## St. Botolph's, Northfleet & St. Mark's, Rosherville Sixth Sunday of Easter 5<sup>th</sup> May 2024

We give thanks for the life of Helen Smith, involved in a serious road accident on 14<sup>th</sup> April, she died in hospital. Helen was a beloved Mum and Grandmother, member of St Botolph's Church, and the choir, bell-ringer, Food Bank Helper and volunteer at The Sanctuary for the Homeless. Please remember her family and friends at this time and the St Botolph's community of which she was such a part. May she rest in peace.

A raffle in memory of Helen will take place at St Botolph's, tickets £2 each, on Sundays 5<sup>th</sup>,12<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> May in aid of the Air Ambulance as a gesture of thanks for their amazing assistance for Helen on that day.

## Ascension Day Eucharist, Thursday 9th May, 7pm at St Botolph's

Penny (in St Botolph's Choir) and Stan, her dog, have signed up to do the April Dog Walking Challenge in aid of Cancer Research UK. They have pledged to walk 2 miles (at least) every day in April and would be grateful for any sponsorship. Forms available in church or give online at: https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/pennys-giving-page-385

If you have sponsored Penny, please pay her as soon as possible. Thank you for your kind support, from Penny and Stan!

## **Don't Forget!**

St Botolph's Table Top Sale, Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May 11am-2pm Tables £10 Contact Pauline or Wendy

**NORTHFLEET DAY 11AM-3PM SATURDAY JUNE 15<sup>TH</sup>** The Hive Hope Food Bank – St Botolph's Church, every Weds 11am – 1pm

The Wednesday Eucharist at St Mark's, 10.30am

The Annual Parochial Church Council Meeting was held last Sunday to receive reports and accounts for 2023. Lee Cogger and Lizzie Steel were appointed to the PCC; Keith and Sarah (Church Wardens at St Mark's) have resigned and Pauline and Wendy continue as Church Wardens at St Botolph's. Please pray for our Parish, for all that is planned in the time to come and for Revd Gordon MacBean as our Priest-in-Charge.

Christian Aid Week 12<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> May. Please take an envelope today from either church and return it by Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May. Thank you

in our thoughts and prayers Please pray for: Stephen & Peter U, Christine & David, Derek Wilkinson, Stephen & Mark, Jon Graves, Dad, Barbara O, Marilyn & family, Angela and 'JR&J,' Joan Plumb, Linda, Joan, Eileen, Mary & Mick, 'J', MA, PC, AS, S&S, Brenda, Margaret, LA, Carol Azcarate, Tony Croucher, Natalie, Mick & Val Lamb, Derry and Reg, D & J, 'L', Amy Chitty, Sarah J, Brenda Friday, Baby Arthur, Ann Mc, Rob, David Scott, Those who have died: + Bill Fairall + Stanley Britton + Helen Smith + Gary Gaskin + Robert Pogue + + Rita Horner +

At the Anniversary of their death: + Eileen Ware + Kenneth Burchfield + Baby Joseph Fox +

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