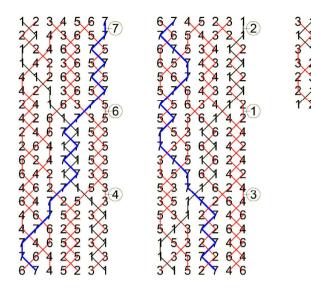
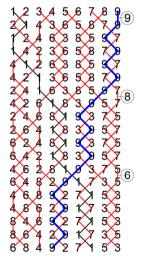


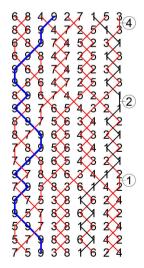
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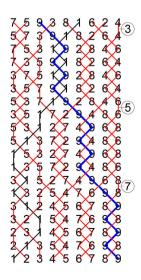
# **Erin Triples**



# Erin Caters







# **Guild of Medical Ringers**

The 2016 Summer meeting of the Guild of Medical Ringers is to be held in the Bournemouth area over the weekend of 20th-22nd May. Our thanks go to Sally and Michael Jenkins for all the organisation. The main ringing programme is as usual on Saturday, but there are some towers on Friday afternoon. It is planned that there will be a quarter peal on Friday morning, If you are interested



in taking part in this please contact the ringing master, Peter Robson, <a href="mailto:pwrobson@talktalk.net">pwrobson@talktalk.net</a> and also indicate this on the enclosed card. The special method for the weekend is Erin, triples and caters.

#### The ringing programme for Friday is:

2.00 - 2.45	Poole, St James
3.45 - 4.15	Bournemouth, Sacred Heart
4.30 - 5.15	Bournemouth, St Peter
7.30 - 9.00	Ringwood, SS Peter and Paul

#### The ringing programme for Saturday is:

9.30 - 10.15	Poole, Oakdale, St. George
10.45 - 11.30	Wareham, Lady St Mary
11.45 - 12.30	Corfe Castle, St Edward the Martyr
	LUNCH
2.15 - 3.00	Kingston, St James
3.15 - 4.00	Worth Matravers, St Nicholas of Myra
4.15 - 5.00	Swanage, St Mary the Virgin

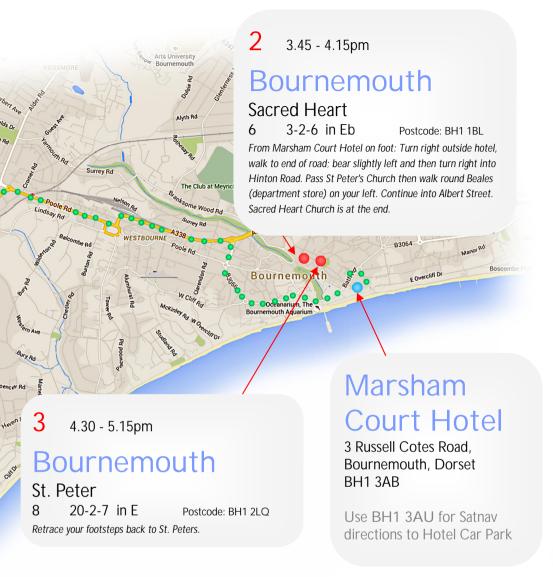
#### The ringing programme for Sunday is:

10.30 - 11.30 Brownsea Island, St Mary

Dinner will be at the Marsham Court Hotel, 3 Russell Cotes Road, East Cliff, Bournemouth. BH I 3AB at 7.00 for 7.30pm. There is a choice for dinner, (menu inside back cover), so please complete and return the attached card to arrive not later than Saturday 7th May, together with a deposit of £10.00 per person booked (Cheques payable to 'Guild of Medical Ringers'). Accommodation for Friday and Saturday nights is available at the hotel. Rooms are being held for us at the hotel but need to be booked urgently as there are very few remaining.

The winter meeting and AGM will be on Saturday 26th November 2016





Directions to Marsham Court Hotel: Turn right out of car park along The Quay. Keep on the A350 (slight right on to West Quay Road, right on to Marston Road. left into West Street). At roundabout continue straight on to Towngate Bridge - B3068. Keeping on B3068 (next roundabout take 2nd exit, right into Elizabeth Road, left on to Parkstone Road). At roundabout take 2nd exit staying on Parkstone Road. Use right two lanes to turn slightly right on to Commercial Road A35. Follow A35 for approx 3 miles. At Victoria Liverpool roundabout, take 1st exit on to Wessex Way A338. At next roundabout take 2nd exit on to B3066, then at next roundabout take 2nd exit on to Durley Chine Road. At Durley Roundabout - take 1st exit (signposted Town Centre E), then at BIC roundabout take 2nd exit (signposted Town Centre E). At Royal Bath Hotel roundabout go straight over, 3rd exit. At next roundabout, take 5th exit - Grove Road. Marsham Court Hotel car park immediately on your right.

# St. James, Poole

The church is located in the historic quarter of the town, near Poole Quay. It has long been associated with the local fishing trade and is known locally as 'the fishermen's church'. The church has an unusual weather vane fashioned in the shape of a fish.

The tower has a peal of ten bells, eight of which are of historical importance having been cast by William Dobson of Downham Market, Norfolk and have been hung in the tower since 1821. The other two smaller bells, cast by Mears & Stainbeck of London were added in



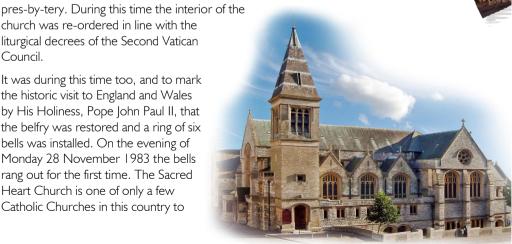
1937 to commemorate the coronation of King George VI. All the bells have been fully refurbished and were rededicated on the 16th of November 2008. The Dobson bells are protected by the Council of Care for Churches. There are now only approximately two hundred Dobson bells remaining in existence and only eighty three of those are in the UK

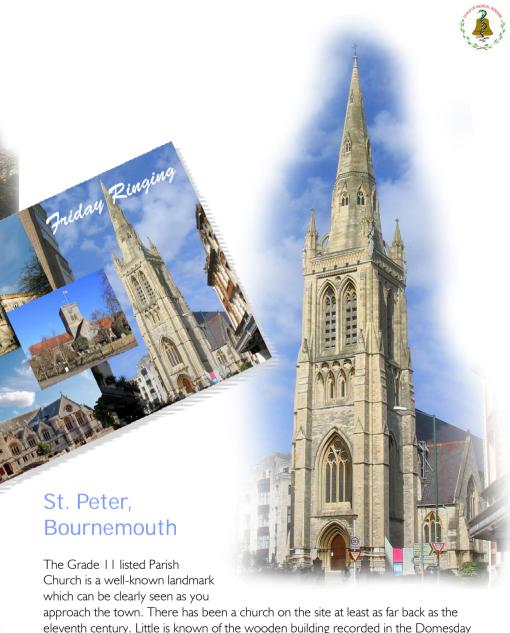
### Sacred Heart, Bournemouth

In 1870 the Jesuits from the private chapel of Lord Edward Fitzalan Howard transferred to a small chapel on Richmond Hill and so began the Sacred Heart Church in Bournemouth. In 1969 The Jesuit community handed over the pastoral care of the Sacred Heart Parish to the secular priests of the Diocese of Portsmouth. The 1970s and 1980s saw considerable work of restoration to both the church and the

church was re-ordered in line with the liturgical decrees of the Second Vatican Council.

It was during this time too, and to mark the historic visit to England and Wales by His Holiness, Pope John Paul II, that the belfry was restored and a ring of six bells was installed. On the evening of Monday 28 November 1983 the bells rang out for the first time. The Sacred Heart Church is one of only a few Catholic Churches in this country to





approach the town. There has been a church on the site at least as far back as the eleventh century. Little is known of the wooden building recorded in the Domesday Book. It was rebuilt in the 13th century and survived until 1853, when it was completely knocked down and rebuilt. The present building was constructed between 1853 and 1855 and includes many memorials and features from the thirteenth-century church.

4 7.30 - 9.00pm

# Ringwood

#### SS Peter and Paul

8 17-2-18 in E

Postcode:

Bournemout

BH24 1AL PARKING: There is a large Waitrose Car Park, SatNav BH24 1AT, by the church which is free in the evening .

Turn left out of hotel car park, take 3rd exit off roundabout. Next roundabout take 3rd exit (Holdenhurst Road B3066). Next roundabout take 1st exit (St Paul's Road, A35). Next roundabout take 2nd roundabout onto A338 for 9 miles. At Ashley Heath Roundabout take 3rd Exit onto A31 - get into right hand lanes keeping right on A31 After just short of 1 mile, keep left taking A338/B3347 slip road signposted Salisbury/Fordingbridge/Ringwood. At roundabout take 3rd exit. Next roundabout take 3rd exit. Next









#### Marsham Court Hotel,

Russell Cotes Road, East Cliff, Bournemouth BH I 3AB www.marsham.courthotel.co.uk

**2** 01202 552111.

# SS. Peter and Paul, Ringwood

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# 1 9.30 - 10.15am Poole, Oakdale

St George

6 5-3-5 in C

Postcode: BH15 3EN

PARKING: In churchyard



Lady St. Mary

10 17-1-20 in E

Postcode: BH20 5NQ

PARKING: Pay & Display car park off Church Lane At traffic lights turn L into East St, then first R into Church St. Follow to Church Lane.

# 3 11.45 - 12.30pm Corfe Castle

St Edward the Martyr

6 11-2-11 in F

Postcode: BH20 5EZ

PARKING: Pay & Display car park 5 min from church Enter Corfe Castle village and turn right into The Square, turn left into West Street then turn first right to the Car Park.

4 2.15 - 3.00pm Kingston

St James

10 26-3-16 in D

Postcode: BH20 5LL

PARKING: In road

Turn right onto the B3069. At the top of the hill turn right by the Scott Arms pub - be careful as dangerous corner..



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3.15 - 4.00pm

# orth Matravers

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6-0-6 in C

Postcode: BH19 3LQ

G: In car park at edge of village (no parking in village)

# Swanage St Mary the Virgin

22-0-24 in E 8

Postcode: BH19 1HU

PARKING: In churchyard, or local roads Follow A351 into Swanage and at first set of traffic lights turn right (signs to Town Centre). At roundabout take first exit -Station Road. Follow the one way system (signs to the hospital). When you go up the hill, past the United Reform Church turn right into Church Hill by monument )signposted "not suitable for heavy vehicles") - at bottom turn left into the church yard.

# St. George, Oakdale

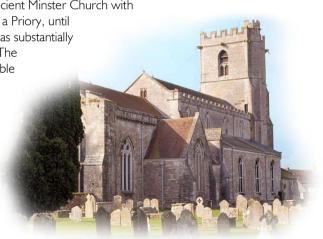
Created by architects Robert Potter and Richard Hare it proved a radical design back in 1960 when the church was built. The unique and striking interior of the roof at St George's symbolises palm trees spreading out across the main body of the church on cantilevered timber trusses.

The gabled west tower (or campanile) - described by Taylor as "rather self-conscious" - contains a light ring of six bells which were installed in 1989



# Lady St. Mary, Wareham

Lady St Mary Church is an ancient Minster Church with Saxon origins associated with a Priory, until abolished by Henry VIII. It was substantially modified in Victorian times. The church is notable as the possible burial place of King Beorhtric, A notable feature is the unique hexagonal lead font dating to around 1200. A new tenor bell was cast at John Taylor Bell-founders of Loughborough in 2014 to replace the old poor-toned tenor.





# St Edward the Martyr, Corfe Castle

The Church was probably built during the 12th century. During the Civil War (1642-1646), Parliamentary troops stationed themselves inside the church using the church as stabling for their horses and men. Much damage was caused and shot marks can still be seen both inside and outside the church. In

1859-60, the church underwent a major restoration mainly because the walls were bulging out by one foot; so all the walls were pulled down, apart from the tower, and rebuilt. The tower was built between the late 14th or early 15th century. Up to 1774, there were only 5 bells in the belfry but there are now 6 with the earliest dating from 1795. The



original No 5 Bell cast in 1739, was replaced in 1999 when restoration work was undertaken in the belfry to get the bells ringing again, having been silent since the 1950's. This bell is now situated in the north aisle.



# St. James, Kingston

St. James, Kingston, is a magnificent example of Victorian quasi Gothic

Architecture. The interior is fabricated with two of Purbeck's stones - the creamy white Portland bed and the grey to green / blue Purbeck 'Marble'. The marble is extensively used for the pillars which support the arches

and the colonettes which guard the windows

Originally there was a ring of eight bells; the treble and tenor bells were re-cast and hung in 1921. In the year 2000 two more bells were added and these new trebles were cast by Taylors.



# St Nicholas of Myra, Worth Matravers

The church in Worth Matravers was first built in about 1100 and over the next few hundred years it was changed and added to before being completely restored in 1869. The church is of Saxon origin and one of the oldest in Dorset. Inside there is a beautiful

chancel arch, decorated with 2 rows of sharply incised dog-tooth carvings. In

the churchyard is the grave of Benjamin Jesty, a Dorset yeoman reputed to be the first person to inoculate anyone with cowpox to ward off smallpox.





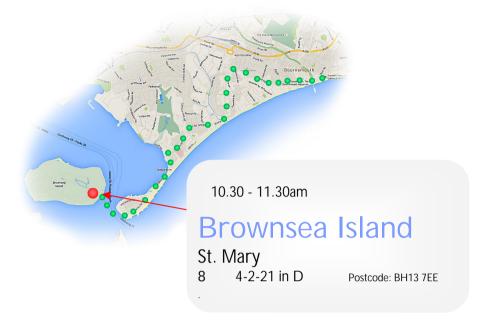


# St Mary the Virgin, Swanage

St Mary's is the historic Parish Church of Swanage; the present building, dating from 1860 and 1901 replaces the medieval building, of which the fourteenth century tower is all that remains. Among the windows, the east window and the Creation window are fine examples from the mid and late twentieth century.

St. Mary's has a peal of 8 bells, the earliest of which dates from 1594. Until 1888 St Mary's had only four bells when three trebles and a tenor were added. In August the following year, the first and second peals on the bells were both rung on the same day; these were the first peals of Stedman Triples and Bob Major ever to be rung in Dorset. Both of these peals were conducted by James W Washbrook; perhaps the most famous and accomplished ringer of his generation. The bells were last restored in 1940.





# St Mary, Brownsea Island

St Mary's, built in 1853, is a Victorian church that's stuck in the past with no electricity or water supply. The church remains very much as it was then - its organ is pumped by hand and the only lighting comes from candles.

The church's construction was part of ambitious plans by the island's then owner, Colonel Waugh. Later, in 1927, Mrs Bonham-Christie was the island's owner and decided to live there, alone, as a recluse. She gave everyone on the island a year's notice to leave, an act which reduced the island's community from 70 to around six people. The island become overgrown and left to nature, as was the church. Mrs Bonham-Christie destroyed the island's community but in doing so it also preserved the island.

In 1962 after Mrs Bonham-Christie's death, the island was handed over to the state in lieu of her death duties, before later passing into the care of the National Trust - and the church services were resumed. Today, from May to September, it remains a working church. The church's building belongs to the Church of England, and is the only part of the island to not be owned by the National Trust.





#### Getting to Brownsea Island

Foot Ferry From Sandbanks: (Sat Nav users use postcode BH13 7QP)

From Marsham Court Hotel, turn left onto the Ring Road and follow signs to West Cliff. At Durley Roundabout take 1st exit (brown sign to Alum Chine). Then follow signposts to Canford Cliffs and Sandbanks, and signs to Swanage via Toll Ferry.

Once on the Sandbanks peninsular the road goes to two lanes - do NOT take the left land marked Ferry as this refers to the Toll Ferry not the Brownsea Ferry and you could end up in a long queue! Turn second right into Brownsea Road and park in the streets (free parking).

Walk to the Yellow Kiosk of the Brownsea Ferry Company (by the Chain Ferry).

The Ferry runs every half hour, on the hour and half past the hour.

You will need to get the first Ferry at 10.00 am. The ferry from Sandbanks costs £6.50.

#### Entry to Island:

Adult £6.30, Free to National Trust members.

The return Ferry runs every half hour at 15 and 45 minutes past the hour.





# Other accommodation within walking distance of Marsham Court Hotel

#### Premier Inn Bournemouth Central,

Westover Road, Bournemouth, BHI 2BZ

2 0333 003 0025 ☐ http://www.premierinn.com/gb/en/book-a-hotel.html

#### Russell Court Hotel

Bath Road, Bournemouth. BHI 2EP

☎ 01202 295819 ☐ info@russellcourthotel.com

#### The Grove,

2 Grove Road, Bournemouth. BHI 3AU.

☎ 01202 552233 ■ enquiries@thegrovebournemouth.co.uk

#### Gresham Court Hotel.

4 Grove Rd, Bournemouth BHI 3AX

**2** 01202 551732

#### Ramada Encore Hotel Bournemouth,

22 Bath Road, Bournemouth, BHI 2NS,

☎ 01202 291266 □ reservations@encorebournemouth.co.uk

# **DINNER MENU**

#### Prawn St Lucia

Fresh pineapple, Prawns, Celery and Apple in Tangy Mayonnaise

#### Salmon Rilette

served with Mediterranean Bread

#### Warm Red Onion & Goat's Cheese Tart

#### Chefs Home-made Houmous

with pitta bread and Olives

#### Plaice Edwina

Served with Asparagus & Prawns in a white wine sauce finished with a Fleuron Puff Pastry

#### Parsnip & Honey Roast Saddle of Lamb

in a red wine sauce

#### Fillet of Pork Normande

Wrapped in pastry with a coarse wholegrain Mustard with Honey, Glazed Apple and Calvados Sauce

#### Vegetable Wellington

with a wild mushroom sauce

**Eton Mess** 

Pear & Almond Tart
with a Calvados Cream Sauce

#### White Chocolate & Raspberry Cheesecake

served with Fruits of the Forest compote

#### Strawberry Charente

Strawberries marinated in Grand Marnier, drizzled in a light Strawberry Mousse.

Freshly Filtered Coffee accompanied by Chocolate Mints

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