

## A reading from the letter of Paul to the Romans

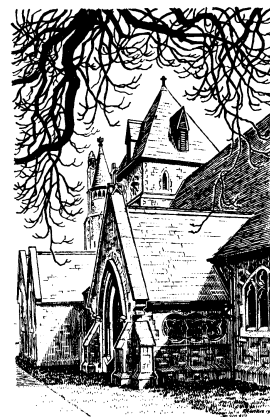
Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? Therefore we have been buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life. For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin. For whoever has died is freed from sin. But if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. The death he died, he died to sin, once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God. So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

*Romans 6. 3 - 11*

## Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

When the Sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. They had been saying to one another, 'Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?' When they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had already been rolled back. As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man, dressed in a white robe, sitting on the right side; and they were alarmed. But he said to them, 'Do not be alarmed; you are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has been raised; he is not here. Look, there is the place they laid him. But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him, just as he told you.' So they went out and fled from the tomb, for terror and amazement had seized them; and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.

*Mark 16. 1 - 8*



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**Sunday 1 April 2018: A very Happy Easter to you all**  
**Easter Day**



### Collect

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

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.

### Green Prayer

Loving God, by whose power Christ was raised from the dead, so that the worst that men could do had no dominion over him, lay your hand, we pray, in loving tenderness on all who need this message most. We pray especially for:

All who have lost dear ones,  
and whose hearts are sad;  
All who have lost their health and vitality;  
All who have lost their livelihood;  
All who have lost their faith.

Give us all such a vision of Christ's risen glory that we too may trust in his power; that we too may know that nothing can separate us from your loving purposes or finally defeat your will. Amen.  
*(Leslie Weatherhead)*

## Sunday 1 April 2018 — Easter Day

### 8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

#### READINGS

Romans 6. 3—11

Mark 16. 1—8

### 10.00am Parish Eucharist

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Romans 6. 3—11

Mark 16. 1—8

**HYMNS:** 339, 431, 684, 660

### 6.30pm Sung Evensong (BCP)

#### READINGS

Isaiah 25. 6-9

Luke 24. 13-35

**HYMNS:** 108, 59, 462

Psalm 105



## FOR OUR PRAYERS

### Those who are ill or in need:

Finley; John Titterington;

### Those who have died:

### Those whose anniversary of death falls this week:

Alexander Aird (1979)

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

## THIS WEEK

### Tuesday 3 April

11.00am Morning Prayer

### Thursday 5 April

8.00pm Brass Group

### Friday 6 April

7.30pm Adult Choir

### Saturday 7 April

2.00pm Wedding in church:  
Matthew Sinnott and Victoria Pentecost

## NEXT SUNDAY 8 APRIL

8.00am BCP Holy Communion

10.00am Parish Eucharist

*followed by PCC Meeting in the Truman Room*

6.30pm BCP Evensong

## NEXT WEEK

### Tuesday 10 April

11.00am Morning Prayer

8.00pm Book Club

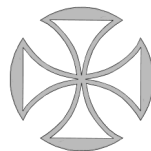
### Thursday 12 April

8.00pm Brass Group

### Friday 13 April

10.00am Friday Group, Truman Room

7.30pm Adult Choir



**THANK YOU** to everyone who has contributed to our services during this past Holy Week.

**THANK YOU** to Elaine Chester and our wonderful Flower arrangers for decorating the church so beautifully and to all those who have contributed towards the cost of the Easter flowers.

**THANK YOU** to our wonderful Junior Church Leaders who planned a very successful Kids Activity afternoon last Saturday. Lots of fun was had—and you will all appreciate the beautiful Easter Garden in which every child had a hand!

**PCC AND SYNOD ELECTIONS AT THE APCM** are approaching—forms to sign are in the cross aisle. There are vacancies for both the Church Council and the Deanery Synod. **The Annual Meeting is on April 22 after the 10am Morning Service** and the first PCC meeting is on April 25.

**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. **The list closes today.**

**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. Full details are on the display at the back of the church. Please put your donations in the **BLUE** envelopes which are available—please Gift Aid if you can. **The appeal closes today.**

**THANK YOU** to Marian Stewart for selling marmalade. £250 has been raised for the Bishop's Lent Appeal.

### **CAKE SALE**

£191 was raised by the Brownies and Guides at their recent Mothering Sunday cake sale.

### **HALL BOOKINGS VOLUNTEER**

We are looking for a volunteer to take over management of occasional hall bookings. Presently this involves manning the hall mobile, confirming bookings and liaising with the volunteers who open and shut the hall on a weekend rota. It is expected the hall will remain available for bookings until Summer 2019. Please contact Michael or Stefan Bown if you're interested.

**2018 PARISH TRIP TO ASSISI AND ROMAN COUNTRYSIDE from 3—12 September 2018** The trip is more or less full but a few extra places could be found for those who would like to go. Leaflets and booking forms are available on the table in Church. Please contact Chris Larkman (020 8542 0612/07950 642550) or [chrislarkman@gmail.com](mailto:chrislarkman@gmail.com) as soon as possible if you are interested in joining the group.

**DIRECTOR OF MUSIC POST** is currently being advertised nationally. Please pray that the right candidate may be found to continue our musical tradition at Christ Church. Meanwhile we are very grateful to our Choir and visiting Organists.

**SCAFFOLDING** will soon be going up around the church as the stonework has to undergo some (expensive) repairs. The accompanying letter gives more details about this work. Any queries, please speak to the Wardens, Sal or Julie.