

Collective Worship – Summer 2025

SUMMER TERM 2025	Please plan the value of the month/week with your staff and clergy	Choose readings appropriate to the pupils' age...	See also: http://www.worshipworkshop.org.uk/songs-and-hymns/
The Church Year (C)		...or choose a reading linked to the Lectionary	Hymns
Sunday April 20 th Easter	Hope Resurrection	John 20: 1-10 The disciples discover the empty tomb	My God is so Big
Sunday April 27 th Easter 2 Monday 28 th St George Tuesday 29 th St Mark the Evangelist Thursday 1 st May St Philip and St James, Apostles	Hope Resurrection; commissioning	John 20: 19-23 Jesus appears to disciples	Lord of all hopefulness
Sunday May 4 th Easter 3	Hope Resurrection	John 21: 1-14 Jesus appears to the disciples by the lake	He's got the whole world in his hands (CP) I am the Bread of Life (SHF)

Sunday May 11 th Easter 4	Hope Resurrection	Luke 24: 36-40, 46 Jesus appears again	Peace be to you Peace, perfect peace
Sunday May 18 th Easter 5	Hope Hope is rooted in the love and faithfulness of God	John 13: 31-35 A new commandment	A new commandment I give unto you (HON)
Half-term (26 th May – 30 th May)			
Sunday June 1 st Easter 7	Hope A shared commitment	John 17: 20-25	Bind us together, Lord
Sunday June 8 th Pentecost/Whit Sunday	Hope The arrival of the Holy Spirit	Acts 2: 1-4 Pentecost	Colours of day (HON) All over the world (HON)
Sunday June 15 th Trinity Sunday	Service Listen and respond	John 3: 16 God loved the world so much he sent his Son	Father God I Wonder
Sunday June 22 nd Trinity 1/Proper 7 St Alban, Martyr	Service Listen and respond	Luke 16: 19-31* The Rich Man and Lazarus	Doxecology - Resound Worship (e.g. 'We are tenants of the King')
Tuesday 24 th Birth of St John the Baptist	https://www.stalbanscathedral.org/the- story-of-alban		Alban Hymn (see link under table)

Sunday June 29th Trinity 2/Proper 8 Monday 30 th St Peter and St Paul, Apostles Thursday 3 rd Thomas the Apostle	Service Listen and respond	Mark 4: 1-20* Parable of the Sower	Dear Lord and Father of mankind
Sunday July 6th Trinity 3/Proper 9	Service All are important	Luke 15: 1-10* Parables of the Lost Sheep and Lost Coin	<u>Doxecology - Resound Worship</u> (e.g. 'Let all creation sing')
Sunday July 13th Trinity 4/Proper 10	Service Caring for everyone	Luke 10: 25-37 Parable of the Good Samaritan	Caring, sharing (BBP)
Sunday July 20th Trinity 5/Proper 11	Service/Courage No distractions, work together	Luke 10: 1-5* Sending out of the seventy-two	Lord of all hopefulness
End of term			

*Not lectionary reading

Information on saints: <https://resource.stalbansdiocese.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/01/SAINTS.doc>

Alban Hymn : <https://resource.stalbansdiocese.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/01/A-Hymn-for-St-Albans-Day.pdf>

Hymn book key (OP = out of print):

RECOMMENDED HYMN BOOKS

HON	Hymns Old & New – Anglican Edition
BBP	Big Blue Planet
SHF	Songs and Hymns of Fellowship *(OP)
JU	Jump Up if you're Wearing Red
CP	Come & Praise *(OP)
CP2	Come & Praise 2 *(OP)
MP	Mission Praise *(OP)
OASEA	Out of the Ark – Songs for Every Assembly
OASEO	Out of the Ark – Songs for Every Occasion
OASES	Out of the Ark – Songs for Every Season