

Sunday 15th April
Third Sunday of Easter

7.15am Morning Prayer
8.00am Said Eucharist
10.00am Sung Eucharist with Junior Church and Holy Baptism
12.00pm APCM

Readings for 10.00am:

Acts 3 v12-19
1 John 3 v1-7
Luke 24 v36-48

Hymns:

Introit	565	Rejoice the Lord is King
Gradual	56	Before the throne of God
Offertory	325	It is a thing most wonderful
Communion	148	Father we adore you
	356	Jesus stand among us
	149	Father welcomes all his children
Recessional	280	How lovely are the mountains

This week at St. George's:

PLEASE NOTE THAT LADY CHAPEL IS OUT OF USE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

***CONTRACTORS IDIUM WILL BE INSTALLING THE NEW SOUND SYSTEM ON MONDAY & TUESDAY**

***Monday:**

7.45am Morning Prayer
10.30–12 noon Pop-In – Church open for private prayer until noon
5.00pm Evening Prayer
8.00pm Bible Reading Group

***Tuesday:**

7.45am Morning Prayer
5.00pm Evening Prayer

Wednesday:

Barry's Day off

7.30pm Open Door Prayer Group

Thursday:

9.00am Morning Prayer
9.30am Said Eucharist
5.00pm Evening Prayer

Friday:

9.00am Morning Prayer
5.00pm Evening Prayer

Saturday:

9.30am Morning Prayer
10.00am til noon Church open

Sunday 22nd April

Patronal Festival - "St George"

7.15am Morning Prayer
8.00am Said Eucharist
10.00am Sung Eucharist with Junior Church

Large print versions of this pew sheet are available.

General Notices

15th April 2018

APCM – The Annual Parish Church Meeting

takes place at 12.00 TODAY in the Hall. Agendas are available at the back of the church with all the reports and a copy of last year's APCM Minutes.

Christian Aid – this year's blank road delivery list is in the porch just waiting for people to sign up to help. There is also a separate leaflet available at the back of the church. All offers of help greatly appreciated.

Summer Fete – Saturday 9th June

This year's theme is 'The Village Green'. Plans are already starting to be drawn up for this year's 'spectacular' –including the return of last year's live musicians and we are once again aiming to carry on into the evening. Particular help is needed now for someone to take over contacting local businesses for donations and/or offers of support and please start looking out your old china as Aunt Sally is also making a return appearance this year! Any offers of help or innovative suggestions please see/phone Jan on 020 8776 0185 asap. Thanks.

A New Bishop for London - Sarah Mullally will

be in conversation with the Dean at St. Paul's Cathedral on **Monday 4th June** from 6.30pm. All are welcome to register for a free place at www.stpauls.co.uk/newbishop

Please remember in your prayers ...

those in acute need, among them:

Anne; Mia Keene; the Stacey Family; Sheila Watts; Elsie Lennall; Anne Bloss; Doreen Wash; Brian;

those whose need is ongoing, among them:

Hal Bittner; Peter Symes; Libby; Christina; Jean; Barbara Ramsochit; Bill Gibson; Elizabeth Smith; Elizabeth Lovell; Garth Smith; Lindsey Morgan; Margaret Robbins; Mark Hare; Martin Pitt; Julie; Melvyn Demmen; Pam Hooks;; Valerie Hambling; Tom; Valerie Duncan; Vera Ventham; Victoria

Please let Barry know (barryhenqist@gmail.com or 020 8654 8747) of any changes in the prayer needs of those listed above or of new people to be added

any who have died recently:

Sylvia MacNeill

those whose anniversary of death falls soon:

John Robert Reeman; Henry Charles Sharratt; Jessie Wilton; Frederick Thomas Harold Guppy; John Hinchcliffe Richards; Anne Piper; Peter Nicholas Greenfield;

If you would like to make a donation for flowers one Sunday in memory of someone or for a special occasion please contact Marion Sheehan on 020 8777 7308. Donations would also still be gratefully appreciated to help cover the cost of the Easter flowers.

SUNDAY

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CANDLE LIGHTING PRAYER

Lord Jesus,
open our ears to hear you,
open our mouths to praise you,
open our hearts to love you,
more and more.
Amen.

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.
Amen.

FIRST READING

Acts 3 v12-19

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

When Peter saw [how the people wondered at the healing of the crippled man,] he addressed the people, 'You Israelites, why do you wonder at this, or why do you stare at us, as though by our own power or piety we had made him walk? The God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, the God of our ancestors has glorified his servant Jesus, whom you handed over and rejected in the presence of Pilate, though he had decided to release him. But you rejected the Holy and Righteous One and asked to have a murderer given to you, and you killed the Author of life, whom God raised from the dead. To this we are witnesses. And by faith in his name, his name itself has made this man strong, whom you see and know; and the faith that is through Jesus has given him this perfect health in the presence of all of you.

And now, friends, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did also your rulers. In this way God fulfilled what he had foretold through all the prophets, that his Messiah would suffer. Repent therefore, and turn to God so that your sins may be wiped out.

Psalm 4

8.00am only

R. In peace I will lie down and sleep.

Answer me when I call, O God of my righteousness
you set me at liberty when I was in trouble;
have mercy on me and hear my prayer.
How long will you nobles dishonour my glory;
how long will you love vain things and seek after falsehood?
But know that the Lord has shown me his marvellous kindness
when I call upon the Lord, he will hear me.
Stand in awe, and sin not;
commune with your own heart upon your bed, and be still. *R*

Offer the sacrifices of righteousness and put your trust in the Lord.
There are many that say, 'Who will show us any good?'
Lord, lift up the light of your countenance upon us.
You have put gladness in my heart, more than when their corn and wine and oil increase.
In peace I will lie down and sleep, for it is you Lord, only, who make me dwell in safety. *R*

SECOND READING

1 John 3 v1-7

A reading from the first letter of John

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

Everyone who commits sin is guilty of lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. You know that he was revealed to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. No one who abides in him sins;

no one who sins has either seen him or known him. Little children, let no one deceive you. Everyone who does what is right is righteous, just as he is righteous.

GOSPEL

Luke 24 v36 - 48

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

Jesus himself stood among [his disciples] and said to them, 'Peace be with you.' They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost. He said to them, 'Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself. Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have.' And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, 'Have you anything here to eat?' They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate in their presence.

Then he said to them, 'These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you—that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled.' Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, 'Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things.

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 alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Amen