### Welcome

Welcome to St Andrew's, especially if you are visiting for the first time. Refreshments are served after the service - it would be lovely to meet you.

No one belongs here more than you

#### **Children and Families**

All children are welcome at St Andrew's, do not worry if yours make a bit of noise.

**Junior Church** meets every Sunday in term time except during the All-Age service.

# **TOASTIE TUESDAY After-School Club**

For Secondary School Years. In St Andrew's Church, Tues in term time, 3.30-5.00pm.

#### **TMM Youth Group**

For School Years 7+. Usually first and third Sundays, 4.30-6.00pm.

Please see our website for more details.

#### **Supporting St Andrew's**

If you would like to support the work of our church, there is a contactless card reader by the church entrance or you can donate to our Barclays account: Hertford St Andrew PCC

A/C No: 50715050 Sort Code: 20-20-37

Alternatively, you can speak to our Joint Treasurers, Judy & Nick Sharman, or our Chair of Finance Committee, Chris Seward.





**31 March 2024** Easter Day



5.30am Dawn Eucharist at St Mary's Rev. Alan Stewart & Rev. Bill Church

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
Rev. Bill Church

# 10.30am All-Age Holy Communion with Choir and Organ

including Easter Egg Hunt for the children Celebrant & Preacher: Rev. Alan Stewart Reading: Luke 24. 1-12 (Sue Mulligan)

Intercessions: Jane Chaplin

Chalice: Jennie Gray,

Peter Ruffles, Laura Ramsay

Children are invited to bring a fresh flower up to the cross during the first hymn (adults are invited to do so during our prayers)

#### **Hymns**

339 Jesus Christ is ris'n today, alleluia!

**290** I danced in the morning (omit v4)

**60** Be still, for the presence of the Lord See what a morning (on sheet)

**660** Thine be the glory

**Anthem:** This joyful Eastertide – Dutch melody arr. W. H. Harris

## Online via Zoom today

10.30am Easter Day Worship

Led by Kath Oates, Lay Leader of Worship Sermon: Geoff Oates, Lay Reader (recorded)

[No Compline]

Zoom links are emailed and on our website

## Responses, Gloria and Reading

#### Blessing of the water

Lord, your Spirit brooded over the face of the deep and out of chaos brought forth life and beauty.
All we have to bring you is our brokenness:

IN ME O LORD,
LET THERE BE LIFE

Blessed are you, O Lord,
King of the Universe.

Jesus, you are the Living Water
pouring yourself out for us
like a flood quenching our thirst
with your love.
Bless this water;
let it be a sign to us of the Prince
who stands in the streets saying,
'Come to me, receive freely the
waters of life'.

#### Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, Almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen

#### Reading: Luke 24. 1-12

Very early on Sunday morning the women went to the tomb, carrying the spices they had prepared. They found the stone rolled away from the entrance to the tomb, so they went in; but they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus. They stood there puzzled about this, when suddenly two men in bright shining clothes stood by them. Full of fear, the women bowed down to the ground, as the men said to them, "Why are you looking among the dead for one who is alive? He is not here; he has been raised. Remember what he said to you while he was in Galilee: 'The Son of Man must be handed over to sinners, be crucified, and three days later rise to life.'"

Then the women remembered his words, returned from the tomb, and told all these things to the eleven disciples and all the rest. The women were Mary Magdalene, Joanna, and Mary the mother of James; they and the other women with them told these things to the apostles. But the apostles thought that what the women said was nonsense, and they did not believe them. But Peter got up and ran to the tomb; he bent down and saw the grave cloths but nothing else. Then he went back home amazed at what had happened. For the Word of the Lord, **Thanks be to God** 

### **News and Notices**



#### **Revision of our Electoral Roll**

If you would like to be on St Andrew's Electoral Roll but are not currently, please complete a form to be found at the back of the church by the entrance.

A list of the names currently on the Roll is available at the back of the church during 10.30am Sunday services. If you'd like to check your details on the Roll or you no longer wish to be on the Roll, please let us know (speak to Carol Muhr, Clerk to PCC). www.hertfordstandrews.co.uk/electoralroll

#### The funeral of Ivy Buck

will take place at St Andrew's Church on Monday 15 April at 11.30am.

#### Away Day Eucharist, 14 April

Anyone who can't attend for the whole Away Day at St Joseph's in the Park School on 14 April is welcome to come for the afternoon Eucharist at 2.30pm. Please speak to Rev. Alan or Chris Seward for more details.



Any donations for the Coffee Morning Beer Tombola are very welcome and can be left in the church office. Thank you!

### **Annual Parochial Church Meeting: Sunday 28 April**

Our APCM is for everyone who worships at St Andrew's – the one time in the year when we are called to gather together to elect our new Churchwardens and appoint new members of the PCC, to talk about the year that has passed and plans for the year to come. The meeting will take place in church after the 10.30am service. Please take the time to attend. If you are interested in joining the PCC or becoming a representative on the Deanery Synod, please speak to Carol Muhr, Alan Stewart or one of the Churchwardens (contact details are overleaf).

Please pray for: Francesco di Paolis, Maureen, Audrey Edwards, Robert Ramsay, Dino, Nancy, Debbie Garrod, Paul Roe, Phoebe, Trevor, Oliver Clark, Petra Vermaak, Colin Harding

Rest in Peace:

John Williams, Ivy Buck, Dorothy Baverstock

In Year's Mind:

Molly Lambert, Derrick Kemp, Frederick Octavius Crump, John Kemp, Ephraim Ruskin

# St Andrew's Diary – Holy Week

Monday 1 April

8.00am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

**Tuesday 2** 

11.45am Funeral of Dorothy Baverstock

at Harwood Park Rev. Bill Church

Wednesday 3

10.30am **Holy Communion** *Rev. Bill Church* [no Mindfulness]

Thursday 4

8.00am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

10.00am Delta Dames Home Group

meeting in the Chapel

10.30am Holy Communion at Calton Court

Friday 5

10.00am Funeral of John Williams

Rev. Bill Church

Saturday 6

[No Breathe in April]

10.30am Coffee Morning

Sunday 7

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

Rev. Bill Church

10.30am Holy Communion

Celebrant: Rev. Bill Church

Reflection: Adrian Walter, Lay Leader of Worship

10.30am Morning Worship on ZOOM

Led by Kath Oates, Lay Leader of Worship

Reflection: Adrian Walter, Lay Leader of Worship

(recorded)

[Compline returns on 28 April]

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