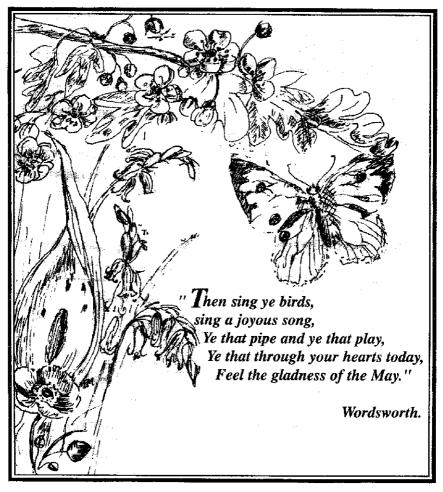
# ROUNDABOUT

# **CHURCH AND COMMUNITY MAGAZINE**



## PARISHES OF PILTON, CROSCOMBE, NORTH WOOTTON AND DINDER

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Roundabout email address: magazine@roundaboutnews.org.uk All material in Word, please, and not in boxes.

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All other materials and the small adverts should be left at the collecting points (see pages 18/19) but if you need to speak to someone, please contact Susan Green (890524), Janet Christie (344633), Eve Harris (343194), Ann Williamson (428133) or Alison Mayall (675861) who will help you.

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JUNE ROUNDABOUT DEADLINE FOR ALL MATERIAL IS MONDAY 16th MAY 9.00AM

#### **RECTOR'S RAMBLES**

This year May is a month of preparation for celebrations. The planning for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee is well under way around the country. Within this magazine you will find details of some of the local events planned which link into the national events.

As part of the overall celebrations *The Queen's Green Canopy* (QGC) is inviting people from across the United Kingdom to "**Plant a Tree for the Jubilee**". Planting a tree is a sign of hope for future generations as many of us will not be around when that tree achieves its potential.

As well as inviting the planting of new trees, a network of 70 Ancient Woodlands will be dedicated across the United Kingdom and 70 Ancient Trees will be identified to celebrate Her Majesty's 70 years of service. I understand Ancient Woodlands are areas of woodland that have persisted since 1600 in England and Wales and, having looked at the map there are more in our area than I realised. If only the trees could talk about events they have witnessed in their lives! And isn't it wonderful that even more areas will get protection for future generations to enjoy?

I know some people do not believe in having a monarchy but let's leave that debate aside and focus on the Queen herself. In a world full of upheaval she has been a constant for many people throughout their lives. Some can remember the pomp and circumstance of her Coronation, others have memories that include the Silver Jubilee and more recently the Golden and Diamond Jubilees. As well as celebrating her role as of Head of State many of us will be honouring her position as Head of the Church of England, a duty we know she takes very seriously. She leads by example with a quiet but strong faith underpinning her life.

When she became the longest serving monarch a prayer was written to mark the occasion which feels appropriate to use again:

Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ exchanged the glory of a heavenly throne for the form of a servant, we thank you that you have given Elizabeth our Queen a heart to serve her people, and have kept her devoted in this service beyond all who were before her: Encourage us by her example to serve one another, and to seek the common good, until you call us all to reign with Christ in your eternal kingdom. Amen.

Rev. Chris

#### PRAYER FOCUS

We are glad to welcome the brighter, warmer Spring days and the hope and joy they bring to our lives, but we continue to be very aware of other areas in the world experiencing terrible times, especially in Ukraine. We pray for people there and also for the refugees in the United Kingdom and other countries as they seek to make some sort of new life.

#### **PSALMS**

This month's Psalms include praise, thanksgiving and the well-loved words about the Good Shepherd.

The psalms that can be read on Sundays in April are:

 1st May
 Psalm 30

 8th May
 Psalm 23

 15th May
 Psalm 148: 1-6

 22nd May
 Psalm 67

 29th May
 Psalm 97

#### **BIBLE READINGS**

Acts 9: 1-20	John 21: 1-19
Acts 9: 36-end	John 10: 22-30
Acts 11: 1-11	John 13: 31-35
Acts 16: 9-15	John 14: 23-29
Acts 16: 16-34	John 17: 20-end
	Acts 9: 36-end Acts 11: 1-11 Acts 16: 9-15

#### **BIBLE STUDY GROUPS**

#### **BENEFICE STUDY GROUP**

Our fortnightly benefice study group continues to meet in North Wootton fortnightly on a Monday morning at 10.30am at the home of Tim and Felicity Wotton. For further details please ring Andrew Pugh (890535) or Chris Butler (899061).

#### **NEW PILTON ECUMENICAL GROUP**

In addition, following from our Lent group a new ecumenical study group is beginning in Pilton. It will meet monthly in the New Room Coffee Shop and our first meeting will be on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May at 2.30pm. Please do come and join us.



#### CHRISTIAN AID WEEK this year will be 15th- 21st May

'Turn hunger into hope' – For the first time in generations global poverty is rising. We hope that your support will help to provide for some of the world's poorest. There will be events during the week and we do hope that you will be able to come to at least one of these events.

**Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> May** – Cream Teas and Plant Sale from 3.00pm in **North Wootton** Village Hall

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> May - Coffee Evening from 7.00pm at Ruth Eavis', Hazelmount, Pilton

**Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> May** – Coffee Morning 10.30am–12.30pm at Kate Lewis', Highgate House, Thrupe Lane, **Croscombe** BA5 3RB. (parking limited)

We would welcome any people willing to collect during Christian Aid Week and if you feel you are able to help, please contact Hilary Austin on 890561.

Envelopes will be in all the churches and can be returned to any church member or taken to any of the events.

Hilary Austin

#### THE ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETINGS

May is also the time for our Annual Parochial Church Meetings. Please do come along to support your Churches as we review the last year, think about our recent history, and look forward to the future. Everyone who is on the Church Electoral Roll is welcome to join in these meetings.

Nomination forms for Churchwardens and Parochial Church Council members are available in the churches.

The dates of the meetings are as follows:

Pilton: Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm Dinder: Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm

Croscombe: Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 12.00noon (following the service)

North Wootton: Thursday 26th May 7.00pm (following a 6.30pm

Ascension Day service of Evening Prayer)

#### **ABOUT PEOPLE**

We welcome new people to our villages and hope that you settle happily in your new homes and that you will soon be able to enjoy the groups and events that make up village life and help you to be part of life here.

We send our good wishes and prayers to anyone who is unwell whether you are at home or in hospital. We remember those receiving treatment, those awaiting the results of tests and the families and friends who care for needy people.

#### Weddings

Congratulations to Andrew and Emma Masters (nee Major) who were married in St Peter's Church, North Wootton on 2<sup>nd</sup> April. We wish them every happiness.

#### **Deaths**

Loving sympathy is extended to the families and friends of people who have died recently.

We are sad to report the death on 23<sup>rd</sup> March of **Sean Reilly**, formerly of Pilton. A service to celebrate his life is scheduled to be held at Mendip Crematorium on 14<sup>th</sup> April.

It is with sadness that we announce the death of **Phyllis Hicks** of Pilton on 1<sup>st</sup> April. Her funeral service, followed by burial in Ansford Churchyard, is scheduled to take place on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> April at St Andrew's Church, Ansford.

#### PILTON CHURCH BOILER

Our new boiler is proving much more reliable than the old one and we have been enjoying the warmth that it gives on chilly Sundays. Since last month's report there have been some other generous donations. For further details on making donations to make up the shortfall, please contact Paul Warry on 890434.

**THANKS** for generous anonymous donations towards the production of Roundabout.

#### WHAT'S ON IN PILTON

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2<sup>nd</sup> Grand Jumble Trail around the village.

3<sup>rd</sup> Ecumenical Discussion Group,

New Room Coffee Shop 2.30pm

3<sup>rd</sup> Parish Council Meeting, Village Hall

11<sup>th</sup> Happy Circle, PWMC 2.15pm

15<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> Christian Aid Week (see page 5 for details)

16<sup>th</sup> APCM, Parish Church 7.30pm

18th Christian Aid Coffee Evening

Hazelmount, the home of Ruth Eavis 7.00-9.00pm

25<sup>th</sup> Happy Circle, PWMC 2.15pm

June

2<sup>nd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Jubilee Weekend (see pages 7 and 8 for details)

#### GRAND JUMBLE TRAIL AROUND THE VILLAGE

#### MONDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> MAY

#### PILTON'S COMMUNITY COFFEE SHOP

#### **HELPERS WANTED**



WE ARE GOING TO FIND IT DIFFICULT
TO STAFF THE COFFEE SHOP DURING
THE SUMMER HOLIDAY SEASON.
IF YOU ARE ABLE TO SPARE A MORNING
DURING THE WEEK,
OR EVEN THE OCCASIONAL WEEK,
PLEASE GET IN TOUCH WITH
GILL ON 890468
OR ALLISON ON 899516

The Coffee Shop will be open all day during the Jumble Trail on May 2<sup>nd</sup>.



#### PLATINUM JUBILEE WEEKEND CELEBRATIONS IN PILTON

At the time of writing (before Easter) the official website doesn't yet give exact timings, so we will confirm missing details on posters around the village and on Facebook.

**THURSDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> JUNE** Book for supper at **Pilton Club** 890162 or <a href="mailtonvh@gmail.com">piltonvh@gmail.com</a> before going up to the Jubilee bonfire at Burford crossroads. Beacons will be lit nationwide as the sun sets and darkness falls. In 2012 apparently 8 could be seen from there.

A special Song for the Commonwealth was commissioned to be sung by choirs in all 54 Commonwealth countries at beacon lighting. Village Voices hope to perform this.

**SATURDAY 4<sup>th</sup> JUNE** A special supper at **Pilton Club** (bookings as above) then watch the Platinum Party live from Buckingham Palace on giant screens.

SUNDAY 5<sup>th</sup> JUNE – 11.00am Village Jubilee Service for All Ages at St. John the Baptist Church.

Followed by 12.30 - 4.30 pm – THE BIG LUNCH (and teas...) at the TITHE BARN Several food options: Pre-order a special picnic by 24<sup>th</sup> May latest from The Wild Picnic Company via website <a href="https://www.wildpicnic.co.uk/jubilee-picnic">www.wildpicnic.co.uk/jubilee-picnic</a> or Bring Your Own! Third option, a woodfired pizza from the PIZZA ROCKET!

Pop-up pay bar run by **The Crown**. Tea, coffee and cakes from 2.30pm will be free but donations for charity.

Children's activities include Fancy Dress Parade (regal).

**Dressing up encouraged for all ages** - including decorated hats - can be for any decade since 1952!

We regret Guide Dogs only, as with picnics possibly on the ground .....! Some tables and chairs will be provided but feel free to bring your own, or rugs, as for outdoor events.



Inside, films of previous Jubilees will be screened, plus live-streaming of London's Jubilee Pageant. Decoration will be displays of other village Jubilee or Coronation celebrations, plus bunting. Let's put colourful bunting around the village: or make bunting for inside the Barn - any depictions of trees or leaves. Not only for children to do: Jenny has plain fabric and templates for you to decorate. Barn bunting needed complete by 31st May.

Come along and share historic memories or make new ones with friends and family!

Any queries - Pilton Jubilee Events Group c/o Jenny 890465 jennydegex@btinternet.com

#### PILTON PARISH COUNCIL

www.piltonparishcouncil.org

Thank you to our outgoing Parish Council members for their service over the past years.

The biggest thank you goes to Robert Kearle for over 24 years' service to the Parish Council. Thank you, Robert, for your hard work, dedication and generosity of your time which will be greatly missed. Good luck to everyone in the elections.

Plltonpiltonparishclerk@yahoo.com



#### **USED POSTAGE STAMPS**

I am collecting used stamps for the British Hedgehog Preservation Society so if you have any, they can be dropped off at Meadow Lea, Shutwell Lane, Pilton BA4 4DY. Thank you in advance.

Felicity Samuels



#### PILTON SHOW WEEKEND - 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> September

We are still looking for enthusiastic volunteers: First, with a passion for books, to **totally** manage the Bookstall, gathering in kind donations, sorting, storing, labelling and manning the stall on the day. Second, to man the Bottle Stall on the day only, as all donations will be gathered in advance by Tracey Mapstone (890365). Not too onerous and can be fun! Please contact Ruth Eavis (890607) if you can help.

Flower Show Schedule of Classes is now available on <a href="https://www.piltonflowershow.org.uk">www.piltonflowershow.org.uk</a> or at the Co-op in Pilton, or via the files section of Pilton Village Community Page on Facebook.

By popular demand the Scarecrows competition will be back this summer around the village and on the Show field. Entry details in June Roundabout. Theme is MUSIC AND/OR MUSICIANS.

Calling everyone who had Crafts stalls last year – or indeed any new makers - please let me know if you'd like a stall iennydegex@btinternet.com

If you are having a spring clearance, please think of the various stalls (full list in June) for your kind donations.

Volunteers are needed for several aspects of the September weekend, not least the ever-popular Bar! If you can help *at all*, please call Jenny (890465).

Pilton Show Committee

#### **PILTON HAPPY CIRCLE**

Richard Raynsford gave a very interesting and informative slide show about the buildings and landscape of Mendip. It included many pictures of local churches and medieval buildings which enrich the area and can be found within the vicinity of Pilton. Members enjoyed the presentation very much and were particularly intrigued by the history of the stained-glass windows in the local churches.

At the following Happy Circle meeting, Freda surprised us all with a quiz which caused much amusement amongst the members! The chuckling continued as we all shared tea and biscuits.

Janet Raynsford

#### MAY EVENTS AT OUR VILLAGE PUBS AND CLUBS

#### PILTON WORKING MEN'S CLUB (890162)

piltonvh@gmail.com

#### **Pilton Club**

Tuesdays -Thursdays 7.00-10.00pm Friday 6.00-10.00pm – Food served 6.00-8.00pm Saturday 7.00 -10.00pm - Sunday 12.00noon – 4.00pm Sunday Carvery 12.00noon – 2.00pm Eat in or take away

#### THE GEORGE INN, CROSCOMBE (342306)

www.thegeorgeinn.co.uk

For May opening hours see the website 5pm-9pm Monday – Thursday 5pm-10pm Friday and Saturday Closed Sunday evening.

Take away or eat at the pub is available daily until 1 hour before closing times and include:

Curry on Thursday
Fish and Chips Any time
Pizza Saturday Night.
er in advance please 342306 or 07892

Call to order in advance please 342306 or 07892 699297 Village Shop – open daily 8.00am – 2.00pm

# PILTON NEW ROOM COMMUNITY COFFEE SHOP

(Next to the Pre-school and Chapel)
Managed and run entirely by volunteers
This month we will be open from

Monday to Saturday 10.00am to 12.30pm

If you are interested in joining our team of volunteers please call Philip or Gill on 890468

#### WHAT'S ON IN CROSCOMBE

May

3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, 31<sup>st</sup> Sequence Dancing. Village Hall 8.00pm 6<sup>th</sup> Trio Paradis Café Concert.

"Music in May". Village Hall 10.00am for 10.30am

10th Croscombe Women's Group. Afternoon Tea at The Cross

12<sup>th</sup> Parish Council Meeting. Church Room 7.30pm

14<sup>th</sup> Croscombe Village Orchestra Concert. Village Hall 7.00pm

16<sup>th</sup> Film Night. "Belfast" (cert. 12A). Village Hall 7.00pm for 7.30pm 19<sup>th</sup> Senior Citizens' Club. Afternoon Tea.

The Foyle Room, Village Hall.

21st Christian Aid Coffee Morning at the home of Kate Lewis:

Highgate House, Thrupe Lane, BA5 3RB 10.30am – 12.30pm 22<sup>nd</sup> APCM. St. Mary's Church 12.00 noon

(After service in church)

23<sup>rd</sup> 'The Regulars' A play by Teatro Vivo. The George Inn 8.00pm **June** 

4<sup>th</sup> Jubilee Party. Village Hall



#### TRIO PARADIS CONCERT

7.30pm

Concerts continue at 10.00am on the first Friday of every month at Croscombe Village Hall:

**6<sup>th</sup> May** 'Music in May' - music inspired by spring and the month of Maying.

Refreshments - tea, coffee & home-made cakes. Free entry with donations invited. <a href="http://www.trioparadis.com">http://www.trioparadis.com</a>

#### **CROSCOMBE VILLAGE ORCHESTRA**

Our May concert is on **Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> May** at 7.00 pm in Croscombe Village Hall.

Our programme includes Suite of English Folksongs by Vaughan Williams and Brahms' Second Symphony. Patrick Williams, a professional flautist, has recently moved into the village and will be performing Mozart's Flute Concerto in G Major with us.

Admission adults £5, under 14s £1, including refreshments during the interval.

We look forward to seeing you and enjoying another concert together.

Jo Sackett, Secretary

# CROSCOMBE VILLAGE FILM NIGHT Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May Village Hall

Kenneth Branagh's Oscar winning 2022 film "**Belfast**" Nominated for 7 Oscars and winning best original screen play. Music by Van Morrison. Certificate 12A Doors open 7.00pm for 7.30 start. Tickets £6.00. Bar available.

#### "THE REGULARS" - A PLAY BY TEATRO VIVO

Celebrate the spirit of the Local and the tales told there in this playful and immersive show from Teatro Vivo supported by Take Art, Croscombe Frolics and The George Inn, taking place at The George on **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> May**.

Doors 6:30pm.

Advance tickets - £10 show only / £20 "play-and-a-plate" deal.

Info & tickets: The George Inn (342306) or Croscombe Frolics (Richard Cronin 939485)

#### CROSCOMBE VILLAGE HALL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Thank you for all those that have paid their yearly subscriptions for the 100 Club.

The winners are as follows.

January £25 H Sleap £15 P Swindale February £25 J Sackett £15 B Meredith March £25 G Way £15 B Wallace April £25 E Cronin £15 J Mitchell

Thank you for your continuing support in our fundraising events. No Coffee Morning is planned in May as Hall usage is very busy but we hope to see you in June at the Jubilee celebrations.

Sheila Wilkins Chairman

#### CROSCOMBE COMMMUNITY ALLOTMENT ASSOCIATION



We have a vacant plot available! All that is needed is a spade and a bucket-load of enthusiasm! We provide a communal shed, use of a rotavator if needed, water and electricity.

Contact Trevor Harris 343194 for further details



**SEQUENCE DANCING** every Tuesday at 8.00pm, in Croscombe Village Hall.

Contact Lyn Manvill 343833.

# THE ARTS SOCIETY MENDIP (Live and online) Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May

THE ARTS SOCIETY MENDIP

Perdita Robinson, 1752-1800. Karin Fernald will uncover this famous creative celebrity of her day to the Arts Society Mendip on 3<sup>rd</sup> May at 11.00am, in Croscombe Village Hall (and simultaneously via Zoom - links will be sent to all members). Guests welcome, on request to <a href="mailto:tasmendip.comm@gmail.com">tasmendip.comm@gmail.com</a> A guest donation of £6 will be requested.



#### **POSTAGE STAMPS**

I am still collecting postage stamps for the charities (RSPB at present). They can be left at my house - Livadia, Fayre Way, Croscombe. Charities are always grateful for donations. Many thanks for those received recently.

Janet Dowding

#### WHAT'S ON IN DINDER and DULCOTE

May 18<sup>th</sup> Church APCM.

7.30pm



Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 10.00am-12.00 noon I will be holding my plant/craft/coffee morning for Cancer Research UK on May Day Bank Holiday Monday.

Two plants stalls, crafts, cakes, raffle, live music, and more. £2.50 for coffee and home-made cake.

All proceeds to Cancer Research UK. Stook House Farm, Littlemoor Road, Mark TA9 4NL.

Hope to see you there.

Lynne Duckett

#### **SMALL ADS**

**Daniel's garden maintenance.** Lawns cut, seeded, turfed. Hedges cut, garden clearance, Patio-laying, jet-washing, fencing plus fence painting. Weeding. Call Daniel 672832 or 07936583986

**Daniel's property maintenance** Roof repairs. Gutters cleaned, repaired and renewed. Interior and exterior painting and much more. Call Reg 672832 mob 07518116140

**Give your garden a treat. 2-year-old well-rotted horse manure** sold by sack or load. 100% organic. Contact 890582.

Chantry Construction: stone walling, drives, block paving, patios, extensions, mini-digger and driver. Contact Paul Merrett 01373 836787 or 07855343388.

**Chimney Clean:** Chimney sweep, clean and efficient service est. 1985. Please ring Colin on 07596 534861.

**Domestic Cleaning Services.** For references and details please call 01749 689099 or email <u>pattinson321@yahoo.co.uk</u>

West Country Gardening and Landscape Services for all types of tree, hedge, shrub and garden work. We also do one off garden tidying. Licensed waste carrier. 01458 210237. 07961 986871

**Chiropractor,** Dr Ben Bullard D.C. clinic in Pylle. All ages, and all types of pain treated. Book online *portmanhousechiropractic.co.uk* or call 01749 681656

**Preloved / Upcycled Sale and Giveaway** continues in Croscombe. More Items Added! More Items Reduced! Visit <a href="https://www.4sale4free.co.uk">www.4sale4free.co.uk</a> or call Ann on 07957 608 735

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Our contact details are on the inside front cover or you can use the email address magazine@roundaboutnews.org.uk

#### **PARISH COUNCIL WEBSITES**

www.piltonparishcouncil.org www.croscombeparishcouncil.co.uk



#### CROSCOMBE CEVA PRIMARY SCHOOL

April flew by so quickly! As always, the schools have been delightfully busy. The children in Croscombe and Stoke St Michael Nursery and Primary Schools enjoyed a fabulous Federation Art Week with the theme of FORESTS! All of the children from The Early Years to Year 6 worked collaboratively using their artistic abilities to work with the local artist, Rev. Gill, as well as lots of visiting artists, to using a variety of different materials to create large, beautiful masterpieces. Thank you to all the visiting artists; the children learned so much and are very proud of their work. If you want to read more about how we celebrated Art Week, take a look at our Facebook page @croscombecofeprimary and the school website <a href="https://www.croscombestokefederation.co.uk">www.croscombestokefederation.co.uk</a>

In the build-up to Easter, the children had an 'egg-cellent' time celebrating all things Easter. This ranged from decorating Easter eggs and cards to talking about the Bible and Easter's importance to Christians. We even had a competition to make an Easter bonnet; the entries were shown to parents in our special celebration assembly. Our youngest class, Acorns, visited Rev. Chris at the church to learn about the significance of bread and wine at this time of year. The middle of the month came with a well-deserved holiday for all, where we could all relax with friends and family as well as indulge in an Easter egg or two! The last week of April called for the start of a new term. Our pupils arrived back with their usual boundless energy and an appetite to learn during the term ahead.

Millie Hole



#### Open 1<sup>st</sup> April – 30<sup>th</sup> June

**Open Poetry**: Entry fee, £6

Prizes: 1st £1,000, 2nd £500, 3rd £250, Local £100

Any subject, no more than 35 lines

Short Story: Entry fee, £6

Prizes: 1st £750, 2nd £300, 3rd £200, Local £100

Any subject, 1,000 to 2,000 words

A Book for Children: Entry fee, £6

Prizes: 1<sup>st</sup> £750, 2<sup>nd</sup> £300, 3<sup>rd</sup> £200, Local £100 Any subject. First two chapters or first twenty pages

whichever is the shortest, plus the synopsis

The competition will judge writing for children, age 9 and up.

This includes writing for young adults

Young Poets: Entry fee, £3

Prizes: £150, £75, £50 plus a year's membership of

The Poetry Society

Wells Festival of Literature Competition Classes for prose and poetry

for all ages.

April 1st - June 30th.

For further details contact <u>www.wellsfestivalofliterature.org.uk</u> email: competitions@wellsfestivalofliterature.org.uk

FOSSEWAY GARDENING CLUB Annual Plant Sale Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> May – 10.30am-12.30pm at Harvest Yard, Ditcheat BA4 6RB

(Please park near the church)

There will be a wide variety of plants to choose from at reasonable prices. Please come along and support us. Visitors and new members are always welcome to attend our friendly meetings during the winter months and garden visits in the summer months. For further information please contact Jill on 07772 008 594.

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#### www.stmaryscroscombechurch.org

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#### **CROSCOMBE SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**

Pastor: Rio Espulgar	07824 878 553
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#### NORTH WOOTTON PARISH CHURCH OF ST PETER

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#### PILTON METHODIST CHURCH SERVICES

1 <sup>st</sup> May	Rev. Tina Swire	
8 <sup>th</sup> May	Steve Derby	
15 <sup>th</sup> May	Ken Hill	
22 <sup>nd</sup> May	Anniversary Service	Rev. David Coppard
29 <sup>th</sup> May	Moira Cowell	

Services at 10.30am followed by coffee in the New Room

PARISH CHURCH SERVICES - MAY 2022		
1 <sup>st</sup> May	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter	
11.00am	United Benefice Service	Pilton
8 <sup>th</sup> May	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter	
9.30am	Holy Communion	Pilton
11.00am	Holy Communion by Extension	Croscombe
11.00am	Holy Communion	North Wootton
A	a service at Dinder may be arranged nearer th	ne time
15 <sup>th</sup> May	5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter	
9.30am	Easter Holy Communion	North Wootton
11.00am	Morning Service	Pilton
11.00am	Holy Communion	Dinder
22 <sup>nd</sup> May	6 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter	
10.30am	United Service at the Methodist Church	Pilton
11.00am	Holy Communion	Croscombe
11.00am	Morning Service	North Wootton
26 <sup>th</sup> May	Ascension Day	
6.30pm	Evening Service	North Wootton
29 <sup>th</sup> May	7 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter	
11.00am	United Benefice Service	Croscombe
5 <sup>th</sup> June	Pentecost	
	A service of Holy Communion to be confirm	ned
11.00am	Village Jubilee Service	Pilton
	Other Jubilee services are yet to be arrang	ged

#### **ONLINE SERVICES**

If you do not receive these at present and would like to, please email <a href="mailto:rector.pcnd@gmail.com">rector.pcnd@gmail.com</a> Services can also be found at "A Church Near You/Pilton St John the Baptist"