



#### ❖ St James, Finchampsstead

A BEACON was lit at St James' Church on Monday, June 4.

It was one of about 4,200 that were lit throughout the UK, Channel Islands, Isle of Man, Commonwealth and Overseas UK Territories in celebration

of the Queen's Diamond Jubilee.

More than 500 villagers gathered while the tower bells pealed, joined in prayers and then shared in the Loyal Toast with a glass of 'bubbly', followed by community singing.

#### ❖ Ordination

**BRYNN BAYMAN.** The ordination of Brynn Bayman as Priest took place at Reading Minster on Saturday, June 23 at 4pm. His first service to celebrate Holy Communion was held at 11am in St James' Church, Finchampsstead on Sunday, June 24.