



READINGS

Acts 10 v 34-43 **P126**

Luke 24 v 1-12 **P86**

PRAYER FOR THE DAY

God of glory,
by the raising of your Son
you have broken the chains of death and
hell:
fill your Church with faith and hope;
for a new day has dawned and the way to
life stands open in our Saviour Jesus
Christ. Amen.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

God of Life,
who for our redemption gave your only-begotten
Son to the death of the cross,
and by his glorious resurrection have delivered us
from the power of our enemy:
grant us so to die daily to sin, that we may
evermore live with him in the joy of his risen life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Please PRAY for:

- ❖ Peace between Russia and the Ukraine - pray for peace, for all those who have died in the war, those who mourn, those who seek refuge and wisdom for all who lead.
- ❖ all the staff and volunteers continuing to administer the Covid vaccinations and the hospital staff, paramedics, care workers, key workers, schools and businesses who are still under a lot of pressure at the moment. All who are suffering from Covid or who are isolating.
- ❖ those who are sick, and all who care for them, especially Ann Baker, Caroline, Ann Parry, Kath Glover, Revd Simon Wilkinson, Molly Hawksworth, Bill, Diane Eagles, and Tessa Bremner Macdonald.
- ❖ those who have died, especially Millie and Edna Patton.

Easter Sunday

- ❖ that we all may know the light and joy of the resurrection life this Eastertide.
- ❖ The Church of Pakistan (United).
- ❖ Pray for the Peace of Jerusalem.
- ❖ The Episcopal churches in South Sudan and Sudan, especially for the Rt Revd Paul Tokmach Lual, Bishop of Nyang.
- ❖ all the parishes in the Dorchester Deanery.
- ❖ those who live in Wavell Road and Radcliffe Road.

St George's Patronal

- ❖ St George's Church and its congregation.
- ❖ The Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea.
- ❖ The Episcopal churches in South Sudan and Sudan, especially for the Rt Revd James Primo, Bishop of Magwi.
- ❖ all the parishes in the Weymouth and Portland Deanery.
- ❖ those who live in Old Street and Watersmeet Road.

For information Revd Becky is on the second part of her sabbatical from Easter Monday until May 27th. Please contact Revd Julian, Revd Mike, Matthew Stone LLM or Katy Carter LLM during her time away regarding any pastoral needs. Remember too that the LPA team is always available for visits.

Linda Baker is on leave from 14th April – 24th April. Emails/ telephone calls will be monitored in case of anything urgent, but otherwise picked up on 25th April. The notice sheet for Easter Sunday will also include St George's Patronal.

Thank you to all who have worked hard to prepare and keep our churches open for Holy Week and Easter, whether wardening, prepping for prayer stations or services, cleaning, or flower arranging. May we all know the joy of God's blessings this Easter tide. Revd Becky.



READINGS

2 Timothy 2 v 3-13 **P209**
John 15 v 18-21 **P106**

PRAYER FOR THE DAY

God of hosts, who so kindled the flame of love in the heart of your servant George that he bore witness to the risen Lord by his life and by his death: give us the same faith and power of love that we who rejoice in his triumphs may come to share with him the fullness of the resurrection; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. AMEN.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Lord God our Father, through our Saviour Jesus Christ you have assured your children of eternal life and in baptism have made us one with him: deliver us from the death of sin and raise us to new life in your love, in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, by the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ. AMEN.

PARISH DIARY

Easter Saturday	11.30-2.30pm	Prayer Stations for Peace in Ukraine. St George's.
	11.00-2.00pm	All Age Prayer Stations about Easter. All Saints.
Easter Sunday	9.30am	Family Communion at St George's. Easter egg hunt.
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Tuesday 19th	9.00am	Morning Prayer outside All Saints.
Wednesday 20th	9.00am	Morning Prayer in St George's.
Saturday 23rd	10.00am	Coffee and Chat at the Parish Hall.
Sunday 24th	10.00am	Communion Service at St George's. UNITED SERVICE.
	12.30pm	Patronal Lunch in the Parish Hall.
Tuesday 26th	9.00am	Morning Prayer outside All Saints.
	12 noon	Diocesan MU Communion Service in the Cathedral.
	1.30pm	Magazine Collation in Meeting Room.
Wednesday 27th	9.00am	Morning Prayer in St George's.
	7.30pm	"My Mad Moscow Adventure" talk in Parish Hall.
Friday 29th	12noon	Soup and Sweets Lunch in the Parish Hall.
Saturday 30th	10.00am	Coffee and Chat at the Parish Hall.
Sunday 1st	9.30am	Communion Service at St George's.
	11.00am	Communion Service at All Saints.

Parish Lifts Scheme.

Anyone would like a lift to church or to another parish event (such as one of the Evening Talks), please contact our Lift Coordinator, Inas Miles on 07450 217091. or harnhamparishlifts@gmail.com. She will do her best to arrange for one of our approved Volunteer Drivers to pick you up. The more notice you can give her, the easier it will be. Please also note that our Drivers will always be accompanied by a second passenger, in case of any emergency, and, while we can't assist with lifts to medical appointments, shopping etc, Inas will be able to advise on alternative options you can consider.

MESSY CHURCH

Our next Messy Church is on Sunday 8th May, 3-5pm in the Parish Hall. The afternoon typically includes a welcome, a long creative time to explore the biblical theme through getting messy; a short celebration time involving story, prayer, song, games and similar; and a sit-down meal together. For more information contact Jean Mercer 01722 324229.

ST GEORGE'S PATRONAL LUNCH – Sunday 24th April, 12.30pm in the Parish Hall

Sunday will be the deadline for signing up to participate in the lunch. The main course will be:

A. Vegetarian Lasagne or

B. Cottage Pie (gluten free).

The cost, including dessert and wine or soft drinks, will be **£6** to be paid by Wednesday 20th. Please put cash or cheque (payable to Harnham PCC) in an envelope with your **name and menu choice** and if possible, hand to Sunday Wardens, Pam Macklin (SG) or Jean Mercer (AS) on Easter Day. Alternatively put your envelope through the parish office door by Wednesday midday. It will not be possible to cater for those who have not paid in advance.

We hope you will enjoy this first occasion of really putting the new kitchen through its paces!

SOUP AND SWEETS LUNCH



You are warmly invited to a Soup and Sweets Lunch with delicious homemade soup and desserts on Friday 29th April, 12-2.00pm in the Parish Hall.

Donations are invited for Mothers Union Overseas work which includes Literacy and Numeracy Courses, Trauma Counselling, HIV and Covid Awareness and so much more!!! All Welcome.

HARNHAM GARDENERS SHARING TABLE

Saturday 30 April – 11.00am – 1.00pm, Parish Hall Field.

Plants, seedlings, seeds - bring what you can spare, take what you can use. A chance to share with your neighbours - ALL FREE. Enjoy a Coffee and Chat at the same time.

Organised by Harnham Community Network, who plan to re-open Harnham Harvest Table every Saturday from 16 July. For further information, or if you have plants you want collecting, contact: harnhamcommunity@gmail.com or 07900 815605.

JOHN BELL

John Bell, a well known preacher, activist and hymn writer linked to the Iona Community is coming to Salisbury. The following opportunities to meet and learn from him....

- He will be preaching at Salisbury Methodist Church on Sunday 8th May 8 at 10.30am.
- Leading a workshop on *Good Reasons to Sing*, again at SMC at 2.30pm.
- And leading a short course on *Revisiting the Psalms* at Sarum College on Monday 9th May from 10.00 to 4.00pm. To book: <https://www.sarum.ac.uk/short-courses/revisiting-the-psalms/>



PAUSE FOR PROSECCO


Pause for Prosecco will be meeting on Thursday 12th May in the meeting room. 7.30-9.00pm.

Theme - Mayday Mayday!

May is a month of Morris Dancing, maypoles and the Green man - we will discuss ideas around faith and nature, fertility, the cycle of life, death and rebirth. This is a discussion group for women, new members always welcome.

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Assistant Curate:	Revd Mike	07803 167889 (Day off - Saturday)
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