

# 8<sup>th</sup> April 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter

## Welcome to St Andrew's!

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 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.

**SAY It's Sunday youth group** for year 6 and above meet at 6pm during term time in Church Gate House.

**REFRESHMENTS** Tea & Coffee will be served after the 10am service in Church Gate House by Beryl Mooney and Edna Tipping, please do join us.

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### 8am Holy Communion

Presiding & Preaching:

Peter Vickers

Intercessor: Clergy

Reader: Dominic Combe

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### 10am Parish Communion

Presiding & Preaching:

Peter Vickers

Intercessor: Leonard Beighton

Readers: Simon Bray and Cathy Whitnall

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### 6pm Evensong @ St Mary's

Presiding: Hugh Bryant

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### Friday 13<sup>th</sup> April

### 10:30 Holy Communion

Presiding & Preaching:

Peter Vickers

## APCM

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> @ 8pm

Church Gate House

All Welcome

# This week's prayers and readings:

## Service Booklets:

8am : 1662

10am:

Easter Season

Eucharistic Prayer H

## Readings:

8am & 10am:

Acts 4:32-35

(NT 129)

1 John 1:1-2 v2

(NT 257)

John 20:19-end(NT 123)

## Collect for 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter

Almighty Father, you have given your only Son to die for our sins and to rise again for our justification: grant us so to put away the leaven of malice and wickedness that we may always serve you in pureness of living and truth; through the merits of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

## Praying For:

- Peter as he leads our services today. Pray that God will speak to us through his words as we worship together.
- Everyone involved in Kids' Church today.
- SAY It's Sunday Youth Group

## Pastoral/Church

- The bereaved family and friends of George Cole, Susan Brisch and Josephine Tagg.
- Give thanks for a wonderful holiday Club.
- Those in our congregation who are ill, recovering from operations, are facing treatment or who are lonely.
- Polly Zabari during her course of chemotherapy.
- Charleen, Richard and Claudia on holiday in South Africa, that they all enjoy some rest and relaxation.
- Nita & Michael Rodd and their son Jonathan in America who has an inoperable brain tumour.
- The Church Wardens, Clergy and St Andrew's congregation during the vacancy. That we will trust God for his timing and plans for St Andrew's.
- The PCCs as they meet on Saturday to consider and action the options presented by the Archdeacon last Tuesday. and the APCM on Friday evening.
- Children and staff enjoying their Easter holidays from school. Your peace and wisdom for those preparing for exams over the holidays.
- The escalation of gun & knife related deaths of young people in central London.
- The residents of Four Acres, Miles Lane and The Garth.

### A VACANCY PRAYER

Our gracious Father: as we continue to seek for the person who will become the new rector of our united benefice we pray that you will bless us with an outpouring of your grace. Grant us the grace to be patient and to trust in your sure purposes for us. Grant us the grace to bear with one another in kindness and mutual encouragement. Give the gift of discernment to those making this decision. Above all help us never to cease declaring to the world God's love for us in Jesus Christ. Amen

# This week's notices:

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**THE AVENUE OF REMEMBRANCE** The official re-dedication of The Avenue of Remembrance is today at 12:30pm., on The Tilt. Everyone welcome to the re-dedication service.

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**NEXT SUNDAY** We are delighted to announce that Rev Renos Pittarides will be taking the 10am service next Sunday, 15th April. We look forward to welcoming him back to St Andrew's for this service.

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**CAP QUIZ** a funding raising quiz for CAP on 28<sup>th</sup> April at 7pm. The team from St Andrew's – *The Cobham Cobnuts* are defending champions. Can you help to defend the title? Contact Charleen if you would like to join the team.

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**ELECTORAL ROLL.** If you are not already on the Electoral Roll, do consider signing it. Formally it entitles you to come to the APCM and to vote at it. Informally it signifies that you want to be a member of the St Andrew's church family.

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**ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING.** The APCM will be held in the Church Gate House Hall at 8.00 pm on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> April. This will provide an opportunity to hear about the work of the Church and where we are going with the vacancy.

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**ELECTIONS OF CHURCHWARDENS AND PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL.** We are looking for new members to join the PCC. Please ask me if you would like to know more about what this role involves. Leonard Beighton [leonard@johnb8on.plus.com](mailto:leonard@johnb8on.plus.com) 01932 863516.

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**LIVING CHURCH MAGAZINE** the new magazine from the Diocese is available on the desk. This is the replacement for the WEY.

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**ANNUAL DONATIONS FOR "TOGETHER"** If you have not yet brought your green donation envelope to church or the Parish Office, we would be pleased to receive it as soon as possible. £10 or more suggested, to fund magazine printing costs. Spare envelopes in rack near door. With thanks, Daphne McFarlane Editor.

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**PREVENTION OF DIABETES TALK** on 18<sup>th</sup> April at 7:45pm at the Sacred Heart Church. To reserve a space please call 01932 868672 or email [ppg.cobhamhc@nhs.net](mailto:ppg.cobhamhc@nhs.net).

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**THE FOOD BANK** would be grateful for donations of: Pasta Sauce, UHT/long life milk, Custard (tins of cartons), UHT/Long life fruit juice or Squash, Tinned vegetables & tomatoes (not corn, beans or pulses please) Tinned potatoes, Tinned rice pudding, Tomato ketchup, toilet paper, household cleaning products, Laundry gel, liquid, or powder and Sanitary pads.

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**CONSENT FORMS** thank you to everyone who has already completed a form. If you haven't completed one yet please do as soon as possible.

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**SAVE THE DATE** for the next Church yard and garden clear up during the morning of the 12<sup>th</sup> May.

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# Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> April – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter

<b>8am Holy Communion</b> Presiding & Preaching: Peter Vickers	<b>10am Parish Communion</b> Presiding & Preaching: Renos Pittarides	<b>6pm Evensong</b> Preaching: Peter Vickers
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## Upcoming Events

Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup>	9am	Morning Prayer
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup>	9am	Morning Prayer
	10:30am	Baby Talk
	7pm	14+ Youth Group
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup>	10:30am	Holy Communion
	12 noon	Lunch Club
	8pm	APCM
Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am	PCC Meeting
Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup>	8am	Holy Communion
3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter	10am	Parish Communion
	6pm	Evensong @ St Mary's
	6pm	SAY Youth Group
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup>	7pm	Spiritual Cinema
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup>	9am	Morning Prayer
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup>	9am	Morning Prayer
	10:30am	Baby Talk
	7pm	14+ Youth Group
	8pm	Vacancy Prayer Meeting
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>	10:30am	Holy Communion
Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	8am	Holy Communion
4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter	10am	Parish Communion
	6pm	Evensong @ St Mary's
	6pm	SAY Youth Group