



## St John's Church, Garrigill – update 8<sup>th</sup> April 2024

Dear friends

It's so good to see things happening, new life coming to St John's!

### **Holy Week and Easter**

A well-attended and moving Maundy Thursday service, and a joyful celebration on Easter Day. The church beautifully cleaned and polished, and cheerful flowers to welcome us for Easter.

### **Spanish Evening**

What a special event last night's Spanish Evening was! Delicious – and copious! – food and drink, delightful company, and great entertainment from Adam.

A huge thank you to Angela and her team, and to Adam, for putting on such a wonderful event, which raised an amazing £440.

### **Coffee Shop**

Thank you too to Angela for laying on the monthly coffee shop, starting this month on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> April, 10am-3pm – what a treat to be able to buy a bacon buttie on a Sunday!

### **Jumble and Pre-Loved Sale**

A reminder that the jumble and pre-loved sale (with some very high quality items) will be on Sunday, 5<sup>th</sup> May from 10am – don't miss it!

### **Future services**

Services have now resumed in St John's, on the third Sunday in the month – either 9.30am or 3.00pm, just before or just after the Coffee Shop, so you can combine spiritual and physical refreshment! Do join us if you can – see list of dates and times overleaf.

### **Cleaning, polishing, flowers, churchyard, distributing flyers...**

Thanks to all of you who have started to get involved in these different activities – we're very grateful!

### **Grant funding**

Thanks to David who is busy researching possible sources of grant funding to help us get the development project under way.

### **Financial contributions**

Thank you, too, to those who have started to contribute financially. If you haven't yet done so, do please start – payments can be made by bank transfer to "District Church Council of Garrigill", sort code 400820, account number 80649015 – or by scanning this QR code

Thank you all again

Blessings

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# *Services in Garrigill in 2024*

*(details to be confirmed)*

<i>Maundy Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> March</i>	<i>7.30pm</i>	<i>Last Supper &amp; Vigil</i>
<i>Easter Sunday, 31<sup>st</sup> March</i>	<i>9.30am</i>	<i>Easter Communion</i>
<i>Sunday, 21<sup>st</sup> April</i>	<i>3.00pm</i>	<i>Prayers for Peace</i>
<i>Pentecost, Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May</i>	<i>9.30am</i>	<i>Pentecost Communion</i>
<i>Fathers Day, Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June</i>	<i>3.00pm</i>	<i>Service</i>
<i>Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July</i>	<i>9.30am</i>	<i>Service</i>
<i>Sunday, 18<sup>th</sup> August</i>	<i>9.30am</i>	<i>Service</i>
<i>Sunday, 15<sup>th</sup> September</i>	<i>3.00pm</i>	<i>Service</i>
<i>Sunday, 20<sup>th</sup> October</i>	<i>9.30am</i>	<i>Service</i>
<i>Remembrance Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> November</i>	<i>3.00pm</i>	<i>Service of Remembrance</i>
<i>Thursday, 19<sup>th</sup> December (t.b.c.)</i>	<i>7.30pm</i>	<i>Carols on the Green</i>
<i>Christmas Eve, 24<sup>th</sup> December</i>	<i>11.30pm</i>	<i>Midnight Mass</i>



## *Prayers for Peace*

**St John's Church, Garrigill**  
**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> April, 3.00 pm**

*Join us to pray for peace in our troubled world –  
for the big conflicts we know about,  
and ones that are rarely reported*

**Music and words, silence and candles**

**Everyone welcome**



*Services will be held in Garrigill monthly from now on:  
please see overleaf for dates and times.*