

### Dates for your Diary

Friday 30 April—Sunday 1 May		<b>Prayer48</b>
Tuesday 26 April	7.30 pm	Home Group
Thursday 5 May	7.30 pm	Joint Ascension Day service at St John's Church, Hills Road
Saturday 14 May	10.15 am	Coffee Morning

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### Collect

Almighty God,  
whose Son Jesus Christ is the resurrection and the life:  
raise us, who trust in him  
from the death of sin to the life of righteousness,  
that we may seek those things which are above,  
where he reigns with you  
In the unity of the Holy Spirit  
One God, now and for ever.

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### Alleluia

Alleluia, alleluia,  
give thanks to the risen Lord,  
alleluia, alleluia, give praise to his name.

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### Today's Psalm is: Psalm 23

The Lord / is my / shepherd;  
therefore / can I / lack / nothing.  
He makes me lie down in / green / pastures  
and leads me be/side / still / waters.  
He shall re/fresh my / soul  
and guide me in the paths of righteousness / for his / name's / sake.  
Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,  
I will / fear no / evil;  
for you are with me;  
your / rod and your / staff, they / comfort me.  
You spread a table before me  
in the presence of / those who / trouble me;  
you have anointed my head with oil  
/ and my / cup shall be / full.  
Surely goodness and loving mercy shall follow me  
all the / days of my / life,  
and I will dwell in the / house of the / Lord for / ever.

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**APCM papers** are still available from the entrance foyer. Please take a copy (**just one per family please**).

**Nominations for PCC members.** Next Sunday at the APCM we need to fill 3 vacancies on the PCC. Nomination forms are with the sign-up sheet on the noticeboard.

Thank you to everyone who supported our recent **coffee morning**: £171.20 was raised for church funds.

**Home Group** will continue fortnightly throughout the summer term. The next one is on Tuesday 26 April.

**Meditation Group** will continue this term at 12.30 pm on Fridays.

**Prayer48.** Every member of the congregation is invited to take part in this important part of the mission of our church. A programme with services and activities can be found on the insert. Look out for the sign-up sheets for prayer slots and the welcome desk.

**Christian Aid Week (15-21 May).** As last year, we are not organising a house-to-house collection but will have envelopes to hand out with the weekly sheet. Spare envelopes will be left on the table in the entrance foyer in case you have friends or neighbours who might want to contribute. This is an important fundraiser for Christian Aid. Please give generously when the time comes. Thank you.

### CAN YOU HELP?

**Urgent!** We need a volunteer please who can **lock up some Wednesday afternoons** around 3.30 pm when Art Group finish. Dates are this Wednesday (20 April), 4 May, 8 June, 15 June. Please speak to one of the churchwardens or contact Caroline in the office, C.246419 if you can help. Thank you.

**Lifts to Church** are still needed for members of the congregation who at present cannot get to church. The streets where pick-ups are needed, are **Beaumont Crescent, Almoners Avenue, Stansgate Avenue, Fendon Close, Wulfstan Way, Burling Court.** Please contact Mary Calladine (C.246742) or Rosemary Monk (C.246421) if you can help.

Will **gardeners** please think about growing some plants in the coming weeks/months so we have some items for the **Plant Stall** later in May/June. Thank you.

## Prayer for Friends and Congregation of St James'

Sunday	Maureen Gibbs
Monday	Alison and Graham Giles
Tuesday	Hatty Harris
Wednesday	Ann and Geoff Heathcock
Thursday	David and Anneke Heslam
Friday	Jane Hewer and family
Saturday	Beryl Hobbs and family

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### Contacts

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### Church Activities

Choir Practice, Mondays	6.30 pm—7.30 pm, Junior Choir 7.00 pm—8.00 pm, Adult Choir
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### Community Activities

Parent & Toddlers (Thursdays)	Wendy Lane, 244850
Beavers (6-8 yrs)	Brendan Murrill, 07864 056648
Cubs (8-11 yrs, QE Schl)	Stephen Harrison, 07548 765421
Brownies (7-10 yrs, QE Schl)	Kerrie Thackray e-mail 40thbrownies@gmail.com

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**Gift Aid Envelopes** are available at the back of the Church and Transept. Please enable us to claim back tax on your offering.

Our parish magazine **Crosspiece** is now available on the website.

St James', Wulfstan Way, Cambridge

# The Weekly Sheet 17 April 2016

## 4th SUNDAY OF EASTER



8.00 am Eucharist

10.00 am Sung Eucharist with  
Sunday School

**Welcome to our services.** Today we welcome Rev'd Helen Arnold as our celebrant and preacher at both services.

Opening: *Ye choirs of new Jerusalem* NEH 124

Offertory:

Communion: *Breathe on me, breath of God* NEH 342

Final: *Alleluya, sing to Jesus* NEH 271

The readings are: Acts 9.36-end; Psalm 23; Revelation 7.9-end;  
John 10.22-30.

The Anthem is *Gaelic Blessing* (Rutter).

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### This week:

Wednesday 20th	10.15 am	Eucharist
Thursday 21st	9.30 am	Morning Prayer
	2.30 pm	Home Group at Hinton Grange
Friday 22nd	9.30 am	Morning Prayer
	12.30 am	Meditation Group

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### Next Sunday (24 April) is the 5th Sunday of Easter

8.00 am Eucharist

10.00 am Sung Eucharist with Sunday School

**11.30 am APCM**

The readings will be: Acts 11.1-18; Psalm 148; Revelation 21.1-6;  
John 13.31-35.

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**Please stay for tea/coffee after the 10 o'clock service**