



StowCable Churches

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Easter 5 - 28th April 2024

SERVICES

28th April Easter 5

11.00am Kings Cagle Benefice Holy Eucharist CW

5th May Easter 6

9.30am How Cagle Matins BCP

9.30am Peterstow Holy Eucharist CW

11.15am Bridstow Morning Prayer CW

11.15am Kings Cagle Holy Eucharist CW

6.00pm Sollers Hope Evensong BCP

9th May Ascension Day

10.30am Peterstow Holy Eucharist CW

DIARY DATES:

St Bridget's Bridstow 27th April 7.00pm – Forest of Dean Male Voice Choir concert. Tickets on the door £10 adults £5 under 12's

Bridstow Village Hall – Wed 1st May Coffee morning 10.30 – 12 noon

Ziggisaurus – pre-schoolers group **How Cagle 7th May 10–12 noon**

Forthcoming Year of Faith event. Spiritual Question Time!

Sat 11th May at St Mary's, Ross-on-Wye, 9.30-1pm Bishop Richard will talk about having growing confidence in our faith, followed then by some excellent seminar/workshop choices. Do get this date into diaries.

BENEFICE MEETING with the Archdeacon for all residents of our parishes. Sat 18th May 10am-12.30pm St Peter's, Peterstow This meeting is for all members of our communities, not solely churchgoers, to discuss what you would all want from a new incumbent. It is important that everyone's voice is heard and that you and your neighbours feel that you can play a part in this appointment. **Please put this event in your diaries and invite all your neighbours and friends from the 7 parishes.**

ARCHDEACON'S VISITATION SERVICE : Tuesday 18 June 2.00pm St Dubricius Church Whitchurch - It is a legal requirement for ALL churchwardens to be sworn in at this service in order to hold office

Why not stay connected with us using Zoom:

Mid-day prayer – Tuesday, Thursday and Friday

ID: 922 223 7750 Password: 77.

Wednesday Bible Study – For more info please contact Ann Owen (ann@owenfamily.me.uk) ID: 862 6084 4541 Password: Bible

For Your Prayers;

Catherine of Sinea commemorated tomorrow was known for her contemplation and prayer; pray this week for all who inspire and direct prayers in others and give thanks for all who regularly pray for others

Church: Pray for the Church of Bangladesh; and in the Diocese of Tanzania for the Train a Priest scheme supported by our Diocese paying fees for students to train at St Mark's Theological College Dar es Salaam, and for all currently training for ordination

World: continue for peace throughout the world, and especially for the escalation of aggressive retaliation in the Middle East; we pray too for the natural world and beauty of the planet praying especially for all working to improve water quality of our rivers and watercourses;

People: pray this week for all trade unions and work organisations seeking to ensure workers' rights and fair pay; for all whose work involves risk and danger; for those suffering from workplace injuries and asking that the highest standards of safety in the workplace be maintained; remember too all those suffering from dementia and mental health problems asking for greater tolerance and understanding of these conditions in our society

Continue to pray for all who are unwell, especially Neil Unitt, Mike Swinnerton, Jenny Sherwood, Mike Tunnicliff, Margaret Artus, Maria and Sean Ball, Pray also for all at the end of their lives. May the love of God bring strength and comfort to their families and may the departed come to share Christ's resurrection life.

Lighten our darkness, Lord, we pray.

During the Vacancy contact us for any help you may need:

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