

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Colossians

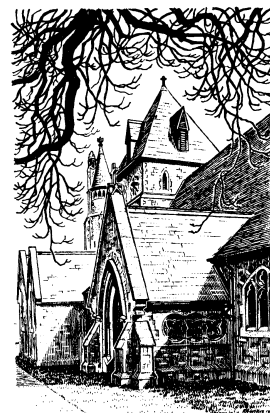
As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Colossians 3.12–17

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

The child's father and mother were amazed at what was being said about Jesus. Then Simeon blessed them and said to his mother Mary, 'This child is destined for the falling and the rising of many in Israel, and to be a sign that will be opposed so that the inner thoughts of many will be revealed – and a sword will pierce your own soul too.'

Luke 2.33–35



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Sunday 11 March 2018—Mothering Sunday
Fourth Sunday of Lent—Mothering Sunday



Collect

God of love, passionate and strong,
tender and careful: watch over us
and hold us all the days of our life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Post Communion

Loving God, as a mother feeds her
children at the breast you feed us in
this sacrament with the food and
drink of eternal life: help us who have
tasted your goodness to grow in
grace within the household of faith;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Green Prayer

Lord, as we begin to see the radical
transformation needed in our society
if we are to meet the crisis of climate
change, we pray and beseech you to
raise up and empower the leaders of
the future who will challenge the
forces of inertia and inspire us all to
think and act as if we, individually
and collectively, bear full
responsibility for the lifestyle
changes that we must all make if
coming generations are to survive. Amen.

Sunday 11 March 2018 — Fourth Sunday of Lent

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

READINGS

Colossians 3. 12—17
Luke 2. 33—35

10.00am Celebrate Together

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Colossians 3. 12—17
Luke 2. 33—35
HYMNS: 447, 97, 129, 612

12 Noon Baptism of Millie Wright

6.30pm BCP Evensong

READINGS

Exodus 6. 2—13
Romans 5. 1—11
HYMNS: 93, 634, 141
Psalm 13



FOR OUR PRAYERS

Those who are ill or in need:

Finley, Cynthia Wilkes

Those who have died: Jean Guthman

Those whose anniversary of death falls this week:

Daphne Chinn (2013), Basil Whitworth (1981), Doreen Howell (2011)

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

THIS WEEK

Tuesday 13 March

11.00am Morning Prayer
2.00pm Lent Course 4
6.00pm Finance Committee, Truman Room
7.00pm Standing Committee, Truman Room
8.00pm PCC Meeting, Truman Room

Wednesday 14 March

Organ tuning all day

8.00pm Lent Course 4

Thursday 15 March

8.00pm Brass Group

Friday 16 March (*Michael's Free Day*)

7.30pm Adult Choir Practice

NEXT SUNDAY 18 March 2018

8.00am BCP Holy Communion

Name Badge Sunday

10.00am Parish Eucharist

6.30pm BCP Sung Evensong

NEXT WEEK

Tuesday 20 March

11.00am Morning Prayer
2.00pm Lent Course 5

Wednesday 21 March

8.00pm Lent Course 5

Thursday 22 March

8.00pm Brass Group

Friday 23 March (*Michael's Free Day*)

7.30pm Adult Choir Practice

7.30pm KFH in the Hall

Saturday 24 March

3.00pm Fun Activity Afternoon, Hall



HOLY WEEK AND EASTER AT CHRIST CHURCH

Palm Sunday March 25th

8am Holy Communion (BCP)

10am Parish Eucharist with Procession

6.30pm Sung Evensong (BCP)

Monday March 26th

8pm 'Christ humbled himself' - reflections on Christ's Passion

Tuesday March 27th

8pm 'Putting Christ at the centre of our lives'—a meditation

Wednesday March 28th

8pm Taize Service with Prayer and Contemplation

Maundy Thursday March 29th

8pm Sung Eucharist of the Last Supper followed by stripping of the Church and a silent vigil till 10pm

Good Friday March 30th

10am Meet at the Lantern Methodist Church in Worple Road for the Procession of Witness through Raynes Park organised by WW Churches Together

2pm 'The Last Hour' Liturgy of the Cross with the Choir

Easter Day April 1st

6.45am Sunrise Service—

blessing of new fire and renewal of baptismal vows followed by a light breakfast

8am Holy Communion (BCP)

10am Family Communion - an all age service

6.30pm Evensong (BCP)

HOME MADE MARMALADE will be on sale courtesy of Marian Stewart in aid of the Bishop's Lent Appeal

CAKE SALE IN THE HALL for Dig Deep, a charity that provides clean water to schools and communities in Kenya.

NAME BADGE SUNDAYS will be TODAY and 18 March at the 10am services. We will encourage everyone to write their name on a label (supplied) so that we can get to know each other better!

PLEASE CAN YOU HELP DELIVER EASTER LEAFLETS around the parish? Thank you.

BARN DANCE made £250 profit—many thanks to Tish and the Social Committee for an excellent evening.

BISHOP'S LENT CALL: Every year we support the Bishop of Southwark's annual Lent Call, this year supporting projects in Zimbabwe, the Holy Land and in the Diocese itself. Full details are on the display at the back of the church. Please put your donations in the **BLUE** envelopes which will be available—please Gift Aid if you can.

EASTER LILIES

If you would like to contribute towards the cost of Easter Lilies in Church, in memory of a loved one, there is a collection box and list at the back of church.

CHILDREN'S FUN ACTIVITY AFTERNOON FOR 4 to 11 year olds on **SATURDAY MARCH 24** from 3pm till 5pm in the Hall. Contact Tish (tish@mouseltraining.com or 07771 661 612.) — or Claire (clairenaylor1@virginmedia.com)

ELECTORAL ROLL is the membership list of the church. If you are not on the current list (displayed at the back of the Church), please do complete a form—you have to be over 16 and baptised. We encourage all to join. Full details are available from Mike Hammond, the Electoral Roll Officer.

FUNERAL OF JEAN GUTHMAN will be held at Christ Church on Wednesday 28 March at 1.30pm