

Team Rector: Rev Richard Clark 07970 823462 or 01246 250002 (Richard's day off is Friday)

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Church Office: melanie@schoolrooms.plus.com 01246 852281 for Baptism & Wedding Enquiries

Safeguarding Officer: Jane Kinsell 07968 589606.

1st Clay Cross Boy's Brigade & Girl's Association: 07902 435009 claycrossbbga@hotmail.com [Facebook](#)

Bell Ringing: Fridays 7:30 until 9:00pm new recruits welcome, please turn up by 7:40pm.

Prayer requests: stbartsandbarnabasprayers@gmail.com to request prayer or to be added to the prayer group. No email? Please speak to Jo-Anne to join via text.

items for notice sheet by Wednesday evening please. Notices are also sent out by email. If you wish to be added to the circulation list, please email stbartsclaycross@gmail.com.

For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes.

Romans 1:16

April 26th, May 3rd and 10th 2026

26th April Easter 4

St Bartholomew 11.15am Morning Worship— Rod Leighton/Tim Wheeler

St Barnabas 4pm St Barnabas@4 – Rev James Lee

St Lawrence 9.30am – Family Service – Rev James Lee

St Mary 9.30am – Holy Communion – Rev Richard Clark

St John 11.15am – Holy Communion Rev Richard Clark

Hazledene House Nursing Home – Monday 27th 10.30am

Friday 1st May 2pm Open Door

Readings: Acts 5 v 17-42, Matthew 5, v 10-18

3rd May

St Bartholomew 11.15am Holy Communion – Rev Richard Clark

St Barnabas 4pm St Barnabas@4 – Ryan Large

6pm Testimony Night- Pete Lacey

St Lawrence 9.30am Holy Communion – Rev James Lee

St Mary 9.30am Morning Worship – Lay Team

St John 11.15am – Morning Worship – Rev Canon Nigel & Ruth Jukes

Old Vicarage Nursing Home – Monday 13th 10.30am

Saturday 9th May Gathering@6 – St Lawrence

Readings: Acts 6: 1-7, Exodus 18 13-26

10th May

St Bartholomew 11.15am Morning Worship— Rev Richard Clark

St Barnabas 4pm St Barnabas@4 – Rev James Lee

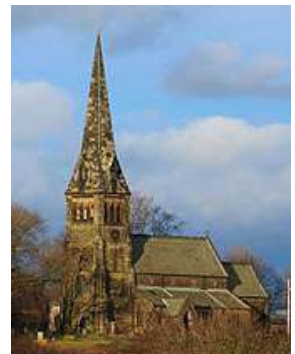
St Lawrence 9.30am – Breakfast Church – Lay Team

St Mary 9.30am – Holy Communion – Rev James Lee

St John 11.15am – Holy Communion Rev Canon Nigel & Ruth Jukes

Hill House Nursing Home – Monday 20th 10.30am

Readings: Acts 6:v 8 to 8 v3



Around the Parish

Alpha-currently running at St Lawrence. 7pm Tuesdays Anyone interested should contact Rev James or Mick Stanley mick.stanley@btinternet.com.

Home Groups: For more information, stbartsclaycross@gmail.com or Rev Richard or Rev James

Parish Ladies Group – REFRESH –April 29th, 13th May 7.45pm for 8pm start at St Mary's Vicarage -for all women of 'working age'. We're starting a new series looking at the book of Romans using a video series from The Bible Society. This is a great course guiding us through this wonderful book of the Bible which can sometimes feel a bit daunting! If you've never been before, you'll be very welcome :) Looking forward to seeing you then!

Parish Prayer 11am Wednesdays @St Barnabas, Thursday 8.30am @St Mary's and every 1st Saturday each month (2nd May) 8.30 -9.30am @ Rectory School Rooms, North Wingfield

Baptism Preparation @St Barts. Please contact the church office to arrange to attend the next session.

St Bartholomew

Open Worship- Open to anyone who loves to sing, worship (or maybe plays an instrument) learn the songs we will be singing in our services. Please ask worship group for dates/times.

Brian & Aileen collect **stamps for RNIB & Coins for Children's Air Ambulance**

Bell Ringers –New Ringers needed at St Bartholomew's! practice sessions 7.30 -9pm on Fridays -Come along to make a sound on the largest metal instrument, improve your wellbeing, learn a new skill, build confidence, make new friends and more. Everybody aged 8- 80 welcome, (under 16's must be accompanied by an adult). No need to be musical or strong, just have patience, listen, count to six and climb spiral stairs.

Boys' Brigade & Girls' Association. Mondays Termtime 5.30-7pm if you have children in years 1-8 living near you, please tell them about BBGA – leaflets at back of all our team churches. Please share our Facebook posts! We are looking to expand our leadership team – if you know anyone who might be interested, please ask them to contact us.

School Rooms North Wingfield

Get Fit with Helen Mondays 6.15-7.15pm with Helen at the Rectory Rooms, North Wingfield. Free but donations welcome.

St Barnabas Centre Contact: Amanda events@stbarnabascentre.co.uk 01246 250599

Food for Thought hot meal on Wednesdays 12-1.30pm, £2.

Little Fishes Parent/Carer & Toddler Group £2 per child. **Fridays** 1pm -3pm Stories, songs, messy play, snacks and fun activities. If you would be able to offer help during these sessions, please speak to Amanda

Women's Breakfast 20th June and 17th October 2026, 10-11.30am. Put the dates in your diary!

Quiz Night – next date TBC

Pop-Ins



St Bartholomew– First Friday 2pm to 3pm, **St Barnabas**
Monday – Friday 9am-3pm. Food Wednesdays **St Lawrence** –
Rectory School Rooms - 2nd and 4th Saturday 9.45am to noon -
Breakfast. **St Mary** – St Mary's Centre - Thursday 9am – 11am.
St John – every Saturday 10am – Noon -Breakfast.



Please pray for the parish:

Richard and Sue, James, Bethan and the Boys, Nigel & Ruth, Maggie, Ryan, Tim and all others preparing services. The team at St Barnabas centre. For God to show us how the North Wingfield Team can play our part within our community. For all the schools in the area that we can build on our contact with them.

For outreach opportunities, that they will reach those in need: The Pop-ins; 1st Clay Cross Boys' Brigade & Girls' Association (Mondays 5.30 – 7pm) that membership will continue to grow and for the leaders that sessions will run smoothly and safely; The work of the Food Bank- that people will be generous in their giving. For the services in nursing homes - Old Vicarage 1st Monday, Hill House 2nd Monday, Hazeldene House 4th Monday all at 10.30am -**we need 3 people to run these** (Cynthia may be able to answer any questions)

For those preparing for Weddings (Especially Emma & Jonathan – June 6th) and Baptisms
For the recently bereaved and those preparing for the funerals of loved ones. In particular Clive Bowyer from St Mary's.

For the many who are ill and those nursing them, but in particular Jackie Lewis



This is the code to use for giving to St Bart's