

28th April 2019

Second Sunday of Easter

8am Holy Communion

Presiding: Charleen Hollington
Preaching: David Taylor
Intercessor: Clergy
Reader: Tanya Hall

10am Parish Communion

Presiding: Charleen Hollington
Preaching: David Taylor
Intercessor: Margaret Branscombe
Readers: David Taylor and Helen Goddard

12:15 Holy Baptism

Presiding: Charleen Hollington

6pm Evensong @ St Mary's

Presiding: Godfrey Hilliard

Friday 3rd May

10:30am Holy Communion

Presiding & Preaching:
Mike Branscombe

Welcome to St Andrew's!

If this is the first time you are joining us please do introduce yourself to one of the clergy or someone with a name badge. If you would like more information on anything at St Andrew's please leave your details on the welcome card on the desk. Members of all Christian churches are most welcome to receive Holy Communion. We have an audio loop in the church and large print versions of our service booklet are available. Please use a yellow Gift Aid envelope if you would like to make a donation. There is a WC in the corner of the church, just past the organ. We hope you enjoy the service.

Kids' Church is a time of teaching, fun and worship for children and young people. We have activities available for children from the age of 2 to 13 and up. Please enter through the main door of Church Gate House. Children join their families to worship together for the last part of the service. **Parents should meet their children at the Church's main door at the start of Holy Communion.**

At the back of the Church there is an activity space for very small children.

REFRESHMENTS.

Coffee will be served after the 10am service by Sally Donn and Jill Newman in Church Gate House. Please do join us.

This week's prayers and readings:

Praying For:

- Charleen and David as they lead our services today. Pray that God will speak to us through their words as we worship together.
- All attending and helping with Kids' Church today.
- Those reading, playing and singing during our Worship.

Pastoral/Church

- Theo Pearce and Freddie Forsyth being baptised here today.
- The bereaved family and friends of Peggy Hylands
- Those in our congregation who are ill, facing treatment, recovering from an operation or who are lonely.
- Give thanks for the number of people who visited St Andrew's for services and events over Holy Week and Easter Weekend. For the wonderful Easter High Tea, that our guests heard and felt the love of God at the event.
- The residents of Cedar Avenue, Cedar Road and Spencer Road.
- For the ministry team at St. Andrew, for Mike, Charleen, Peter, Esther and Moni and for Cathy & David, occasional preachers.
- Our brothers and sisters in Christ who were killed or injured in the terrorist attacks in the Sri Lankan Churches and hotels on Easter Day.
- The second Cyclone, Kenneth, which has hit Mozambique, a country still recovering from devastation and deaths of 900 people under recent Cyclone Idai.
- For those suffering, who have died or lost their homes in the floods and mud slides on the East Coast of South Africa.
- For us all in UK as Brexit negotiations continue.

Service Booklets:

8am: Easter Booklet

Eucharistic Prayer E

10am: Easter Booklet

Eucharistic Prayer H

Readings:

8am and 10am:

Exodus 14:10-end,

15:20-12

(OT 64)

Acts 5:27-32

(NT 131)

John 20:19-end (NT 123)

Collect for 2nd Sunday of Easter

Risen Christ,
for whom no door is
locked, no entrance
barred: open the doors
of our hearts,
that we may seek the
good of others
and walk the joyful road
of sacrifice and peace,
to the praise
of God the Father.

Amen

This week's notices:

CONTACTLESS GIVING we are trying out a new portable, contactless and Apple Pay machine in the Church. During April the terminal will be set up to accept donations for Cyclone Idai, during May for Christian Aid. From June, if we like the system, it will be able to accept donations for the work of St Andrew's or other specific projects. Please do have a go and give us feedback on your experience with and feelings about the new machine.

THE LENT COURSE – *Explore the Big Story* will take a break over Easter but will resume on Wednesday 1st May.

MAIASTRA CONCERT on Sunday 5th May at 7:30pm. Full details of the programme on the poster.

LOST IN ACTION we are missing several tablecloths from Church Gate House, both the blue check and the white ones. If you have kindly taken them home to launder, please do return them.

THE FOOD BANK Demand is still high and the team would be most grateful for donations of: Tinned Meat, Tinned Potatoes, Tinned Vegetables, Rice (500g), Biscuits (sweet), Sugar, Dog Food and Toothpaste (Adult & Children).

SAVE THE DATE for the Summer BBQ on July 7th, when we will be saying good bye to Esther she begins her training in September and celebrate with Moni following her ordination.

Sunday 5th May – 3rd Sunday of Easter

8am Holy Communion Presiding: Mike Branscombe Preaching: Moni Babatunde	10am Family Service <i>Need Another Chance?</i> Presiding: Esther Holley Preaching: Moni Babatunde	6pm Evensong Presiding: Peter Vickers
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Upcoming Events

Tuesday 30 th	9am	Morning Prayer
Wednesday 1 st May	9am 10:30am 11:30 & 7:30	Morning Prayer Baby Talk Big Story – The Bible – Course Continues
Thursday 2 nd	2pm	Funeral Service for Peggy Hylands
Friday 3 rd	10:30am	Holy Communion
Sunday 5 th	8am 10am	Holy Communion Family Service – <i>Need Another Chance?</i>
Monday 6 th		Bank Holiday – Office Closed
Tuesday 7 th	9am	Morning Prayer
Wednesday 8 th	9am 10:30am 11:30 & 7:30 8pm	Morning Prayer Baby Talk Big Story – The Bible – Course Continues Spiritual Cinema
Thursday 9 th	2:30pm	T4U
Friday 10 th	10:30am 12noon	Holy Communion Lunch Club
Sunday 12 th	8am 10am 12:15pm	Holy Communion Parish Communion Holy Baptism