The Downland Churches

Holy Trinity Poynings, St Andrew's, Edburton St John the Evangelist, Newtimber The Transfiguration, Pyecombe www.downlandchurches.co.uk

May 2015

Sunday 3 rd May		Easter 5
10 am	Family Service	Poynings
11 am	Family Communion	Edburton
Sunday 10 th	May	Easter 6
10 am	Holy Communion	Newtimber
	Evening Service	Pyecombe
Thursday 14 th May		Ascension Day
7.30 pm	Holy Communion	Newtimber
Sunday 17 th	May	Easter 7
10 am	Holy Communion	Poynings
11am	Family Communion	Edburton
Sunday 24 th	May	Pentecost
$10_{ m am}$	Holy Communion	Pyecombe
Sunday 31 st	May	Trinity Sunday
10am	Holy Communion	Newtimber
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Morning and Evening Prayer each week

At **9am** on Wednesdays at Poynings At **6pm**: Mondays (Edburton), Wednesdays (Pyecombe) At **5pm:** Tuesdays at Newtimber

Evergreens (for the over 60's) Monday 11th May, 3.30 – 5pm at Downside, Fulking (home of Charmayne and Harry Diamond)

Weddings

Saturday 23rd May David Roberts and Marilyn Simon Newtimber Friday 29th May Marie Hollywood and Harry Morgan Newtimber

Baptisms

Saturday 16th May Annabelle Florence Dinham Poynings Saturday 30th May Alice May Lamb Pyecombe

Other special events and dates this month

- The Family Service at Poynings on 3rd May will NOT be followed by Holy Communion as it usually is – please go down to Edburton for 11am if you wish to receive communion in the Benefice on that day.
- Plant Sale at Pyecombe on EITHER Saturday 9th May, if the weather is fine, when it will be held in the churchyard OR Sunday 10th May in the church if Saturday is wet. 2-4pm either day.
- Deanery Synod will be held on Weds 13th May at St Francis Church Hassocks at 8pm.
- On Friday 15th May we will be launching **Downland** Messy Church in the Hall at Fulking from 4.30-6pm. Come and join in the fun, and bring the family.
- Sunday 24th May is Pentecost Sunday. Apart from our own service, all are invited to St Edwards Church Burgess Hill for a special praise service at 6pm.
- Newtimber PCC on Tuesday 26th May at 7.30pm at Rectory Cottage.
- Puppet show and workshop at Newtimber Church on Weds 27th May (during half term) from 2.30-4.30pm.
- 'Pimms and Hymns' is on Sunday 31st May at Edburton Church at 6pm – come and enjoy your favourite hymns!

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