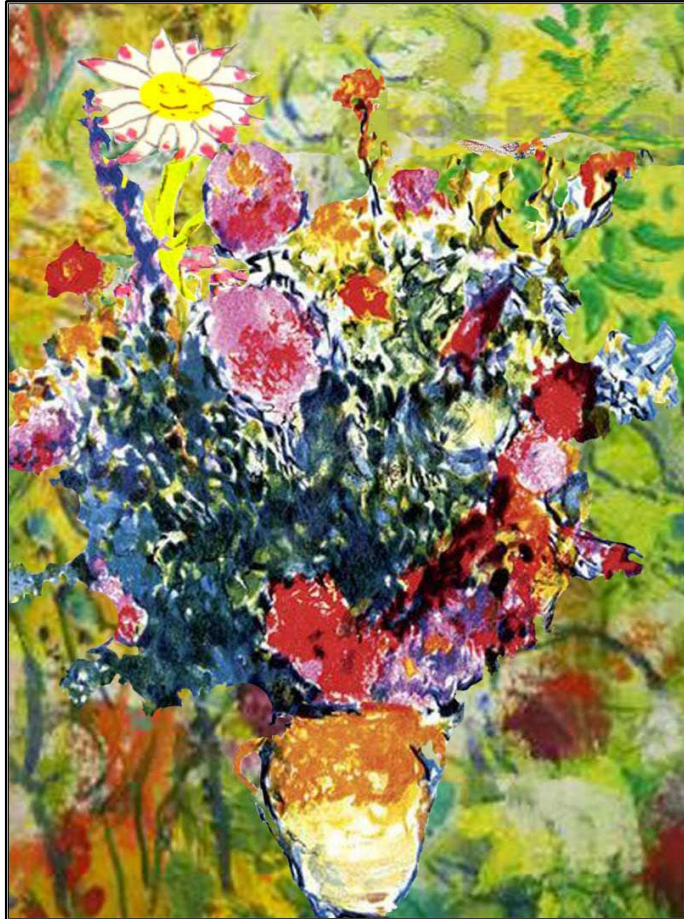


# ASHLEY NEWS

MAY - JUNE 2019

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Daisies, ye flowers of lowly birth,  
Embroiderers of the carpet earth,  
That stud the velvet sod;  
Open to spring's refreshing air,  
In sweetest smiling bloom declare  
Your Maker and my God.

*From Spring Flowers  
by John Clare 1793-1864*

*Picture: collage of various artists including  
Marc Chagall & Roy Gregory*

## SUNDAYS

*10 am at Ashley Church  
unless otherwise stated*

### May

- 5 Sharing week
- 12 Shaun Perryman
- 19 Rosemary James  
& Communion
- 26 Tom Lloyd

### June

- 2 Away Day with  
Richard & Jana Beck  
at Felden Lodge  
*Please note there will not be a  
meeting at Ashley today*
- 9 Shaun Perryman
- 16 Elizabeth Harris
- 23 Communion
- 30 Lucy Hodges

### Prayer Meetings

Prayer meetings take place at  
Ashley each week:  
7.30am on Saturday mornings  
and  
9.35am on Sunday mornings

# Notice board

## Churches Together in St Albans Events

### 'Thy Kingdom Come'

May 30 - June 9

'Thy Kingdom Come' is a global prayer movement and an invitation for all Christians to be united in prayer. Focused between Ascension and Pentecost, it invites Christians from all around the world to pray that the good news of the gospel will be heard and more people will come to know Jesus Christ.



### 24 Hour Prayer

June 7 @ 8:00 pm - June 8 @ 8:00 pm

A 24 hour wave of prayer!

To sign up for half hour slots please see the Churches Together in St Albans website.

### The Vineyard Care Centre

**FEED** currently needs quite a lot of different items to help local people in need, including:

coffee/UHT milk/sugar (no tea),  
fruit juices/squashes, biscuits, jams/spreads,  
tinned meat/pies/fish/vegetables, rice/noodles,  
pasta or curry cooking sauces, baked beans,  
spaghetti/ravioli/macaroni cheese, tinned  
desserts/fruit, pot noodles, cans of soup,  
breakfast cereals (not porridge or cornflakes),  
laundry detergents/softeners, shavers/shaving  
foam/toilet rolls, deodorant/shower gel/  
shampoo, washing powder/liquid, washing up  
liquid, big nappies size 5 and 6.

### Tuesday Café

An opportunity for coffee, tea, cakes, conversation, games, table tennis, art and craft.

*2pm-4pm at Ashley Church*

*on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month*

Come along and bring your friends and family.

Everyone welcome.

### Ashley Away Day

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June

Our speakers will be Jana & Richard Beck.

Venue: Felden Lodge

9.30am arrival and tea/coffee

10am start

Please let Gill Jalland know if you would like to come and if you need a lift. Gill will be collecting £20 per person but Ashley will cover costs as necessary so everyone who wants to come can come.

***Please note there will not be a meeting at Ashley on 2<sup>nd</sup> June***

### Pilates

A Pilates group takes place at Ashley on Wednesday mornings, 9.30am-10.30am.

Please speak to David or Gill Bywaters if you are interested.

### Art Group

The Ashley Church art group meets at the church on Fridays at 1.15pm. It's friendly and informal and open to people of all abilities! Come along and try it.



### Community Choir

Every Sunday  
afternoon

from 3pm-4.30pm

A great opportunity for singers of all ages and abilities to come and enjoy singing together.

New members  
always welcome.

No charge

& no previous  
experience needed.

### Ashley Lunch

Enjoy a shared lunch at Ashley on Sunday 26th May when Community Choir members will provide musical entertainment. Please see Claire Wilkinson for details.

You can contact us by email at this address:

[ashleychurchstalbans@live.co.uk](mailto:ashleychurchstalbans@live.co.uk)

For more information and to download the Sunday talks please visit our website:

[www.ashleychurch.org.uk](http://www.ashleychurch.org.uk)

