



**Benefice of Newport Pagnell  
with  
Lathbury and Moulsoe  
Pews News  
2nd Sunday of Easter  
27 April 2025**



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The parish has set up various electronic means of contact and information. All details of which can be obtained from the parish office.

**Registered Charity number 1153668**

**Collect for 2nd Sunday of Easter**

Risen Christ,  
for whom no door is locked, no entrance barred:  
open the doors of our hearts,  
that we may seek the good of others  
and walk the joyful road of sacrifice and peace,  
to the praise of God the Father.

**4pm, Holy Communion**  
**St Peter & St Paul**

With new Bishop David Bull presiding and confirming several candidates from the Deanery - followed by wine and nibbles



**Wednesday**

10am Said Communion, St Peter & St Paul, followed by coffee, chat and healing prayer.

**Events and Services coming up:**

**Sunday 4th May**

9.15am Rogation Service, Lathbury  
10.30m Communion Service, St Luke's  
6pm Evening Worship SSPP

**Wednesday 7th May**

10am Said Communion, St Peter & St Paul, followed by coffee, chat and healing prayer.

Everyone is welcome to put an item into Pews News but please email it by 2pm on the Thursday before you want it to appear. The address is:

Olwen Smith, Pews News Editor/Compiler  
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Our Branch meets on Thursday, May 1st at 2.30 pm in Brooklands. We shall be sharing books or poems that mean something to us so come along and bring your pieces of literature to share.

**All are welcome, both members and non members.**

**The Prayer Group will meet at 4.30pm this week:**

As usual it will be conducted by ZOOM on Thursday May 1st but it will start slightly later to allow people to get home from the MU meeting

It will begin with a short act of worship (a song or reflection on the Bible reading of the day) with time for silence as well as prayer and as you can participate in prayer without necessarily having to speak there is no pressure to say anything.



**Everyone is welcome to join in so look out for the email with the Zoom link that Malcolm sends out each week.**



**Did you know that the Parish has a WhatsApp Group?**

It is a very useful way to share information quickly and you don't need to be a techno whizz to use it! If you'd like to be added to the Newport Pagnell Parish WhatsApp group just send Moira your mobile telephone number.

**Moira's number is 07968-585364.**

**THE ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING  
will be held ON  
MONDAY 12 MAY 2025 at 7.30pm  
in St Peter & St Paul**

It will be preceded by a **FREE** fish n' chip (or alternative) supper at 6.45.

Sign-up sheets are available at the back of both churches for those who wish to share a Fellowship Meal before attending the meeting.

**Do come along**





## PARISH PILGRIMAGE

A parish trip is planned for Thursday 15 May  
to visit Derby Cathedral

The day will start from Market Hill where we will catch our coach to Derby. A tour of the Bridge Chapel (the site of the first chapel and the Padley Martyrs) has been organised for the morning followed by a lunchtime Eucharist. After a break for lunch and some free time, we will have our tour of the Cathedral including their vestments. There is also a photographic display and embroidery exhibition to enjoy. Then the day is rounded off with Choral Evensong before the coach home.

Cost for the trip works out at £33pp so contributions of this amount will be appreciated. It is a bit further than our previous trips hence the increased cost. However, as this is a parish pilgrimage no one should feel they cannot come because of costs, so sign up anyway and have a quiet word with one of the ministry team.

Sign up sheets are at the back of the churches—you **MUST** sign up even if you expressed an interest to Moira! More details with timings etc will be circulated to the participating pilgrims in due course. Your contribution can be given in cash or by cheque to Dick Smith or Moira or online via :

Account Name: Newport Pagnell Parochial Church Council  
Sort Code: 20-57-40  
Account Number: 80663123      Use Reference 'DERBY'

## AFTERNOON TEA

Come and enjoy a delicious Afternoon Tea at this very popular annual event.

DATE: Sunday, May 18th.

TIME: 3 pm to 4.30 pm

VENUE: Brooklands

TICKETS £6 from Jennifer Mazzone  
01908 613088

PROCEEDS: Baby Basics Relief Fund.

**Do come along  
and bring your friends.**



Please put donations to MK Food Bank in the yellow box at the back of St Peter & St Paul.

  
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**Saturday 17th May 7pm**  
**St Peter & St Paul's Church**  
**High St, Newport Pagnell, MK16 8AR**

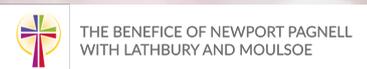
**Tickets £10**

Available from:

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- Jennifer Mazzone 07517 439790  
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- The Parish Office 01908 611145  
npparish@gmail.com
- Or click the QR code

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Streisand ...  
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**Good Friday Walk of Witness  
down the High Street to  
St Peter & St Paul**



**Saturday - preparations for Easter Day  
at St Luke's**



**Easter Day at St Luke's  
- a view from the  
Easter Garden**

**Easter Eve - after the Service of Light  
the Cross of Flowers ready for contributions  
from the Easter congregation**



**Easter Garden at St  
Peter & St Paul.**

**To see more photos go to:  
[https://  
www.npparish.org.uk/photos](https://www.npparish.org.uk/photos)**