### Our 10.15am Sunday Service

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Song Cornerstone

Song Waymaker

Introduction into theme

The children and youth leave for their groups

Confession

Absolution

Creed

**Song** The Lord's my shepherd

Reading 1 John 3: 16-24 (NRSV)

Reading Acts 4: 5-11 (NRSV)

Talk

Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

The children and youth return from their groups

Song You say

Church family news

**Song** This is amazing grace

Blessing

After the service please join us for refreshments, and remember there are people willing to pray with you in confidence.

#### **Online Services:**

www.twitch.tv/stmichaelshighworth or YouTube by searching for St Michael's Church Highworth

### This week and upcoming

#### Sunday 21st April

10.15am Morning Worship

#### Monday 22nd April

10-11.30am Toddler Group

#### Please note the new time for Prayer Hour

7.30pm Prayer Hour in the Church Room

#### Tuesday 23rd April

9am Tuesday Prayers

10.30am Meet Eat Greet in Church

Please book your lunch place through the office 7pm Youth Group

#### Thursday 25th April

7.30pm Bellringing Practice

#### Friday 26th April

9.15am Friday Blessings

10am Forget Me Not Friendship Friday in Church 12.15pm Forget Me Not Choir in Church

2.30pm onwards Set up for Floral workshop

#### Saturday 27th April

10am-5pm Highworth Floral Art Society Workshop in Church

10am-12pm Coffee Morning in Church Room

#### Sunday 28th April

10.15am Holy Communion with CAP speaker

#### Saturday 4th May

9am-1.30pm May Day Refreshments in Church
(no coffee morning today)
2.30pm Wedding in Church

#### **Monday 6th May**

7-9.45pm HCS Rehearsal in Church



# Sunday 21st April 2024

God of peace, whose Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, was brought back from the dead to be the great Shepherd, grant that we may be led by him out of darkness and death into the fullness of life eternal; through the same Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, in all eternity. **Amen.** 



# Join us for Prayer

#### **Prayer Hour:**

## We will be moving to the new time of 7.30pm from April.

The next prayer hour is on Monday 22nd April at 7.30pm in the church room.

Please do consider joining us.

It is vital that we join together to pray for our church, our community and the wider world.

#### **Tuesday Prayers:**

Prayers are held in church every Tuesday morning from 9am. We come together to pray for the week ahead.

#### **Friday Blessings:**

Blessings are held in church every Friday morning from 9.15-9.45am. It is a time for everyone to come together to bless the Town.

## Get in touch

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Copy deadline is 12pm Thursday

## For Prayer

## Let us pray for our life together as a Church family:

#### Looking ahead:

Reports and Accounts are being prepared for the Annual Meeting ... pray for Jo and Julie in the office.
Give thanks especially for all involved with church finances.

Pray for the PCC and leadership team reflecting on last weekend's "Vision Day" -... for wisdom and discernment about any changes for the future.

#### **Looking out:**

... Pray for those who are unwell, anxious, or overwhelmed by grief.

May God bless our community, including those who live in Folly Way and Gilberts Lane.

Guide and direct, O Lord, us your people.
Clarify our vision, strengthen our faith,
renew our energy.
May we live and speak for Christ,
and share his love. Amen

### News and Events

#### **May Day Refreshments:**

We will be providing refreshments in Church from 10am-12pm on 4th May as part of the Town May Day celebrations.

There is a rota in church for those who can help on the day, be that setting up, clearing away, baking or helping serve. Please do put your name down if you can help in any way.

#### **May Services:**

May is a busy month of worship including additional services and guest speakers and as such services will change from the usual format and be as follows:

#### 5th May

8.45am Holy Communion (BCP) 10.15am Morning Worship

9th May - Ascension Day7.30pm Ascension Day Service

#### 12th May

8.45am Holy Communion (BCP) 10.15am Highworth Churches Together Service to celebrate 10 years of CAP

#### 15th May

11am Midweek Church Holy Communion

#### 19th May - Pentecost

10.15am Holy Communion6.30pm Pentecost Praise with live music

#### 26th May

10.15am Short Morning Worship followed by APCM in church and then a bring and share lunch.