

**St John's, Sevenoaks**  
**Sunday 5th June**  
**Seventh Sunday of Easter**  
**Ascension**

**Celebrant - Fr Barry Compton**

<b>Music at the Sung Mass</b>	<b>English Hymnal</b>
<i>Introit</i> All hail the power	364
<i>Offertory:</i> Alleluia, sing to Jesus	301
<i>Communion:</i> Come let us join	376
<i>Recessional:</i> Lord enthroned	319
<i>Anthem:</i> Jesus Christ is risen (John Rutter)	
Please join us after Mass for refreshments	

David Ashenden, David Bonner, Liz Hodgson, Michael Payne and Roger Williams are drawing up a Parish Profile for consideration by the PCC. This is the first step in the process of finding a new Vicar. Part of the Profile describes how we would like the church to develop and what we are looking for in our new Vicar. If you have ideas, please speak to one of the team.

**Coming up...**

**Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> June** St. Barnabas, Tunbridge Wells Patronal Festival. Sung Eucharist at 11.00am followed by a bring and share lunch. Since we face similar challenges, it would be good if we could support one another's Patronal Festivals. If you would offer a lift, or would like one, please sign the list at the back of church.

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> June at 8.00pm.** General Lord Dannatt, who retired as Chief of the General Staff in 2009, is speaking at a meeting of the Soldiers' and Airmen's Scripture Readers Association at St. Nicholas Church. All are welcome to attend.

**At the Patronal Festival on 26 June** the choir will be singing a Mass setting by Michael Haydn. As is customary at St John's, the choir would welcome anyone who would like to join them for this event. There are no auditions and experienced members of the choir will be sitting alongside you as you learn this piece, which is straightforward, tuneful and relatively short. If you feel moved to come and sing, please contact John Hendry. [01732 453010 or [jojahendry@hotmail.com](mailto:jojahendry@hotmail.com)]. The rehearsal schedule is published on the church website (see 'Coming up').

**During the current vacancy,** the Churchwardens and the Rural Dean will be responsible for the parish. The Churchwardens can be contacted as follows:

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Parish website: [www.saintjohnthebaptist.org.uk](http://www.saintjohnthebaptist.org.uk)

**This Week...**

<b>MON 6<sup>th</sup></b>	Feria	We pray for <i>The Guild of All Souls</i>
9.30am		Holy Communion
10.00am-12Noon		Sacred Space
<b>TUE 7<sup>th</sup></b>	Feria	We pray for <i>Forward in Faith</i>
9.30am	Mass	
10.00am	Rosary	
11.00am	Gloucester House Communion	
<b>WED 8<sup>th</sup></b>	Feria	We pray for <i>The PCC</i>
7.00pm	Mass	
7.30pm	PCC Meeting	
<b>THU 9<sup>th</sup></b>	St. Columba	We pray for <i>The Episcopal Church of Scotland</i>
9.30am	Mass	
10.15 am	St John's School Collective Worship (in Church)	
<b>FRI 10<sup>th</sup></b>	Feria	We pray for <i>The Parish Branch of the MU</i>
9.30am	Mass	<b>No Sacred Space</b>
<b>SAT 11<sup>th</sup></b>	St. Barnabas	We pray for <i>Our Readers</i>
9.30am	Mass	
11.00am	Patronal Festival (at St. Barnabas Tunbridge Wells)	
<b>SUN 12<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>PENTECOST</b>	<b>WE PRAY FOR OUR PARISH</b>
10.00am	Sung Mass	
2:00pm	Sick Communions	

If you would like to mark an anniversary of the death of a beloved or an occasion of thanksgiving you are welcome to give a seven day candle that burns at the Holy Cross altar, the Walsingham altar or the All Souls altar. The candle costs £3, monies placed in the donations tray at the back of church and name inserted on the list.

If you would like to offer flowers, a donation can be left with Terry and the name inserted on the same list.

Would those lighting votive candles please remember to place 20p in the basket on the table at the back of the church.

The flowers are given in memory of Reg Stamford.