



**“NEWS from the PEWS”**  
**The Parish of POSTLING**  
Part of the Elham Valley Group of Churches

**May - June  
2024**

*The Bi-monthly Newsletter of St. Mary & St. Radigund's Church, Postling*

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**The Village Event of the Year**



**All offers of help are gratefully accepted- baking a cake or two, helping with parking, the barbecue etc.** If you can help, please email Annette Battersby at [annette.battersby6260@gmail.com](mailto:annette.battersby6260@gmail.com) or Anne Spratling at [anne@eastofindia.co.uk](mailto:anne@eastofindia.co.uk) Do come and bring your family and friends!

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June 7pm in Elham Church. Induction and Installation of Rev Carol Bates as the Rector of the Elham Valley Benefice. Come early for the best seats!**

## Services in May-June 2024

### Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> May

3pm Service for Rogation Day

### Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May

No Service in Postling

### Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May

8.30am Breakfast Service

### Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May

No Service in Postling

### Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June

9.30am Morning Service

### Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June

8.30am Breakfast Service

### Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June

7pm. Induction and Installation in Elham Church of Rev Carol Bates as the Rector of the Elham Valley Benefice

### Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June

No Service in Postling

### Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June

6pm Quiet Evening Service

### Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June

10am Holy Communion for the whole Benefice

### **Postling Church Flower and Cleaning Rota**

May 4 <sup>th</sup>	Jane Seymour and Jenny Mannion
May 11 <sup>th</sup> and 18 <sup>th</sup>	Kerry Lock and Natalia Woods
May 25 <sup>th</sup> and 1 <sup>st</sup> June	Malliet Pattrick and Sarah Nicholls
June 8 <sup>th</sup> and 15 <sup>th</sup>	Jane Reynolds and Nikki Clark
June 22 <sup>nd</sup> and 29 <sup>th</sup>	Anne Spratling and Genny Ferguson

***Save the date!***

***\*\*\*\*\* The Annual Postling Progressive Supper will take place on **July 13<sup>th</sup>** \*\*\*\*\****

The Craft Days continue on the first Saturday of the month. The next is the 4<sup>th</sup> May, but there will be no session in June because of the Open Gardens event. But do come and join them in May.

### **POSTLING LADIES COFFEE AND CAKE MORNING**

**The Coffee Mornings continue on Saturdays 11<sup>th</sup> May and 8<sup>th</sup> June, from 10am to 12 noon in the Church.**

The next **Happy Hours** are on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May and Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June from 6pm in the church. A great opportunity to have a chat and meet our friends and neighbours. If you would like to host a Happy Hour to mark a special occasion, please do let us know.

All profits go to the Folkestone Rainbow Centre that runs the Shepway Foodbank, Hythe Pantry and the Folkestone winter night shelter.

