

*We wish you a very warm welcome today to St Paul's Church, especially if you are a visitor or a newcomer, please introduce yourself to the minister or sidesmen.*

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**Collect for the Week**

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.

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**8.00 am Holy Communion (BCP)** – The Vicar  
The service begins on p 237. The readings begin on page 129.

**10.00 am Festival Eucharist (CW)**  
President: The Vicar, Minister: Tim Cripps  
***Please see separate booklet***

**10.00 am Family Service with Communion at the Church Centre**  
President: Rev. Tony Rutherford, Link: Alison Greenfield

Hymns: MP 357 Jesus Christ is risen today  
See what a morning  
WT 195 I will offer up my life  
WT 12 Alleluia, alleluia give thanks to the risen Lord

Reading: John 20 v 1-18 (NIV page 1089)

**6.30 pm READINGS AND MUSIC FOR PASSIONTIDE AND EASTER**  
***Please see separate booklet***



## THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

### **MONDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> April**

**Bank Holiday**

### **TUESDAY 3<sup>rd</sup>**

Parish Office closed

### **WEDNESDAY 4<sup>th</sup>**

9.00 am Morning Prayer (CW) at the Church Centre

9.45 am Rota Meeting at the Church Centre

10.30 am Julian Meeting at 35 Westwood Road

### **THURSDAY 5<sup>th</sup>**

11.45 am Holy Communion at the Church Centre – The Vicar

12 for 12.30 pm Rusthall Lunch Club **at Rusthall Club**

### **FRIDAY 6<sup>th</sup>**

6.30 pm Junior Choir Practice

7.30 pm Senior Choir Practice

### **SATURDAY 7<sup>th</sup>**

### **NEXT SUNDAY – 8<sup>th</sup> April**

**The Second Sunday of Easter**

**8.00 am Holy Communion with Hymns (BCP) – The Vicar**

**10.00 am Parish Eucharist with Baptism (CW) – The Vicar**

**10.00 am Family Service at the Church Centre**

**4.00 pm Taizé service at the Church Centre**

**6.30 pm Evensong (BCP) Tim Cripps & Daphne Pilcher**

## **NEWS and NOTES**

### **Parish Church Opening**

From today the Parish Church will be open on a Sunday afternoon between 2.30 am and 5.00 pm. Very many thanks to all those who have volunteered for this job. An up to date list will be in the Parish Church and the Church centre today. There are still gaps waiting to be filled. I will be getting in touch with all the volunteers but if there are any queries or problems please make contact with Daphne Pilcher

### **Electoral Roll**

The annual revision of the Electoral Roll is now underway. Forms are available in both Churches for new applicants or if you have changed any of your details, such as address. The Annual Parochial Church Meeting will take place on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> April at the Church Centre following the morning services.

### **Julian group**

We will be meeting this Wednesday 4th April from 10 am at 35, Westwood Road. If you are able to do come and join us. Pat Stevens will be leading with a chosen theme which will include music and silence followed by coffee and fellowship. For more information ring Pat on 529187.

### **Vacuum Cleaner for The Lodge**

We are still looking for a vacuum cleaner to replace the broken one in the Lodge. A cylinder type machine, with nozzles/brushes for crevices and cobwebs etc would be ideal. If you are able to donate one please let Ginette know in the office. Thank you.

### **Pew Leaflet**

If you have items for the Pew Leaflet, please send them to the Parish Office by Tuesday - [office@stpaulsrusthall.org.uk](mailto:office@stpaulsrusthall.org.uk)

### **Patty's Art Exhibition**

On the 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> of April there will be an exhibition and sale of art work produce by Ann Paterson, know fondly by us all as Patty. It is to be held at Mount Ephraim house from 11 am to 3 pm on both days. Entry is free and there will be refreshments available. It is also hoped that privately owned paintings and drawings will be on display (but not for sale). If you have a picture that you would be prepared to loan for the exhibition, please contact Ginette in the office. Proceeds from the event will be shared between Mount Ephraim and St Paul's.

## Vicar's Leave

Ronnie will be taking a break after Easter, from Monday 9<sup>th</sup> April to the Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> April. He will be back at work on the Thursday afternoon. Please direct all queries to the Parish Office.



### CONTACTS

The Vicar: The Rev. Ronnie Williams 521357 (day off Friday)

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**Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 10 am-1 pm (closed Tuesdays)**

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