am to 10.30am Thy Kingdom Come Prayers in church.

10.30am to 12.30pm Messy Church (includes light lunch).

**Saturday 1 June** 9.00am to 9.30am Prayer meeting in the church room.

9.30am to 12.00noon Church and churchyard working party. please bring gardening implements etc. Coffee and cake at 11.00am.

### Diary Dates

**Sunday 2 June** 7.30pm Discovering Christianity at the Rectory.

**Wednesday 5 June** 7.30pm to 9.00pm Prayer and Praise evening (Thy Kingdom Come) in St John's Church.

**Friday 7 June** 11.30am Ladies' Lunch at the Blackbourne. If you would like to attend please add your name to the list at the back of the church.

### Looking Further Ahead

**Sunday 9 June** 5.30pm **Pentecost** – Christians Together in Elmswell Service at the Baptist Church-Ashfield Road (tea at 4.45pm).

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**Next Sunday... 9.30am Family Church (with Music Group)**

**11.00am Holy Communion (Book of Common Prayer)**