



Have you got a special Teatime treat recipe? Why not share it!
Send in your best tea time cake recipes and we will share them to a special Platinum Jubilee events page planned for the Froxfield website...
Email your special family recipe to: clerk@froxford.org.

Floral Festival with Jubilee Theme

After the success of last year's Froxfield Floral Festival, we are being asked to get creative to decorate the Church with floral displays celebrating the Queen's 70 year reign. Perhaps a combination of red, white and blue flowers, or maybe choose to celebrate a country of the Commonwealth! Let's fill the Church with festive flowers. To find out more, contact Claire Wilson on c.wilson@froxford.org



Hymns with Pimms

Sunday June 5th

A Church Service to celebrate the Jubilee

There will be a special Church Service on the afternoon of Sunday June 5th which will round off the weekend of celebrations by giving our community the chance to come together to say 'Thank You' for the Queen's 70 years of dedicated service to all British and Commonwealth communities. To keep with the festive weekend theme, the congregation is invited to stay on after the service and share a glass of classic chilled English Pimms.

A tree fit for our Queen

A Linden tree has been planted by Froxfield Parish Council to mark the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. The tree was planted by the Community Payback team which helps maintain the Church and Memorial Hall grounds and a commemorative plaque will be added for the weekend of the jubilee celebrations in June.

The Linden Tree — A Lime Tree, *Tilia Echlora* — was selected because of its year-round interest — from fragrant blossom in the spring, through to stunning autumn colour.

The history of the Linden Tree is fascinating. Throughout Europe, it has ancient associations with places where villagers once met to make important decisions, as well as having very poetic English folk associations. We hope it will grow to be a substantial tree of great beauty, and we'd like to think it will provide a fitting memorial to our Queen's long reign and be a joy for generations to come.

A commemorative plaque will be added in time for the June weekend's celebrations and the tree will be added to the **Queen's Green Canopy** list of trees planted in honour of the jubilee: <https://queensgreencanopy.org/>



The Community Payback team
Planting our Queen's Linden Tree

