# St Thomas' Church, Trowbridge and St John's West Ashton

# Weekly News

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2025 Pentecost

10:30am: St Thomas': Morning Worship: Led

by Paul Edwards, Speaker Simon Pope



Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

Acts 2:2-4

#### **Office Hours**

From Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> June till Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> July, the office will only be open from 9.30am to 11.30am.

#### Welcome

You are warmly welcome to join us for any of our services - if you are new make yourself known to us and please join us for coffee/tea after the service.

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# Services for Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2025 Trinity, Father's Day

10:30am: St Thomas': All Age Service: Led by Paul Edwards

Flowers: Marjory Wade

10:30am: St John's: Holy Communion: Led by Simon Pope

Judy Wright's ordination will be at Salisbury Cathedral on Sunday 29th June, 10:30am (seated by 10:15). If you plan to go and can either offer lifts or would like a lift, please e-mail John C (<a href="mailto:jrchet@blueyonder.co.uk">jrchet@blueyonder.co.uk</a>). If you plan to go to lunch at Judy's house after the service then please sign the list or e-mail John, so that Judy knows numbers. More details, along with the lunch list, are at the back of church.

There will be a morning service as usual at St Thomas' on the 29th, which will be streamed.

### Stamps, Postcards and Foreign Coins to Help Mission

Postcards go to help Mission Aviation Fellowship.

Stamps and foreign coins to help Mercy Ships. *Please leave 5mm of paper around the stamps*. There's a box to collect them on the Mission display table or you can give them directly to me. Sadly, old bible notes can no longer be sent. Thank you, Angela.

#### **Parking Challenge**

As you may be aware, parking in the church carpark can be a bit of a challenge due to our limited spaces. As a result we'd like to ask as many people as possible to park off-site and with a reminder that Lovemead Car Park is available on Sunday mornings for £1, (any length of stay) and that Briken and Challenge Tyres, Union Street are happy for Church goers, on Sunday, to use their forecourt at their own risk, being careful not to block the garage doors.

#### **Printers**

We still have one printer to give away, it's an Epson, it needs to have its printheads cleaning as it hasn't been used in a while; it comes with three black ink cartridges and one of each colour. Contact Frankie in the church office for details.

## MENUNITED-Trowbridge

#### **MEN's BREAKFAST**

Saturday June 28th

**Guest Speaker: DICK BEATH** 

Joining the Royal Tank Regiment from school; A Gold Medal winner at the Commonwealth Games; Piloting a plane with supplies for Ukraine. Becoming a Christian on the way.

A talk not to be missed.

See Geoff T or John R for more details

## **Contacting Simon Pope**

Simon can be contacted on any of the following:

Vicar's office: 01225967682 Work mobile: 07352065425

E-mail: <u>vicar@stthomastrowbridge.org</u>

Simon's day off is usually Friday, with a study day on Saturday. His

phones will be on answerphone when he is not available.

# Church Weekend Away November 21st - 23rd 2025

There are still rooms available for anyone who'd like to join us. More details on this shortly.

It would be great to see as many of St Thomas' family at the weekend. Cost for the weekend accommodation and meals is between £90-£110 (dependent on accommodation). Fellowship, worship and teaching! We are planning on activities for children and young people. It will be a great opportunity to get to know Simon and Elle a little better. Booking forms from the back of the church or see Val S or Jo D for more detail