

**THE PARISH CHURCH  
OF  
ST NICHOLAS SALTDEAN**  
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(part of The Deans and Whitehawk Group Ministry)

Vicar  
The Reverend George J Butterworth

SUNDAY 2nd May, 2010  
5th Sunday of Easter  
The Liturgical Colour today is White

THE COLLECT:-

Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ have overcome death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life; grant that, as by your grace going before us you put into our minds good desires, so by your continual help we may bring them to good effect; through Jesus Christ our risen Lord, who is alive and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

READINGS FOR TODAY:-

<u>Genesis</u>	22:	1 - 18	page 22	of the Pew Bible
<u>Acts</u>	11:	1 - 18	page 1105	of the Pew Bible
<u>John</u>	13:	31 - 35	page 1082	of the Pew Bible

THIS WEEK AT ST NICHOLAS :-

Tuesday, 4th May            10.00 am   Holy Communion

Thursday, 6th May        10.00 am   Holy Communion (BCP)

NEXT SUNDAY 9th May

6th Sunday of Easter - Rogation Sunday

8.00 am    Holy Communion  
10.30 am    Parish Communion

NOTICES

We welcome the family of Jayden William Adsett as he is Baptised at 12.15 pm today.

1. THE CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

May I thank all who have sponsored Paul to run the Brighton Marathon. He completed the run and I am now collecting sponsor money. If you put your name on the form in the porch, please could you let me or Doris Newbury have your sponsor money. I know many of you have already paid. Thank you. Margaret Perkins

2. The Hall Committee will meet at 8.0 pm on Tuesday, 4th May in the Friendship Centre.

3. MOTHERS' UNION meets in the Friendship Centre on Tuesday 4th May, 2-4pm. Our speaker this month will be from the Mission Aviation Fellowship. This will be preceded by a Ploughman's Lunch at 12.45. As always, visitors are welcome. For catering purposes please advise Vivienne Bush (308607) if you are joining us for lunch.

ADVANCE NOTICE. Next month the meeting will be on Tuesday 1st June when we shall visit the Bentley Wild Fowl Park. Coach (cost £8) will depart from church car park at 11.30 am. Book the date now.

4. THE LIGHTHOUSE group will meet on Thursday 6th May in the Friendship Centre from 2-3 pm. All children aged 0-4 are welcome with their carers for fun and fellowship. Contact Joyce (580814) or Doris (308407).

Date for your Diary

The Summer Fair will take place on Saturday, 5th June,

The Revd George Butterworth - 01273 302345  
Parish Office - 302192

Church Wardens - Derek Bush 308607 / Tony Moore 301174  
Readers - Michael Vinson 390417 / Clare Riches 304570 /  
Geoff Starling 580814

Verger - Fred Austin M.B.E 306154

Hall Bookings - Christine Smith 270637

Mothers' Union - Maureen Smith 305551

Children's Groups - Ellen Hermann 387736/Jack Harland 309594

Treasurer - David Whitehouse 588233