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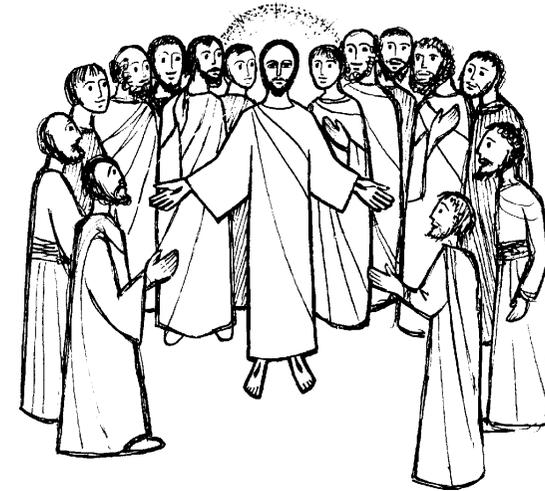
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The Parish Church of All Saints St Ives

15 April 2018

SERVICES for the THIRD SUNDAY of EASTER
10.15 Parish Eucharist with Baptism of Olivia



Services and events for this Week

Monday to Friday: Morning Prayer will be said at 09.00

16 Mon	09.30	Holy Communion
	10.00	Monday Munchkins in Church
	19.30	Bell-ringing Practice
17 Tues	10.00	Healing Eucharist
18 Wed	09.30	Requiem Eucharist
19 Thurs	09.30	Eucharist for Christian Unity
	14.30	MU Thursday Prayers
	15.00	Tea Service
20 Fri	09.30	Reconciliation Eucharist
	12.00	Rosary Hour

Next Sunday, 22 April, is the Fourth Sunday of Easter
10.15 Parish Eucharist

Please take this booklet with you when you leave

Welcome to All Saints today

If you are new or just visiting, please do stay in Church after the service for coffee and fellowship.

Please note that wherever indications for posture are given in this booklet, they are for guidance only. Should it suit you better to adopt an alternative posture please feel free to do so.

Large Print Copies and Gluten Free Wafers are available. Please speak to a steward if you need either of these.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

THE SICK:

Mick Bacon, Cheryl Cook, Chris Stephens, Ethel Cooper, Gary James, Cyril Whitfield, May Young, Bea Maggott, Peter Rose, Penny Yeandle, Audrey, Philip, Carol, David, Christopher, Sophie, Fr Dale and Fr Jeff Vaughan

THE DEPARTED:

Jean Rogers, Harry Norman, Richard Ashurst, Grace Cornthwaite

YEARS MIND :

Julia Johnson (15th), Jane Draper (16th), Charles Griffiths (18th)

Organ Voluntary

*Plein Jeu and Grand Jeu (Agnus Dei)
from Messe pour les Convents*

François Couperin (1668—1733)

NOTICES

Thy Kingdom Come

As last year, we will be participating in the *Thy Kingdom Come* global festival of prayer, between Ascension Day (Thursday 10 May) and Pentecost (Sunday 20 May). Details of planned events will be available soon, but we need volunteers for:

- a) Helping with cooking the communal evening meals,
- b) Spending time in church to allow us to keep it open, including morning, afternoon and night (sleeping permitted!).

If you are able to assist, please speak to Fr Mark or Fr Alex, and in any case, please put the dates in your diary, and do take the opportunity to contribute to our life as a community of prayer by participating in the activities planned.

Little Gidding Pilgrimage, Saturday 12 May

We are planning to join this years pilgrimage which is led by Bishop Stephen and forms part of Thy kingdom Come. There will be a Eucharist at Leighton Bromswold at 10.30. After lunch there will be a gentle walk to Little Gidding, with several stations for reflection and prayer. There will be Evensong and Tea at Little Gidding. More details from Simon Kershaw or from the Pilgrimage Leaflet

'Booze in the Pews', Thursday 28—Saturday 30 June

Over these three days, we will be holding the inaugural All Saints Beer Festival. Posters are now available by the door; please take some home and distribute around your family and friends to display.

Easter Egg Winner

The winning ticket was number 34. Please see Fr Mark to claim your prize.

**Shine, Jesus, shine,
 Fill this land with the Father's glory
 Blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire
 Flow, river, flow,
 Flood the nations with grace and mercy,
 Send forth your word, Lord, and let there be light.**

Lord, I come to your awesome presence,
 From the shadows into your radiance;
 By the blood I may enter your brightness,
 Search me, try me, consume all my darkness:
 Shine on me, shine on me.

As we gaze on your kingly brightness,
 So our faces display your likeness,
 Ever changing from glory to glory;
 Mirrored here may our lives tell your story:
 Shine on me, shine on me.

Words and tune: Graham Kendrick (b.1950)

¶ Remain standing for the Giving of a Lighted Candle

A candle is lit from the Easter (Paschal) Candle and presented.

God has delivered us from the dominion of darkness and has given us a place with the saints in light. You have received the light of Christ; walk in this light all the days of your life.

**Shine as a light in the world
 To the glory of God the Father.**

¶ Remain standing for the Dismissal



Go in the peace of Christ, Al-le-lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.____
 Thanks be to God, Al-le-lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.____

¶ When the bell rings please stand for the Gloria in excelsis

Glory in the highest to the God of heaven!
 Peace to all your people through the earth be given!
 Mighty God and Father, thanks and praise we bring,
 Singing Alleluia to our heavenly King;

Jesus Christ is risen, God the Father's Son!
 With the Holy Spirit, you are Lord alone!
 Lamb once slain for sinners, all our guilt to bear,
 Show us now your mercy, now receive our prayer;

Christ the world's true Saviour, high and holy One!
 Seated now and reigning from your Father's throne;
 Lord and God we praise you! Highest heaven adores;
 In the Father's glory, all the praise be yours.

Words: Christopher Idle (b.1938)

Tune *Camberwell*: Michael Brierley (b.1932)

¶ Remain standing for the Invocation and Greeting

† In the name of the Father, and of the Son,
 and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Grace, mercy and peace from God our Father
 and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you
and also with you.

Alleluia. Christ is risen.

He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

¶ Remain standing for the Collect

*The celebrant introduces a period of silent prayer with the words
 Let us pray.*

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.**

¶ *The Liturgy of the Word*

¶ *Please sit for the* **First Reading** (Acts 3: 12—19)

At the end the reader says:

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

¶ *Remain seated to sing the* **Metrical Psalm** (Ps. 4)

O God, defender of the poor,
Have mercy when I pray:
You listened to my prayer before
Lord, hear my prayer today!

How long will people choose vain things,
Love empty words and wrong?
They scorn to serve the King of kings,
O living God, how long?

The saints, O Lord, you set apart
By grace to be your own:
Let sinners tremble, search their hearts,
And bow before your throne.

While many pray that you will bless
And bring them all they need,
Unless they long for holiness
Their prayers are vain indeed.

Your light, O Lord, let us receive,
Your face within us shine:
For richer is the joy you give
Than all their corn and wine.

And even when I turn to sleep
Your blessings still increase,
For you alone, O Lord,
Will keep your child in perfect peace.

Words: Christopher Idle (b.1938)

Tune *Abridge*: Isaac Smith (1734—1805)

¶ *Please stand for the* **Prayer after Communion**

The Priest introduces a period of silent prayer with the words
Let us pray.

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.

¶ *The Dismissal*

¶ *Remain standing for the* **Notices and Banns of Marriage**

¶ *Remain standing for the* **Blessing**

The Lord be with you
And also with you

Please bow your heads and pray for God's blessing.

God the Father,
by whose glory Christ was raised from the dead,
strengthen you to walk with him in his risen life;
And the blessing of God almighty who is
† he Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be among you and remain with you always.

Amen.

¶ *Remain standing for the* **Final Hymn**

Lord, the light of your love is shining,
In the midst of the darkness, shining;
Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us,
Set us free by the truth you now bring us:
Shine on me, shine on me.

Distribution of the Sacrament

Anyone who has been baptised in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and wishes to receive the love of the Lord Jesus in their life, is welcome to receive communion at this service. Alternatively you may wish to come for a blessing: please keep your hands down and your head bowed to indicate that this is your preference.

¶ Please join in singing the **Communion Songs**

All heaven declares the glory of the risen Lord.
Who can compare with the beauty of the Lord?
Forever he will be the Lamb upon the throne.
I gladly bow the knee and worship him alone.

I will proclaim the glory of the risen Lord,
Who once was slain to reconcile man to God.
Forever you will be the Lamb upon the throne
I gladly bow the knee and worship you alone.

Words and tune: Noel Richards (b.1955) and Tricia Richards

King of kings, majesty,
God of heaven living in me,
Gentle saviour, closest friend,
Strong deliverer, beginning and end,
All within me falls at your throne:
***Your majesty, I can but bow,
I lay my all before you now.
In royal robes I don't deserve
I live to serve your majesty.***

Earth and heaven worship you,
love eternal, faithful and true,
Who brought the nations, ransomed souls,
Brought the sinner near to your throne
All within me cries out in praise:
Your majesty...

Words and tune: Jarrod Cooper (b.1978)

¶ Remain seated for the **Second Reading** (1 John 3: 1—7)

At the end the reader says:
This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

¶ Please stand for the **Gospel Acclamation**
and turn towards the Gospel reader



Cantor: Lord Jesus, explain the scriptures to us.
Make our hearts burn within us as you talk to us.

All: Alleluia (*as above*)

¶ Remain standing for the **Gospel Reading** (Luke 24: 36b—48)

The Lord be with you
and also with you.

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.
Glory to you, O Lord.

At the conclusion of the Gospel the reader says:
This is the Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

¶ Please sit for the **Sermon**

Mr Richard Hough (Reader)

¶ Please stand for the **Presentation of the Candidate**

The candidate for baptism and her Godparents come to the front.

Jesus said, 'Let the children come to me. Do not stop them.'
We thank God for Olivia who has come to be baptised today.
Christ loves her and welcomes her into his Church. So I ask you all:
Will you support her as she begins her journey of faith?
We will.

Will you help her to live and grow within God's family?
We will.

¶ Remain standing for the **Decision**

The Priest address the candidate through her parents and godparents:

We all wander far from God and lose our way:
Christ comes to find us and welcomes us home.
In baptism we respond to his call.
Therefore I ask:

Do you turn away from sin?
I do.

Do you reject evil?
I do.

Do you turn to Christ as Saviour?
I do.

Do you trust in him as Lord?
I do.

Signing with the Cross

Christ claims you for his own.
Receive the sign of his cross.
Do not be ashamed of Christ.
You are his for ever.

**Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom,
the power and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

¶ Remain standing for the **Breaking of the Bread**

Jesus says, I am the bread of life,
whoever eats this bread will live for ever.
**Lord, our hearts hunger for you;
give us this bread always.**

¶ Remain standing for the **Invitation to Communion**

Alleluia. Christ our passover is sacrificed for us.
Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

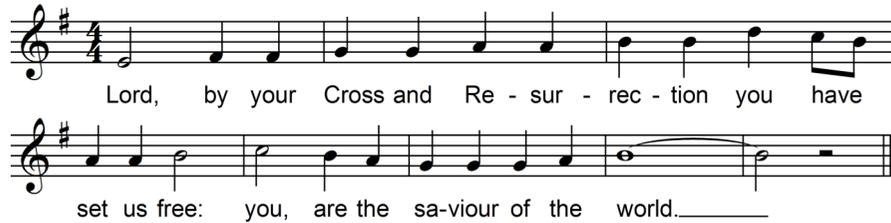
¶ Please sit or kneel for the **Lamb of God**

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: grant us peace, grant us peace, grant us peace.

In the same way, after supper he took the cup and gave you thanks; he gave it to them, saying:
Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.
Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.

Jesus Christ is Lord:



And so, Father, calling to mind his death on the cross, his perfect sacrifice made once for the sins of the whole world; rejoicing in his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming in glory, we celebrate this memorial of our redemption.

As we offer you this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, we bring before you this bread and this cup and we thank you for counting us worthy to stand in your presence and serve you.

Send the Holy Spirit on your people and gather into one in your kingdom all who share this one bread and one cup, so that we, in the company of the blessed Virgin Mary, the Apostles, the Martyrs and all the saints, may praise and glorify you for ever, through Jesus Christ our Lord;

by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory be yours, almighty Father, for ever and ever.

Amen.

¶ Remain standing for the Lord's Prayer

Jesus taught us to call God our Father,
and so we have the courage to pray:

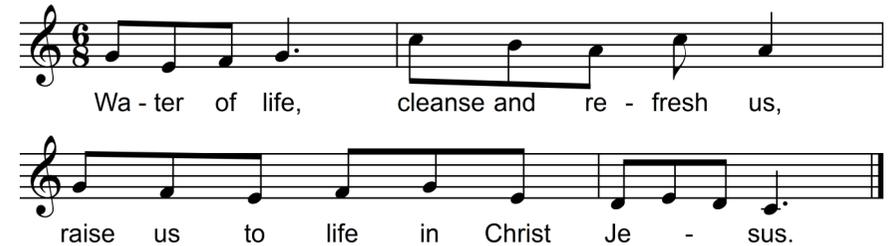
**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come;
thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Stand bravely with him against all the powers of evil,
and remain faithful to Christ to the end of your life.**

May almighty God deliver you from the powers of darkness,
and lead you in the light and obedience of Christ.

Amen.

¶ Remain standing for the Procession to the Font
Please join in singing:



Choir: All you that thirst, come to the waters,
And you will never be thirsty again.

**All: Water of life, cleanse and refresh us,
Raise us to life in Christ Jesus**

¶ Remain standing for the Prayer over the Water

We praise you, loving Father, for the gift of your Son Jesus.
He was baptised in the River Jordan,
where your Spirit came upon him
and revealed him as the Son you love.
He sent his followers to baptise all who turn to him.
Now, Father we give you thanks
for this water which has been blessed,
that those who are baptised in it
may be cleansed in the water of life,
and, filled with your Spirit
may know that they are loved as your children,
safe in Christ for ever. **Amen.**

¶ Please stand to make the **Declaration of Faith**

Let us declare our faith in God.

**We believe in God the Father,
from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named.**

**We believe in God the Son,
who lives in our hearts through faith, and fills us with his love.**

**We believe in God the Holy Spirit,
who strengthens us with power from on high.**

We believe in one God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Amen.

¶ Remain standing for the **Baptism**

The priest asks:

Do you seek for this child be baptised
into the faith of Christ and his Church?

I do.

The priest pours water on Olivia, saying:

Olivia, I baptise you in the name of the Father,
and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

May God,
who has received you by baptism into his Church,
pour upon you the riches of his grace,
that within the company of Christ's pilgrim people
you may daily be renewed by his anointing Spirit,
and come to the inheritance of the saints in glory.

Oil of Chrism is poured on Olivia's head.

The God of power and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ
has freed you from sin and brought you to new life
through water and the Holy Spirit.

He now anoints you with the chrism of salvation,
so that, united with his people,

Lift up your hearts

We lift them to the Lord

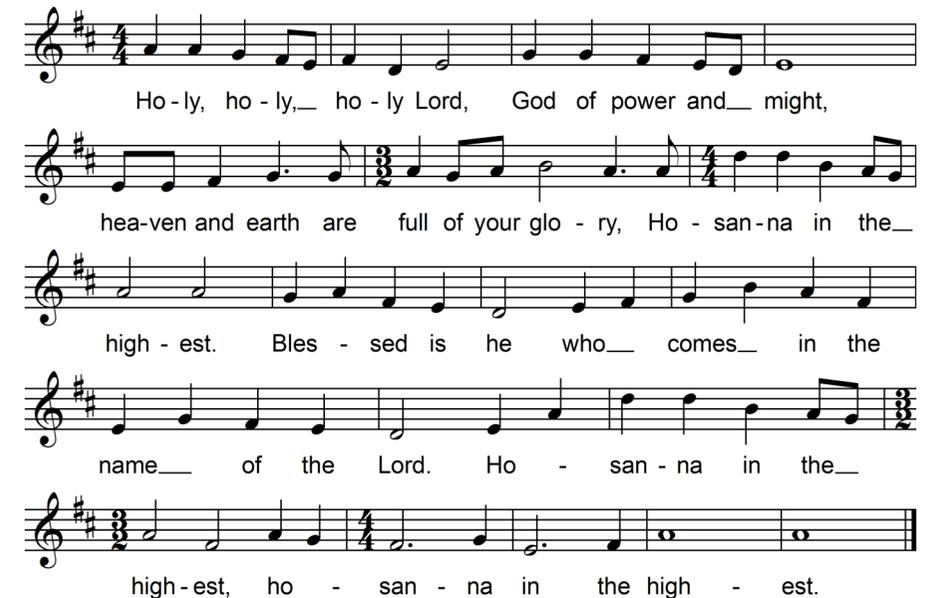
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

It is right to give thanks and praise

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give you thanks,
almighty and eternal Father, and in these days of Easter to celebrate with joyful
hearts the memory of your wonderful works.

For by the mystery of his passion Jesus Christ, your risen Son, has conquered the
powers of death and hell and restored in men and women the image of your glory.

He has placed them once more in paradise and opened to them the gate of life
eternal. And so, in the joy of this Passover, earth and heaven resound with
gladness, while angels and archangels and the powers of all creation
sing for ever the hymn of your glory :



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,
hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry, Ho - san - na in the
high - est. Bles - sed is he who comes in the
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the
high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

Lord, you are holy indeed, the source of all holiness; grant that by the power of
your Holy Spirit, and according to your holy will, these gifts of bread and wine may
be to us the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ;

who, in the same night that he was betrayed, took bread and gave you thanks;
he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you;
do this in remembrance of me.

There in the ground his body lay,
Light of the world by darkness slain:
Then bursting forth in glorious day
Up from the grave he rose again!
And as he stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me,
For I am his and he is mine -
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death,
This is the power of Christ in me;
From life's first cry to final breath,
Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no scheme of man,
Can ever pluck me from his hand:
Till he returns or calls me home,
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

Words and Music: Stuart Townend (b.1963) and Keith Getty (b.1974)

¶ Remain standing for the **Prayer over the Gifts**

Pray, my brothers and sisters that my sacrifice and yours
may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.
**May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands,
for the praise and glory of his name,
for our good, and the good of all his holy Church.**

Risen Lord Jesus Christ,
we believe you, and all we have heard is true.
When you break bread
may we recognise you as the fire that burns within us,
that we may bring light to your world.
Amen.

¶ Remain standing for the **Eucharistic Prayer (B)**

The Lord is here
His Spirit is with us

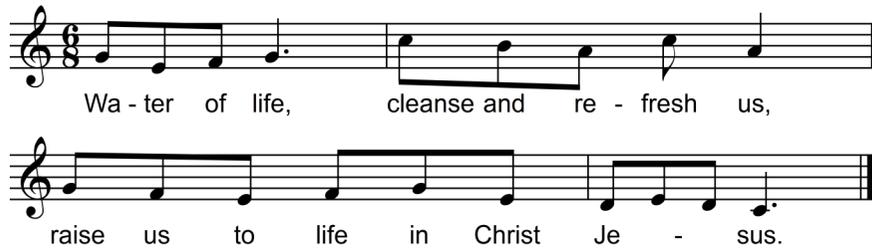
you may remain for ever a member of Christ,
who is Priest, Prophet and King.
Amen.

¶ Please remain standing for the **Prayers of Penitence**

**God our Father,
long-suffering,
full of grace and truth,
you create us from nothing
and give us life.
You give your faithful people new life
in the water of baptism.
You do not turn your face from us,
nor cast us aside.
We confess that we have sinned
against you and our neighbour.
We have wounded your love
and marred your image in us.
Restore us for the sake of your Son,
and bring us to heavenly joy,
in Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

Almighty God,
who forgives all who truly repent,
† have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins,
confirm and strengthen you in all goodness,
and keep you in life eternal;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

The people are sprinkled with water as the Baptismal Party returns to the front. Please join in singing:



Choir: As rain from heaven, so is God's word,
It waters the earth and brings forth life.

All: Water of life...

Choir: Dying with Christ, so we shall rise with him,
Death shall no longer have power over us.

All: Water of life...

Choir: Turn to the Lord, cast off your wickedness,
You will find peace in his infinite love.

All: Water of life...

¶ *Remain standing for the* **Welcome**

There is one Lord, one faith, one baptism:
by one Spirit we are all baptised into one body.

**We welcome you into the fellowship of faith;
we are children of the same heavenly Father;
we welcome you.**

The congregation greets the newly baptised.

¶ *Please kneel or sit for the* **Prayers of Intercession**

*The priest introduces the prayers by saying:
In joy and hope we pray to the Father.*

*To the bidding Lord, in your mercy
please respond by saying: **Hear our prayer.***

At the end of the prayers a time is kept for quiet reflection after which the priest says the concluding prayer.

¶ **The Liturgy of the Sacrament**

¶ *Please stand for* **The Peace**

The risen Christ came and stood among his disciples
and said, 'Peace be with you.'
Then were they glad when they saw the Lord. Alleluia.
The peace of the Lord be always with you
and also with you.

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.
All may exchange a sign of peace.

¶ *Remain standing for the* **Offertory Hymn**

*The gifts of the people are gathered and presented
and a collection is taken for the Mission (Work) of the Church.*

In Christ alone my hope is found,
He is my light, my strength, my song;
This Cornerstone, this solid Ground,
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My Comforter, my All in All,
Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone! - who took on flesh,
Fullness of God in helpless babe.
This gift of love and righteousness,
Scorned by the ones He came to save:
Till on that cross as Jesus died,
The wrath of God was satisfied -
For every sin on him was laid;
Here in the death of Christ I live.