12th May 2019 Notes and News



Christ Church Milton-next-Gravesend

Looking ahead

12th May		
8.00 am	Holy Communion (said)	
10.00 am	All Age Holy	
	Communion	
4.00 pm	Evensong	
16th May		
2.30 pm	Mustard Seed	
19th May		
8.00 am	Holy Communion (said)	
10.00 am	Family Communion	
26th May	-	
8.00 am	Holy Communion (said)	
10.00 am	Family Communion	
30th May	-	
8.00 am	Said Holy Communion	
7.30 pm	Cluster Holy	
	Communion at	
	St. Aidan's Church	
2nd June		
8.00 am	Holy Communion (said)	
10.00 am	Family Communion	
9th June	-	
8.00 am	Holy Communion (said)	
10.00 am	All Age Holy	
	Communion	
4.00 pm	Evensong	

A warm welcome to any visitors worshipping with us this morning. Please make yourself known to one of the clergy or the people who greeted you at the door.

MANY THANKS

to everyone who supported the Quiz on Saturday. We had a great evening and raised £277 for Christian Aid.



Also thank you to everyone who supported the Table Top Sale.

There were a good number of tables both for Charities and private sellers.

We raised ± 280.60 for Christ Church on the tombola, plants, refreshments and entrance fees.



Thank you to everyone who helped at the Church working party yesterday.

Well done everyone

Week day services

Holy Communion	Wednesday	10.00 am and Saturday 8.00 am
Morning Prayer	Monday	8.00 am at Christ Church
Morning Prayer	Tuesday	8.00 am at St. Aidan's Church
Evening Prayer	Wednesday	5.15 pm at Christ Church
Morning Prayer	Thursday	8.30 am at Holy Family Church
Morning Prayer	Friday	9.00 am at St. Aidan's Church

Mustard Seed meet again on Thursday 16th May at 2.30 pm in the Church Hall.	
Please join us for tasty refreshments and a chat. All ages are welcome to come.	Summer Fete "Around the World" on Saturday 15th June at 2.30 pm
<u> </u>	We are starting to gather together items for the stalls -
Ascension Day – Thursday 30th May There will be a said Holy Communion Service in Christ Church at 8.00 am and a Cluster Service of Holy Communion in St. Aidan's Church at 7.30 pm. You are encouraged to attend one of these services.	Next week please bring gifts and collectables, white elephant and toys.
There will be a Deanery Confirmation in Christ Church on Sunday 21st July at 6.00 pm. Please speak to Sally, Jacqueline or Karen if you wish to be Confirmed or would like more information.	Please come back to-day at 4.00 pm and join the Choir for Evensong.

Elliot's Farewell

We would like you to join us to celebrate the life of our beautiful daughter Elliot Rose Hornby on Wednesday 15th May in Church at 12 noon followed by a committal service at Thamesview Crematorium and then at Christ Church Hall for refreshments.

Please feel free to wear something colourful.

Flowers are welcome but we encourage donations to the Kent, Surrey and Sussex Air Ambulance Trust who along with the emergency services did everything they could.

Ryan, Lucy, Cameron and Eden

There is a sign up list at the back of the church if you hope to attend Elliot's funeral. Gravesend Entertainment & Music Society present their

Spring Concerts in aid of

The Alzheimer & Dementia Society The Children's Air Ambulance

on

Friday 17th May at 7.30 pm with special guests "Hooked on Flutes"

and on Saturday 18th May at 3.00 pm with special guests Semiquavers Children's Choir in Christ Church

Tickets £7.00 per concert or £10 for both concerts

To book call 01474 749945 or 07879 407264 or speak to John Thrush



The local churches have been given permission to collect for Christian Aid at Gravesend station on Monday 13th, Wednesday 15th, Thursday 16th and Friday 17th May - NOT

Tuesday 14th.

We aim to cover from 7.00am—10 am and from 4.00 pm—7.00 pm on these days.

If you can help please contact Mavis Prater on mavisprater@hotmail.co.uk or phone 01474 812330

Please remember to bring your old mobile phones, phone cards, spectacles, Canon and HP printer cartridges (no other ink cartridges, thank





you), stamps, foreign coins, postcards, etc. for re-cycling.



Please put them in Priest Jacqueline's box at the back of the church

We support Ellenor, Demelza House, The Children's Society, Leprosy Mission, RNLI and Cancer Research UK

Your contributions provide valuable support to hard-pressed charities

and are very gratefully received as well as doing something for the planet.





Many thanks to everyone who contributes to the Foodbank.

The Civic Mayor Making Ceremony is on Thursday 16th May in the Woodville Halls at 7.30 pm when Councillor Gurdip Ram Bungar, Central Ward Counciller, will be welcomed as the new Mayor of Gravesham.

Everyone is welcome to attend

In the bookcase near the main door to the church you will find Bibles that you can borrow during the service. Please help yourselves and replace the Bible at the end of the service.

Gluten free Communion wafers are available at every service—please have a word with the Churchwardens or Clergy if you would like to receive gluten free wafers.

Items for the news sheet should be sent to Julie Hill on juah 1961@talktalk.net Items for the website should be sent to ccwebsite@tjmcomp.co.uk

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