

Thy Kingdom Come 2017

'I cannot remember in my life anything that I've been involved in where I have sensed so clearly the work of the Spirit.' (Archbishop Justin Welby)

What is Thy Kingdom Come?

Thy Kingdom Come is a global prayer movement, started in 2016, which invites Christians around the world to pray during the Novena (9 days) between Ascension and Pentecost (25th May to 4th June) for people to come to know Jesus Christ and the coming of the Holy Spirit.

The Diocese of Winchester is responding to Thy Kingdom Come with prayer events of all shapes and sizes across the region. The wave of prayer will culminate with a celebration in Winchester Cathedral on Pentecost Sunday on 4th June, at which the speaker will be the Archbishop of Canterbury. This service will also launch the Thy Kingdom Come major project, "Who Cares? Hampshire".

Local events

Please join us in this international initiative. There are prayer cards, and a prayer station for the Novena, in St.Thomas church and Vistas café. In addition, there are specific Novena activities every day:

Thu 25.May	9.30am	Ascension Day service with Lymington Infants School, St.Thomas
	7.30pm	Thy Kingdom Come deanery launch service, St.Saviour's Brockenhurst
Fri 26.May	9.45am	Friday fellowship, St.Thomas Hall *
Sat 27.May	9am	Prayers for the Parish, St.Thomas
Sun 28.May	8am, 9.15, 11	Sunday worship focusing on Thy Kingdom Come diocesan initiative "Who Cares? Hampshire"

Mon 29.May	9 - 10.15am	Bank Holiday Prayer Breakfast, Ravenscourt Road * 9am coffee and croissants, 9.15-10.15am Prayer and Share; Hospital Chaplain Linda Lee will lead us in praying for healthcare and mental health services
Tue 30.May	8.30am	Morning Prayer, St.Thomas
9am		Ecumenical Prayers, St.Thomas
Wed 31.May	11am	Holy Communion, St.Thomas
11am - 2pm		Vistas Prayer Room and lunch, St.Thomas Hall. All-age prayer activities focused on our community. Sandwich lunch available 12-1pm as usual
Thu 1.Jun	3.45pm	Lyfe Church bible study in a local café *
Fri 2.Jun	4 - 5.15pm	Prayer Tea, Pilgrim Place * 4-4.15pm tea and cake, 4.15-5.15pm Douglas Marcuse will lead prayers for our leaders and national issues
Sat 3.Jun	9am	Prayers for the Parish
Sun 4.Jun	8am, 9.15, 11	Sunday Worship, commissioning for Thy Kingdom Come major project "Who Cares?"
7 - 8.30pm		Thy Kingdom Come Beacon event with Archbishop Justin and "Who Cares?" launch, Winchester Cathedral (book on line)

* please contact Rosemary Marcuse 01590 642340 to let the team know if you plan to attend any events marked with an asterisk *

*There are events across the dioceses and deanery, please see:
Deanery Facebook group: [TKCLyndhurstdeanery2017](#)
or the diocesan website: www.winchester.anglican.org*