

ACTS 2.14a, 36–41 - A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

On the day of Pentecost, Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd, 'Let the entire house of Israel know with certainty that God has made him both Lord and Messiah, this Jesus whom you crucified.' Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and to the other apostles, 'Brothers, what should we do?' Peter said to them, 'Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ so that your sins may be forgiven; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is for you, for your children, and for all who are far away, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to him.' And he testified with many other arguments and exhorted them, saying, 'Save yourselves from this corrupt generation.' So those who welcomed his message were baptized, and that day about three thousand persons were added to their number.

Luke 24.13–35 - Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

On that same day, two of the disciples were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem, and talking with each other about all these things that had happened. While they were talking and discussing, Jesus himself came near and went with them, but their eyes were kept from recognizing him. And he said to them, 'What are you discussing with each other while you walk along?' They stood still, looking sad. Then one of them, whose name was Cleopas, answered him, 'Are you the only stranger in Jerusalem who does not know the things that have taken place there in these days?' Jesus asked them, 'What things?' They replied, 'The things about Jesus of Nazareth, who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, and how our chief priests and leaders handed him over to be condemned to death and crucified him. But we had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel. Yes, and besides all this, it is now the third day since these things took place. Moreover, some women of our group astounded us. They were at the tomb early this morning, and when they did not find his body there, they came back and told us that they had indeed seen a vision of angels who said that he was alive. Some of those who were with us went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said; but they did not see Jesus.' Then he said to them, 'Oh, how foolish you are, and how slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have declared! Was it not necessary that the Messiah should suffer these things and then enter into his glory?' Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets, he interpreted to them the things about himself in all the scriptures. As they came near the village to which they were going, he walked ahead as if he were going on. But they urged him strongly, saying, 'Stay with us, because it is almost evening and the day is now nearly over.' So he went in to stay with them. When he was at the table with them, he took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. Then their eyes were opened, and they recognized Jesus; and he vanished from their sight. They said to each other, 'Were not our hearts burning within us while he was talking to us on the road, while he was opening the scriptures to us?' That same hour they got up and returned to Jerusalem; and they found the eleven and their companions gathered together. They were saying, 'The Lord has risen indeed, and he has appeared to Simon!' Then they told what had happened on the road, and how he had been made known to them in the breaking of the bread.



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NOTICE SHEET FOR SUNDAY 30th April 2017 Easter 3

8.00am Holy Communion

Readings:

8.00am & 10.00am

Acts 2 v. 14 & 36-41

Luke 24 v. 13-35

10.00am Parish Eucharist

followed by Annual Parochial Church Meeting

Hymns:

Hymn No: 565

Hymn No: 289

Hymn No: 523

Hymn No: 555

6.30pm BCP Evensong

Readings:

Haggai 1 v. 13-2 v. 9

1 Corinthians 3 v. 10-17

Hymns:

Hymn No: 2

Hymn No: 431

Hymn No: 361

Psalm: 116

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The Reverend Michael Burns – 020 8540 5279 – is always grateful to be informed about illness or any other urgent matters affecting parishioners.

FOR OUR PRAYERS

Those who are ill or in need: Finley, Insoon Kim, Elizabeth Fleming, Michael Green

Those who have died: Rachel Boulding

Those whose anniversary of death falls at this time: Gale Gash (2011)

Link Parish: The People of St Francis of Assisi, Barham Green, Bulawayo

Dates for your Diary

THIS WEEK

Tuesday 2nd May

11.00am Morning Prayer

Wednesday 3rd May

8.00pm PCC Meeting, Truman Room

Thursday 4th May

6.15pm Adult Choir Practice

7.30pm Children's Choir Practice

Saturday 6th May

7.30pm Charles & Fenton Cabaret in the Hall

Next Sunday 7th May – Easter 4

8.00am Holy Communion

10.00am Celebrate Together

6.30pm Sung Evensong

THE FOLLOWING WEEK

Monday 8th May

7.30pm Brass Group

Tuesday 9th May

11.00am Morning Prayer

Thursday 11th May

6.15pm Adult Choir Practice, Hall

7.30pm Children's Choir Practice, Hall

8.00pm Churches Together in West Wimbledon meets in Church

Saturday 13th May

3.00pm-5.00pm Kid's Activity Afternoon, Hall

6.00pm Concert

Green Prayer

God our Father, who rules the destinies of men and nations, we thank you for every happening which draws the people of the world nearer together in fellowship and purpose. Grant to all representatives of the nations, on whose word and attitude so much depends, the guidance of your Holy Spirit and the grace of humility, that they may be ready to see a point of view which differs from their own, and keep before them not merely the welfare of their own nation as they see it, but your will for the whole world. This we pray in the Name of your Son, Jesus Christ. *(Leslie Weatherhead)*

Post Communion

Living God, your Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread: open the eyes of our faith, that we may see him in all his redeeming work; who is a live and reigns, now and for ever.

Collect

Risen Christ, you filled your disciples with boldness and fresh hope: strengthen us to proclaim your risen life and fill us with your peace, to the glory of God the Father.

PEW SHEET NOTICES

With the interregnum over please email all material now for the pew sheet direct to the Parish Office only.

CABARET NIGHT WITH CHARLES MILLER AND FENTON GRAY

This is taking place on **Saturday 6th May at 7.30pm**. We are very excited that the 'West End is coming back to West Wimbledon'. Tickets are £25 per head and include a delicious supper. Please contact either Tish Mousell or Sarah Castle for tickets, and sign the form at the back of church.

THANK YOU FROM SAL AND JULIE

Thanks so much for the lovely surprises last Sunday. We were both completely overwhelmed by your generosity. In reality we owe all of you a huge thank you. We're only one part of a much bigger group of people who have kept Christ Church running smoothly during the last 46 weeks. All of you are part of that group.

THANK YOU FROM MICHAEL

Thank you so much to everyone who made the Licensing Service and the party afterwards so special and memorable – a wonderful event that won't be forgotten!

KIDS ACTIVITY AFTERNOON

Is taking place on Saturday 13th May at 3.00-5.00pm in the hall. All children aged 4-11 are welcome. Please email tish@mouselltraining.com if you are interested in your children attending.

LAY CONFERENCE 17th JUNE 2017

9.15pm for 9.30pm until 2.00pm, at St Cecilia's School, Sutherland Grove, SW18 5JR. For those who are interested in deepening their own Christian life and supporting the work of their church. Full programme will be available on the online booking website and tickets include a hot buffet lunch. £15.00 each or £10.00 each for members of groups of five or more. Queries do contact the Archdeacons' PA, Romana Nelson, on 020 8545 2443 or romana.nelson@southwark.anglican.org www.hearts-on-fire-2017.eventbrite.co.uk

CINQUE COTTAGES, CROOKED BILLET

The post of Clerk to this small alms house charity will shortly fall vacant. The job would suit someone with business skills, a concern for others and some time to give. Home-based, flexible duties; local interest; supportive trustees; contented residents; negotiable remuneration. Further details (also available to download from the church's website) and application form from: colin@holloway.myzen.co.uk

SAFE & AFFORDABLE ROOM REQUIRED

From June to October, for 21-year-old woman from Zimbabwe working at St George's Hospital. Details from alisonwilliams36@btinternet.com.