

*'To Know Christ and to make him Known.'*



**10.30 Rev Joseph Ribiero**  
**17.00 Bible Study in the church**



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Welcome to everyone worshipping with us today; for those who have difficulty hearing we have a loop system in operation. Refreshments will be served after the service.

### Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April Partnership Annual General Meeting

The Partnership AGM will take place in Toothill Church at 19.00 on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April.

Next Sunday 10.30 Rev Mark Tidey

### Activities in Toothill Church

<b>Sunday</b>	17.00 – 18.00 Bible Study every 2 weeks	Next 5 <sup>th</sup> May 2024
<b>Monday</b>	10.00 – 12.00 The Hub	Every week
<b>Monday</b>	14.00 - 16.00 U3A History Group 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Mondays	Next 6 <sup>th</sup> May 2024
<b>Monday</b>	17.00 - 19.00 West Swindon Youth Club Mondays	Every week term time only
<b>Tuesday</b>	10.00 – 12.00 U3A Travel Group	Next 7 <sup>th</sup> May 2024
<b>Wednesday</b>	12.30 – 15.30 Welcome Space every week	Every Week
<b>Thursday</b>	10.00 – 11.30 Toothill Tinies	Every week
<b>Friday</b>	10.30 – 12.00 Music Group every 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> Friday	Next 26 <sup>th</sup> April 2024
<b>Friday</b>	17.00 – 19.00 Friday Club	Every week term time only

### For Members who are unable to get to church.

For those unable to get to church here is the link for you to worship online with words and hymns included <https://devotions.urchurch.org.uk/> By using the same link you may also receive daily devotions which are sent out 6.00 am each day

### Welcome Space every Wednesday 12.30pm – 3.30pm

Toothill Church is open for anyone to come and meet and have a chat while keeping warm. There is: Free soup, bread and hot drinks available, and a selection of board games, Jigsaws, dominoes, crafts and adult colouring etc.

### Jumble Sale for Welcome Space

On Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> April Welcome Space had a Spring Jumble Sale. We had quite a few people coming in looking for bargains and we made £159.59 which will be put into the welcome space funds.

Thank you to those who helped and donated, it was much appreciated.

Thank you to all.

Debbie and Tony

### **Friday Morning Prayers at 9.30 via Zoom**

To Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87105668938?pwd=OERYZ0FEUndicnVpRUJxaVhrOWswUT09>

### **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May Partnership Service in Toothill Church Build your Kingdom here.**

It will be an opportunity to give thanks for all that has passed, to commit to God and to building God's Kingdom in West Swindon now and in the future. It will be led by lay worship leaders from across the partnership.

Each of the partnership churches are invited to provide the following towards the shared lunch following the service...

Holy Trinity - Deserts/puddings

St. Mary's - Cold finger food

Toothill - Hot food

Westlea - Crisps and snacks

We will be showing photographs of the churches activities through the years before and after the service. Can you please ask your folks to look out any such photos they have and email them to [markdowling@wswinlyd.onmicrosoft.com](mailto:markdowling@wswinlyd.onmicrosoft.com).

If you have any questions do come back to me.

Thank you.

Grace and peace...

Mark.

Mark Dowling

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### **Prayers for today**

Do please let us know if you would like to add someone to the list for prayer, remembering that we must have the permission of the person for whom we are praying.

Updates about those being prayed for are welcome.

Please pray for:

Emma's cousins Sally and Peter as they come to terms with the sudden death of their mum, Emma's Aunty Gill, Eileen and her family, Emma's friend Kate Storer, Jan and Gordon, Norma, Sarah and all those you know in need of God's special love, care and healing.

Our ministers Clive, Trevor, Mark, Som and Joseph.

Our children's and worship leaders and their families across the Partnership,

Welcome Space in our churches,

Our home congregation,

Our work with children, Hazelwood Academy, young people and families in Toothill and West Swindon.

### **Prayer for His Majesty the King.**

Heavenly Father, whose love enfolds us with healing and hope, we pray for Charles our King as he faces the challenge of cancer. May your healing touch bring him quickly back to health and wholeness. Look with kindness on Queen Camilla and all the Royal Family at this testing time. Give wisdom, skill and compassion to those who are caring for the King. Father of mercies, grant to Charles our King, comfort and sure confidence in you, and keep him in perpetual peace and safety, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Prayer for The Princess of Wales

The Prayer for HRH the Princess of Wales reads: "Gracious God. We pray for the continued recovery of the Princess of Wales, for her husband, and for their family. "Grant to them, and to all who are affected by sickness, faith, hope, and knowledge of your love, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

## News from Clive

"The Reverend Canon Captain Clive Deverell is delighted to announce, he has been asked to be training incumbent for Neil Fisher, former Licenced Lay Minister and organist of St Augustine's in Even Swindon. Neil will serve as Assistant Curate in the Parishes of West Swindon and Lydiard Tregoze, at Holy Trinity Shaw and St Mary's Lydiard Tregoze following his ordination at the end of June. Neil's ordination is due to take place on Sunday 30th June 2024, at 10.30am in Bristol Cathedral."

There will be a welcome service/event at 5.00pm in Holy Trinity Shaw on the same day, please hold Neil in your prayers as he prepares to join us."

## Come & Sing Choral Evensong

**11 May, 3.30-4.30 pm, Bristol Cathedral.**

Bristol Cathedral Choir is inviting church choirs to join in with their Evensong on 11 May.

Visit the link to fill out the sign-up form by the end of April.

There will be rehearsals during the day on the 11th.

<https://bristolcathedral.churchsuite.com/forms/xnnxhwyh>



## May

<b>Sunday 5<sup>th</sup></b>	10.30	Mr Philip Bunce	
<b>Sunday 12<sup>th</sup></b>	10.30	Partnership Service	<b>(Last Service of the Partnership)</b>
<b>Sunday 19<sup>th</sup></b>	10.30	Rev Joseph Ribiero	
<b>Sunday 26<sup>th</sup></b>	10.30	Mr Mark Dowling	

## June

<b>Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	10.30	TBA	
<b>Sunday 9<sup>th</sup></b>	10.30	Rev Mark Tidey	
<b>Sunday 16<sup>th</sup></b>	10.30	Rev Joseph Ribiero	
<b>Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	10.30	Deacon Som Okonkwo	
<b>Sunday 30<sup>th</sup></b>	10.30	TBA	

## Peace begins with a smile from Jess.



Why couldn't the two elephants go swimming?  
Because they only had one pair of trunks between them.

How fast can a duck go? At a quacking pace.

What do you call a sleeping bull? A bull-dozer.

What animals are on legal documents? Seals!

What did the buffalo say to his son when he went away on a trip? Bison!



**Toothill Church Website** *Toothill Church is part of the West Swindon and Lydiard Tregoze Church Partnership. We work with members at Westlea School, Holy Trinity Shaw, and St Mary's Lydiard Tregoze. Our members come from all denominations, or none, but we work closely with and come under the jurisdiction of four denominations: Anglican, Baptist, United Reformed Church, and Methodist*

**DG4J**  
**(Day-group for Jesus)**

Summer Programme Apr 24 to Jul 24

Meeting on Zoom – 10:00am to 12:00pm

Monday, 6th May 24 – Eucharist 2 – Leader Pete

Monday, 20th May 24 – Reconciliation 1 – Leader Angela

Monday, 3rd June 24 – Reconciliation 2 – Leader Edward

Monday, 17th June 24 – Anointing the Sick – Leader Angela

Monday, 1st July 24 – Extreme Unction – Leader tbd

Monday, 15th July 24 – tbd – Leader Edward – at Mary Poole's

Ethos – 'All' are warmly welcome to join our meetings.

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Zoom Details:

Click on link below to join meeting:

<https://zoom.us/j/92404636497?pwd=bFJLbFM5TFdsalppekdRV2o1QzJEZz09>

Meeting ID: 924 0463 6497

Passcode: 181042

Dial-in Number: 0330 088 5830

Notes:

The dates for meetings can also be found on Holy Trinity Shaw's website:

<http://htschurch.org.uk/>

All meetings are on Zoom starting 10am, unless otherwise specified.

Motto:

The Armour of God - Ephesians 6: 10 to 11 Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. Put on the full armour of God, ...