

***Welcome to St Catherine's
St Paul's Church
Third Sunday of Easter
Café Church - 4.5.25***

**4.5.25
Join us for
Café Church
at 10.30 hrs.
With Rev. Mark Escott**

**Up Coming Sunday
Services for May**

**11 May 2025
VE Day Service
Holy Communion
11.00h hrs.**

**18 May 2025
Sung Communion
10.30 hrs.**

**25 May 2025
Holy Communion
10.30 hrs.**

***What's On During
The Week***

**Sunday 4.5.25
BCP Service
18.00 in church**

**Tuesday 6.5.25
Lunch Club
12.00 in the Barclay Hall**

**Wednesday 7.5.25
Holy Communion
10.00 in Church**

**Thursday 8.5.25
Coffee Morning
09.00 in Church
&
Chips, Chat & Chaps
Men's Group
18.00 in the Ark Room**

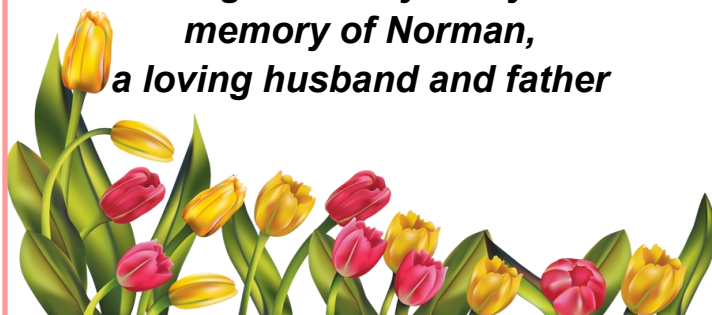
*Our Church exists to worship God; to lead people to Christ;
To build a loving Christian Community and to serve a world in need.*



A Christian Iranian family has recently moved from the Delta Hotel to an unfurnished flat in Broxbourne. CTHBW have given them a Starter pack with bedding, kitchen equipment, crockery and cutlery, and Herts Welcomes Refugees has sourced a microwave, clothes airer, table and dining chairs for them. They would like a wardrobe and a settee and chairs. If you know of anyone who has such items they want to find a home for, please let the Church Office know.

Thank you

Flowers in church have been arranged for Joyce Wye in memory of Norman, a loving husband and father



VE Day Service and Holy Communion

Sunday 11 May @ 11.00 hrs.

We will be joining together to remember all those who died in World War II on the 80th anniversary of Victory in Europe.

All welcome, please note the start time of this service is 11.00hrs.

Farewell Service for Bishop Alan St Albans Cathedral on Sunday 18 May starting at 3pm

The service is open to all and it is hoped that every parish/benefice will be represented.

The details for parish (or individual) contributions to the gift which will be presented at this service are as follows:

Account Name

St Albans Diocesan Board of Finance

Account Number: 20776041

Sort Code: 20-05-03

Reference: BISH2025 (please note that without this reference funds will not be allocated to the gift)

You can read more about the Vacancy in See process and the timeframe for appointing a new Bishop of St Albans [here](#).

Save The Date This years APCM is on Sunday 18.5.25, which is the same day as Bishop Alan's farewell service at St Albans Cathedral. As such the proceedings will finish no later than 13.45 hrs. for those who wish to make their way to St Albans Cathedral. **Thank you.**



As always thank you for your continued support for the Foodbank. The **Foodbank** are in need of the following items;

Long Life Milk, Tins of Fruit & Pasta Sauce.

Thank you

This week you might like to pray for

- **The public consultation meeting for the appointment of the next Bishop of St Albans taking place on Tuesday 6 May**
- **James, who leads Young Life, and the information evening arranged on 19.5.25**
- **Give thanks for Messy Church for the fun and conversations had on Monday 28 April with families**

The church office is open 09.00 to 13.30 hrs.

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Please pray for those who are sick including:

**Joyce Banks, Elaine Dean, Gillian Bassill, Peter Davison, June Green,
Denise Hall, Brian Hoyles, Klaire Kay, Maureen Kelly, Kay Lee, Joan Longman,
Hazel Mackervoy, Margaret Massingham, John Neighbour, Margaret Pike,
Patricia Potts, Joan Rand, John Roberts, David Roberts, Richard Ward,
Shirley Ward, Sandra**

Please keep the office informed if anyone needs adding to or removing from this list.

Each week we will pray for our Mission Partners and a group or groups in our Church. This week please pray for:

Andrew & Lisa Peart and daughters Liliana and Daniela - working for CMS; they are supporting the local Anglican Church and Diocese in the fast-growing city of Santa Cruz in Bolivia, South America

&

All who help with the audio and visual desk

From the electoral roll, please pray for:

Pam Fairbairn, John and Diana Forrest

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