

Please pray for:

Those who are sick including Val Flippance, Brian Clarke and Colin Johnson.
The family and friends of Tim Whales who has died recently.

We also remember Betty Kilbey, Clare Pipe-Wolferstan, Dora Talbot, Gordon Burge
and Mary Leith whose year's mind falls at this time.

WEDDING AND BAPTISM ENQUIRIES

All enquiries about weddings or baptisms should be made directly to the Vicar.

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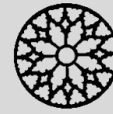
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Prayer for Passiontide

God our Father,
in obedience to whose will
our Saviour Christ became man
and suffered on the cross for our
redemption:
help us by your grace to learn from his
meekness
and to partake of the benefits of his
passion,
that we might share his triumph
and know the joy of his resurrection;
who now lives and reigns with you and
the Holy Spirit for ever and ever.**Amen.**



Items for inclusion in the Notices need to be emailed to
Jean.Hockett@stmarysck.org.uk by **Tuesday** each week



St Mary's Church, Charlton Kings
Sunday, 3rd April 2022 - Lent 5 (Passion Sunday)

A warm welcome is extended to all who take part in our services today whether
you are here in person at St Mary's or watching online at home. Face coverings
are now optional but Covid is still with us so please continue to respect the
sensitivities of other people around you.

TODAY'S SERVICES

8:00am Holy Communion
President: Rev'd Graham Bowkett

**10:00am All Age Service with
Communion**
President: Rev'd Graham Bowkett

Readings:
Gospel: John 12:1-8

Hymns:
OF8 A new commandment
(NB a short version of this hymn is
found in JP303 and MP1. 'OF' = One
Family a new hymn book published
by Kevin Mayhew.)

JP211 Said Judas to Mary
OF7 A man there lived in Galilee
OF89 Bread is blessed and broken
CP376 And can it be

Choir Anthem: Christ has no body
now but yours - David Ogden

**Please stay and join together for
refreshments after this service.**

Collect
Most merciful God,
who by the death and resurrection of
your Son Jesus Christ

delivered and saved the world:
grant that by faith in him who suffered
on the cross
we may triumph in the power of his
victory;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

Post Communion Prayer:
Lord Jesus Christ,
you have taught us
that what we do for the least of our
brothers and sisters
we do also for you:
give us the will to be the servant of
others
as you were the servant of all,
and gave up your life and died for us,
but are alive and reign, now and for
ever.
Amen.

5:30pm Choral Evensong
Officiant: Rev'd Graham Bowkett

For Palm Sunday, Holy Week and Easter Services, please see the Church notice boards

Regular Services in Church

Sundays: 8:00am Holy Communion (CW Order 2— Traditional language)
 10:00am 1st Sunday All Age Service with Communion
 2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays Parish Communion (CW Order 1)
 3rd Sunday A Service of the Breaking of Bread (Communion)
 5:30pm 1st Sunday Choral Evensong (BCP)
 2nd Sunday Taizé style service
 3rd Sunday Choral Evensong
 4th Sunday Prayer and Praise
 5th Sunday Full Choral Evensong (BCP)

Thursdays: 11:00am Holy Communion (CW Order 2—Traditional language)

Monday to Friday: 9:00am Morning Prayer 5:30pm Evening Prayer

The 10:00am service every Sunday is also ‘live streamed’ and available to watch on St Mary’s website during the week.

Parish Diary

Monday 4th
 2:30pm Mothers’ Union Afternoon Group Parish Centre
 7:30pm Annual Parochial Church Meeting Parish Centre
Tuesday 5th
 9:15am Mothers’ Union Corporate Communion Church
 7:30pm Choir Practice Church
 7:30pm Bell ringers’ practice Church tower
Friday 8th
 9:00am Church Flowers Church
 12:00pm Lent Lunch Parish Centre
Monday 11th
 7:30pm Choir Practice Church
Tuesday 12th
 1:00pm Funeral of Tim Whales Church
 7:30pm Bell ringers’ practice Church tower
Saturday 16th
 9:30am Holy Dusters Church

The Annual Parochial Church Meeting—4th April at 7:30pm in the Parish Centre

The APCM will be held in Church (not in the Parish Centre!) tomorrow, 4th April. Nomination forms for both Churchwarden and PCC members are on the table at the west end of St Mary’s and should be completed and handed to the Vicar or Churchwardens **today, 3rd April.**

Copies of the Annual Report and Accounts are available in church. As the PCC Treasurer is unable to be present at the meeting, finance questions can be emailed to him at treasurer@stmarysck.org.uk or by phone (Chelt 260575).

Tim Whales

Tim’s funeral is in St Mary’s at 1:00pm on Tuesday, 12th April—all are welcome at the service.

Joyce and Carolyn would like to thank everyone for their kindness, support and prayers at this difficult time.

Lent Lunches

Don’t miss out! Just one more Lent Lunch remaining — this Friday, 8th April in the Parish Centre from 12:00 noon until 1:30pm. Soup, a roll, fresh fruit and tea or coffee for £5.00 - good company, conversation and a warm welcome awaits. Proceeds are shared between Christian Aid and S Mary’s Church.

Churchyard Cleanup Sessions— date for the diary

Churchyard Cleanups will recommence on Saturday, 24th April between 9:30 and 11:30am. From May through to October the cleanup sessions will take place on the third Saturday each month. Refreshments are provided during the course of the morning’s effort.

Stewards needed for Good Friday - 12:00pm to 3:00pm

The church will be open for private devotions between 12:00 and 3:00pm with prayers being offered on the hour. If you can spare half an hour to be in church and steward if necessary, please sign the list at the back of church.

Cash Collections during services

From Easter Day (17th April) we will again take a collection at all services and a rota of sidesmen and women to assist with this will be circulated in due course. Former sidesmen and women will be contacted, but new volunteers to join the rota will be very welcome—please speak to Colin Revell or Jean Hockett if interested in joining the team.