

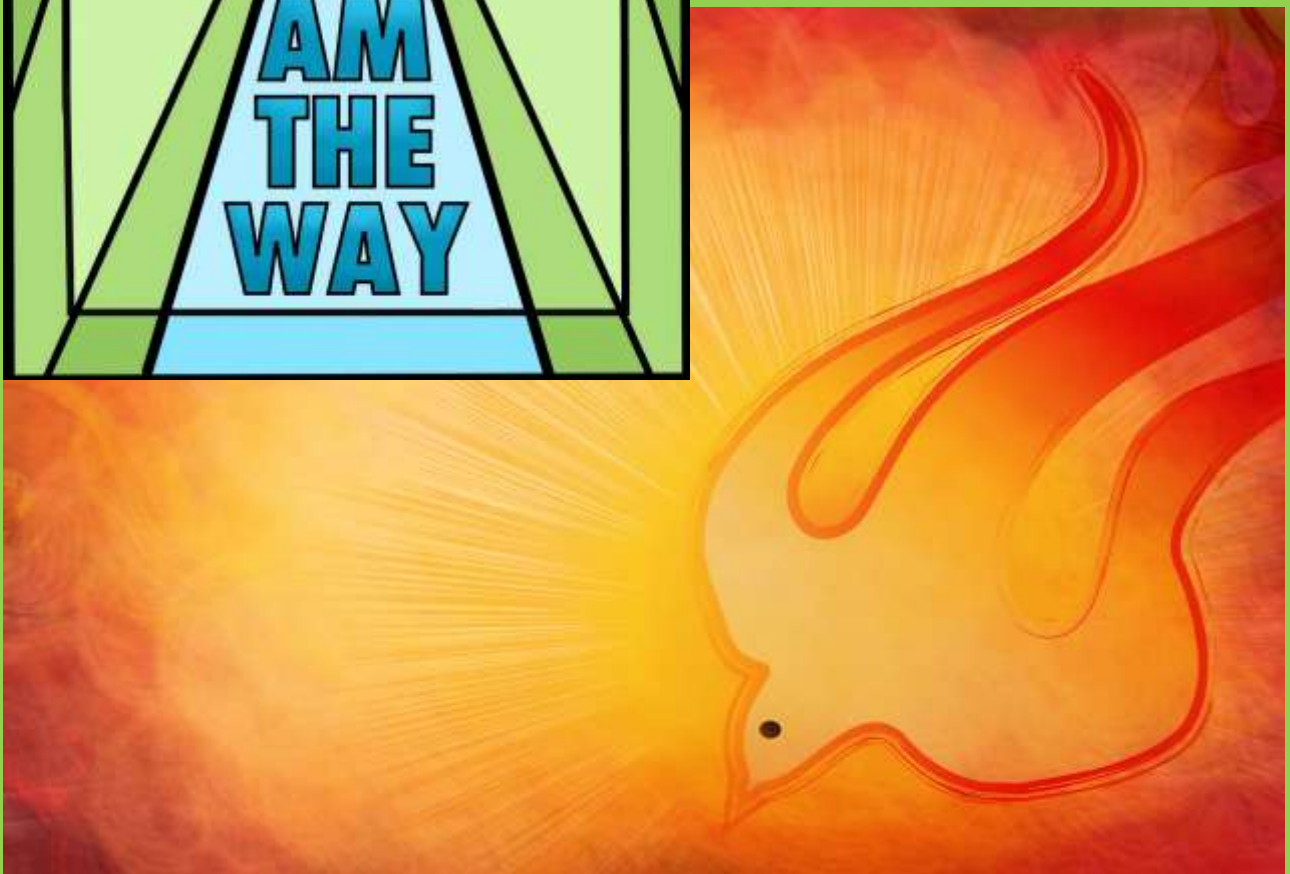
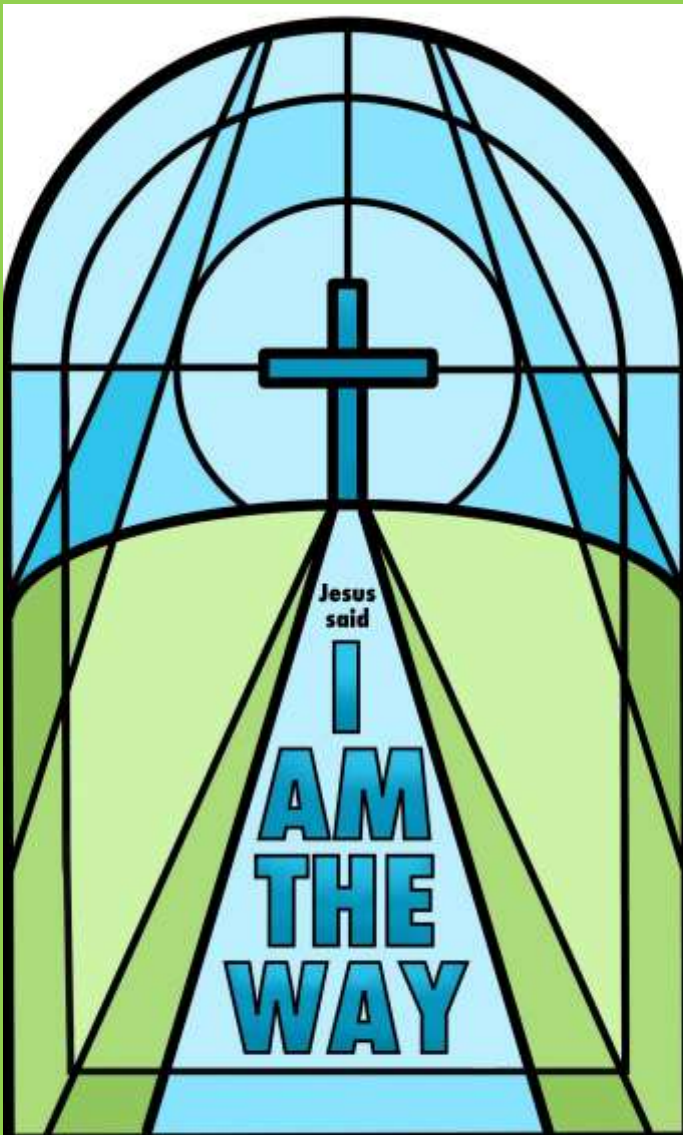
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Sunday Worship in Church

8am Holy Communion BCP
(Second Sunday of the Month)

9.45am Parish Communion

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April and May 2026

Revd. Canon Miriam writes:

Dear Friends,

Happy Easter!

We have worked our way through Lent, journeyed through the emotions and challenges of the events of Holy Week, and we are now able to rejoice in the Resurrection of Jesus from the dead as we joyfully proclaim, ‘Alleluia, Christ is risen! He is risen indeed, Alleluia!’

I wonder what Easter means for you?

For some it is time off school, Easter bunnies and chocolate Easter Eggs, for others it may be hot cross buns, time off work and perhaps a holiday.

For Christians, Easter is a time of real joy, a time of celebration after the weeks of Lent penitence and fasting. It is a time of hope as we celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus risen from the dead. No longer do we need to fear death, Jesus has broken the power that death had over us and shown us the way to eternal life. And so it is with joy that we proclaim: ‘Alleluia, Christ is risen! He is risen indeed, Alleluia!’

Thank you to everyone who worked so tirelessly in so many different ways to ensure our journey through Holy Week was meaningful so that we can truly celebrate the joy of Easter Day.

Just before Easter, on Thursday 19th March it was announced that the Rt. Revd Dr. Andrew Rumsey, Suffragan Bishop of Ramsbury, will be the 11th Bishop of St Albans. Bishop Andrew was born and baptised in the St Albans Diocese, where his father served as a parish priest. As I write this, the date that he will be installed as Bishop of St Albans has not been announced but it is likely to be early in the summer. Please hold Bishop Andrew, his wife Rebecca and their family in your prayers.

In May we will be starting a course called God’s Big Story which will take us on a journey through the whole bible over 8 weeks. This interactive and hugely interesting course is a really good opportunity to get a better understanding of the different books of the bible and their focus and context. The course will start on Wednesday 13th May and is open to everyone.

Looking ahead you may also want to put the following dates/events in your diary:

Sunday 19th April Alive@AllSaints service 4pm in church

26th April Annual Parochial Church Council meeting, 11.15am in Church

14th May Deanery Ascension Day Service 7.30pm St Peter’s Church Mill End

With my love and prayers for a joyful Easter.

Miriam

Parish Register and Records

BAPTISM

8th March 2026

Nancy Shanti Bai Miriam HALL

FUNERALS

27th March 2026

Joseph Richard HALL aged 79 years

Gospel Readings for April 2026

Sunday 5th April

Easter Sunday

John 20 v 1 – 18

Sunday 12th April

Easter 2

John 20 v 19 –end

Sunday 19th April

Easter 3

Luke 24 v 13 – 35

Sunday 26th April

Easter 4

John 10 v 1 – 10



Alive@AllSaints'

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Sunday's 19th April & 7th June
4.00pm - 5.15pm
in the Church

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and stories to support
children and their
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Sunday Coffee Charity

We will be supporting The Chiltern Music Therapy Charity with our Sunday coffee donations this month.

Chiltern Music Therapy is a not-for-profit organisation using music to help people of all ages connect, communicate and thrive. Music therapy is a clinically recognised approach that uses music to support emotional, cognitive, social, and physical wellbeing.

In 2010, the referral of a young man aged 18 with a catastrophic brain injury began the story of Chiltern Music Therapy. As a newly qualified Music Therapist, he was one of the first people that Rosie, the Founder, saw in her job at the Royal Hospital for Neuro-disability and the connection with him and his family ignited a spark and desire to ensure music therapy could be offered in a different way.

At Chiltern Music Therapy, the clinicians see how it can make a meaningful difference in everyday life, helping children, adults, and communities engage, express, and develop in ways that matter to them.

Music therapy is led by HCPC-registered Music Therapists who use music intentionally and therapeutically to support individual goals. Sessions are carefully tailored to each person's needs and circumstances. Unlike music lessons or recreational music activities, music therapy is a structured, goal-focused therapeutic approach. The focus is not on learning musical skills or performance, but on using music as a tool to support wellbeing, communication, and development. Music Therapy can support children and adults of all ages in a wide range of settings:

- * Children and young people with additional needs or developmental differences
- * Adults experiencing anxiety, stress or mental health challenges
- * Adults with Dementia or with memory support needs or those having palliative care
- * Communities in schools, care settings, hospitals and local organisations.

Music therapy is flexible and responsive, adapting to each person's abilities, goals and circumstances.

For more information go to: <https://www.chilternmusictherapy.co.uk>

Fran Bennett

Back by Popular Demand...

...The Galliard Recorder Band

If the memories you have of recorder playing are “Three Blind Mice” at primary school, then you are in for a very pleasant surprise at this concert!

The skilled musicians play a variety of recorders from the extremely short to the very long. The music is very varied to suit everyone’s taste with the theme “A Few of My Favourite Things”.

The conductor introduces each piece with a humorous anecdote relating to the music or composer before the piece is played.

There will be an interval with tea and cakes. There is no charge for the concert, but donations will go to the Chiltern Music Therapy Centre (please see the Sunday Coffee Charity page opposite for more information).



Do come along on Sunday 28th June at 2.30pm for an entertaining afternoon!

Jane Bates

Some Dates for Your Diary

Sunday 19th April 4-5.15pm Alive@AllSaints’

Sunday 26th April After 9.45am service APCM

10th-16th May Christian Aid Week

Thursday

14th May Deanery Ascension Day at St Peter’s, Mill End

Saturday

18th May All Day Arts Café at St Oswald’s Church

Sunday

24th May Pentecost



Social Evening

*at
The Red House Pub
from 7.00pm*

11th May 2026

13th July 2026

14th September 2026



April Prayer Diary

Date	In our Church Family	Date	In our Church Family
1st	Jude, Yin and Alex Man	16th	Cathy Scarborough
2nd	Jane, Ed, Joseph and Ben Manning	17th	Sarah and Cameron Selleck
3rd	Janet, Graham, Zoe and Samantha Martin	18th	Wendy Shafe
4th	Sue Middleton	19th	Revd. Anne and Don Shaw
5th	Jan Mills Miriam and Rao Mugan	20th	Robert Sheminant
6th	Judith and David Muir	21st	Anthony and Mary Smith
7th	Faith Nazir	22nd	Marjorie and Tommy Stevenson
8th	Sheila Newman	23rd	Alice Tims
9th	Andrew Nobbs	24th	Lilian and Jenson Tsang
10th	Anne and Chris Oke	25th	Judith Turnbull
11th	Margaret and Dick Paddick	26th	Vicky, Katherine, William and James
12th	Paul, Siu and Kelly Palmer	27th	Katie and Scott Wakefield
13th	Lyndon and Ann Palmer	28th	Lin Welch
14th	Wendy and Peter Rennoldson	29th	Mary Wong
15th	Francesca Sams	30th	Chima, Winston, Huldah and Chiamaka Agha



WDP Friday 6th March at All Saints'

Many of us from all the churches in Croxley gathered together to take part in this service that is held annually each March. As we took part, we joined a great wave of prayer across the world that began with Samoa and ended 146 countries later in American Samoa. Each year we learn about and pray for a different country. This year we had Nigeria in our thoughts. We shared stories, sang songs and prayed for the women who are working towards building a world without injustice, insecurity, marginalisation, religious persecution, poverty and despair.

We have sadly come to the decision, for many different reasons, that this will be our last WDP held in Croxley Green. Each year, a different church has hosted this service and minutes of each service have been written down. Looking back through the records, we know the first service was held on Friday 6th March 1961 when 180 people attended, exactly to the day 65 years ago, what a strange coincidence.

At the end of the service, Michelle paid tribute to all the churches who have hosted the service over the years and to all the people who have kindly



taken part and provided items to enhance our worship. The service has been a great time of fellowship and forging of friendships between our churches that is still with us today.

Our offerings raised almost £190 to send to the WDP committee head office to help them continue the work they do in supporting women, youth and children through education and mentoring. It helps with programmes to provide seedbanks, food and its distribution, clean water and empowering victims of domestic violence and human trafficking. It's good to know that we can be a part of supporting others who live in such challenging situations.

World Day of Prayer services will continue to take place locally in Rickmansworth and Watford and hopefully we can travel together to take part in these. Next year, the WDP committee will be holding a special service which is called 'United in Prayer for Justice and Peace'. We will let you know all the details later in the year. Meanwhile details of all that is happening at the WDP can be found on their web-site www.wwdp.org.uk. and they can be followed on Facebook and Twitter.

Fran Bennett



Gospel Readings for May 026

Sunday 3rd May

Easter 5

John 14 v 1 – 14

Sunday 10th May

Easter 6

John 14 v 15 – 21

Sunday 17th May

Easter 7

John 17 v 1– 11

Sunday 24th May

Pentecost

John 20 v 19 – 23

Sunday 31st May

Trinity Sunday

Matthew 28 v 16 - end



Richard Hall

It is with sadness that we inform you of the sudden death of Richard Hall, husband to Patricia, both of whom attended the Thursday morning service for many years.

Please hold Patricia and their son Robert in your prayers.

Smile Lines *from Partish Pump*

Problem

I don't have a problem with caffeine. I do have a problem without it.

The 5th commandment

In reply to a question in Sunday school, one little boy said that the fifth commandment is: 'Humour thy father and thy mother.

Out West

A devout cowboy lost his Bible while he was mending fences out on the range. Three weeks later, a cow walked up to him carrying the Bible in its mouth. The cowboy couldn't believe his eyes. He took the book out of the cow's mouth and exclaimed, "It's a miracle!"

"Well, hardly that," said the cow. "Your name was written inside the cover."

All in the month of April

It was:

100 years ago, on 21st April 1926 that Queen Elizabeth II was born.

75 years ago, on 17th April 1951 that the Peak District National Park was established. It was Britain's first National Park.

65 years ago, on 12th April 1961 that Soviet cosmonaut Yuri Gagarin became the first person in space and the first person to orbit the Earth.

50 years ago, on 3rd April 1976 that the UK won the 1976 Eurovision Song Contest with *Save Your Kisses for Me* by Brotherhood of Man.

40 years ago, on 11th April 1986 that Halley's Comet made its closest approach to Earth during its most recent visit. It will return to Earth's vicinity in 2061 and 2134.

25 years ago, on 7th April 2001 that NASA launched its Mars Odyssey spacecraft to search for evidence of water and volcanic activity on Mars. It found water and ice below the surface.

15 years ago, on 29th April 2011 that Prince William and Catherine (Kate) Middleton were married at Westminster Abbey in London. They were given the titles Duke and Duchess of Cambridge.

Notes from the PCC Meeting on 4th March 2026

2025 Annual Report

The PCC approved the text of the Annual Report for 2025. It contains 26 reports which embrace our worship, our activities and our outreach to our community throughout the year. The Report's lively articles give many examples of welcome offered, challenges faced and overcome and new friendships established. Photographs will be added and the Report will be published and presented to the Annual Parochial Church Meeting on Sunday 26th April, to be held following the 9.45am service.

2025 Annual Accounts

The PCC received the Treasurer's report and adopted the Accounts for 2025, subject to confirmation by the Independent Examiner. The accounts showed a surplus of £9,658 above the budget, due chiefly to excellent increase in income from the offertory, fundraising and Hall bookings. Repairs and maintenance works funded included refurbishment of the men's toilets, Hall drainage and soakaway, boiler repairs and (with the help of an insurance payout) the repair and refurbishment of the Church organ which had been damaged by water from a leaking roof.

The Treasurer reported that during 2026, a new contract for the telecoms equipment in the Church Tower will commence. This raises the prospect of a substantial fall in future rental income, although negotiations have yet to be completed. The PCC established a working group to take forward discussions with the Diocese and the mobile telecoms company on a new contract and report back to the PCC.

Damage to Gateposts at The Green Entrance to the Church

The Gateposts have been damaged for a second time by a van from the Blood Transfusion Service when reversing into the Church grounds from The Green for a blood donor clinic. The BTS had accepted responsibility for causing similar damage on a previous visit. The PCC resolved to accept a quotation for further repairs, to seek reimbursement from the BTS and to request them to provide adequate supervision and guidance to drivers when reversing their van through the gates in the future.

Safeguarding Report

Sam Jones reported that safeguarding arrangements for Church activities is being progressed satisfactorily and that renewals of Disclosure and Barring Service clearance were being implemented. Sam also gave notice that she would be standing down as Assistant Safeguarding Officer and as a lay member of the PCC with effect from the Annual Parochial Church meeting on 27th April, as she would be leaving All Saints' and commencing a new appointment at All Saints' Church, Leavesden. Revd. Miriam informed members that it was intended to appoint Lin Welch as Assistant Safeguarding Officer in succession to Sam, whom she thanked for her service.

Committee Reports:

Buildings Committee

External Notice Board - The Committee has received three separate quotations for a replacement external notice board to replace the present faulty board, to be financed from the Legacy Fund. The PCC approved a request from the Committee for delegated authority to spend up to the amount of the highest quoted sum on the three quotations to give the Committee unfettered choice.

Wheelchair Ramp for the South Church Door - The Committee recommended replacing the steep wooden ramp with the lighter aluminium ramp, with stability enhanced by drilling two holes into the top step for pegs to prevent movement. The PCC agreed to seek advice from the Buildings Surveyor that drilling would not damage the step before taking a decision.

The flooding prevention drainage works at the back of the Hall to prevent flooding of the Hall and the Parish Office have been completed.

Hall Committee

Fire Door Opening Width Restriction – One door had limited opening width due to the level of external tarmac. The PCC wished to ascertain whether the measured opening width satisfied safety requirements before taking further action.

Pastoral and Evangelism Group

Circus Praise Event in the Church on 14th March – The PCC was informed that final information on the arrangements required would be provided by the organisers, Churches Together, in advance of the

event. A large attendance of young children and their families was expected.

Music Maintenance and Development Committee

Revd. Miriam reported that Simon Dunn, one of our visiting organists, will be retiring in July, while David Heath, the other organist, is now able to attend for two Sundays out of four. John Galloway reported that the organ's pump motor had failed recently, but had been taken away for repair and early reinstatement.

Social and Fundraising Committee

The Committee is planning for a Bingo afternoon in the Hall on 22nd March and for the Croxley Revels on 20th June.

Magazine Publication for April and May

Due to anticipated staffing absence, a single issue covering April and May is envisaged, to be published in late March.

Chris Fagan
PCC Secretary

Social and Fundraising Committee Diary

On **Monday 11th May** we will have the next of this year's social evenings at **The Red House** from **7pm**. Everyone is welcome. There is no need to book, just come along if you can and enjoy an evening of conversation and fellowship.

Croxley Revels Saturday 20th June

We will once again be having our usual stall at the Croxley Revels on Saturday 20th June.

As always, we will be looking for help in setting up the stall in the morning, dismantling afterwards and manning the stall during the day.

If you think you may be able to help, there will be a sign-up sheet in the Church (nearer the time) or please speak to Ann or Lyndon.

Further upcoming events:-

Monday 13th July

Pub social evening at the Red House

Ann Palmer



Christian Aid Week 2026 **Sunday 10th May** **– Saturday 16th May**

Why take part in Christian Aid Week?

Most parents wake every single day knowing that they must go and earn money, otherwise their children won't eat that evening. In Dagoretti in Nairobi, Fridah knows this reality well.

'Sometimes I don't know how I'll buy food. I don't know how I'll feed my family.'

But she's determined to protect her grandchildren from hunger. This is where Christian Aid came in. Through their partner, Beacon of Hope, Fridah received tools, seeds and training to grow fresh vegetables in a small city space – food she can cook for her family or sell to earn income.

This Christian Aid Week, your support could help mothers in Nairobi, Kenya, facing the devastating reality of urban poverty and the daily struggle to feed their children.

'Now I can plan. I can buy this; I can buy that. I can help my family.' she said.

This is one of the many ways that Christian Aid gives life-giving, life-changing support to those in need in many countries across the world.

How can we at All Saints' Church help?

For most of you, your Christian Aid giving envelope will be delivered through your door during Christian Aid Week by volunteers from all the churches in Croxley Green, organised by the Croxley Green Christian Aid Committee.

There are several ways in which you can make your donation this year:

- you can deliver your filled envelope to a house in your own road.

 - The house number will be on your envelope and the house will be displaying a Christian Aid Poster.

- there is a QR code on the envelope label that links to the Rickmansworth & Croxley Green group which some might prefer to use

- you can donate via the website <https://www.christianaid.org.uk>

- you can bring your envelope to a Church service or post in the parish office post-box.

If you do not receive an envelope, there will be envelopes at the back of our Church.

Every contribution will make a real difference to someone's life, so please give as generously as you can. Thank you.

Fran Bennett and Anne Oke



Poor Thomas

I'm lost and bewildered,
All hope is now gone.
I cannot imagine
How life can go on.

I'd like to believe them,
I'm sure you would too,
But claims like they're making
Just cannot be true.

My mind's in a turmoil,
I can't understand
How this could have happened
To so good a man.

Whilst no-one likes losing
A valuable friend,
There's no point pretending
The end's not the end.

I'm tortured by thoughts of
Him hung on that tree;
The thorns and the nails;
In His face – agony.

They *think* they have met Him,
But senses deceive;
Come. Show me His wounds,
then
Perhaps I'd believe.

It happened so quickly,
I still can't believe
He's dead and He's buried,
What did that achieve?

By Howard Webber

My friends are now saying
That Jesus has risen,
'We've seen Him and heard
Him,
He's out of death's prison!'



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May Prayer Diary

Date	In our Church Family	Date	In our Church Family
1st	Shirley Barnes	17th	Kathryn and Jemima Duffy
2nd	Gillian Barrett	18th	Pamela Evans
3rd	Jane Bates	19th	Chris Fagan
4th	Sam Beard	20th	Shirley Ford
5th	Nik and Fran Bennett	21st	Pat Foster
6th	Mary Bittles	22nd	Janet Francis
7th	Shelagh and Tony Booth	23rd	Sylvia Furzey
8th	Rae Bowyer	24th	John Galloway
9th	Ben, Michelle, Sanna and Sophie Brogden	25th	Simon, Tracy, Ian and Charles Galloway
10th	Kelly Buckle	26th	Sarah Gardner
11th	Alick and Hazel Burge	27th	Tolu, Leke, Joshua and Jessica George
12th	Brian and Jennifer Clemow	28th	Geordee, Cecily and Chishinmi George
13th	Maureen Cliff	29th	Liz Gowshall
14th	Lise Coughlan	30th	Ben, Sarah, Abbie and Joshua Guest
15th	Rosemary Daines	31st	Patricia Hall
16th	Anne and David Dougans		



Circus Praise Party

17th March 2026

Why was there a colourful van parked outside All Saints' Church on Saturday 14th March with Duggie Dug Dug emblazoned all over it?

It was because Churches Together in Croxley Green had invited the well-known children's Christian singer/song-writer/entertainer, Doug Horley, to visit. After spending time in two local schools on the Friday, he brought his Circus Praise Party to All Saints' Church and set up an impressive trapeze structure.



Over 150 children and their adults from all around Croxley Green were entertained with Duggie and his two assistants performing various circus skills. Duggie shared the Christian message through engaging, lively and interactive songs which had children and adults joining in!



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Thank you

Thank you to everyone who has put old Christmas cards or any occasion cards out for me to collect. If anyone still has cards, envelopes or card we can cut up to make the cards, I would be very grateful. As before, please put them at the back of the Church with my name on and I will collect them.

I am very grateful for your help.

With Best Wishes

Janet Staerck

Smile Lines *from Parish Pump*

Commandment

A Sunday school teacher was discussing the Ten Commandments with her five- and six-year-olds. After explaining the commandment to “honour thy father and thy mother,” she asked: “Is there a commandment that teaches us how to treat our brothers and sisters?” Without missing a beat one little boy answered, “Thou shall not kill.”

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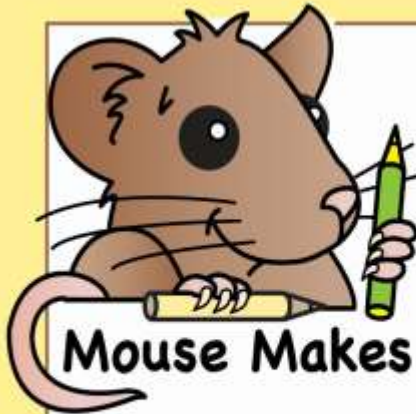
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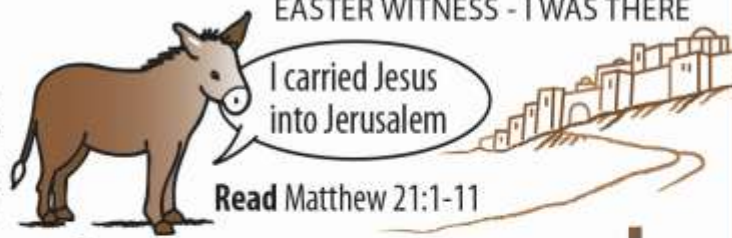
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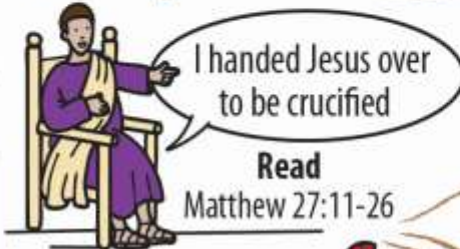


EASTER WITNESS - I WAS THERE



I carried Jesus into Jerusalem

Read Matthew 21:1-11



I handed Jesus over to be crucified

Read Matthew 27:11-26



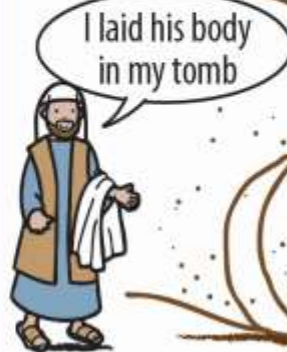
I nailed Jesus to the cross

Read Mark 15:16-32



We watched Jesus die

Read Mark 15:33-41



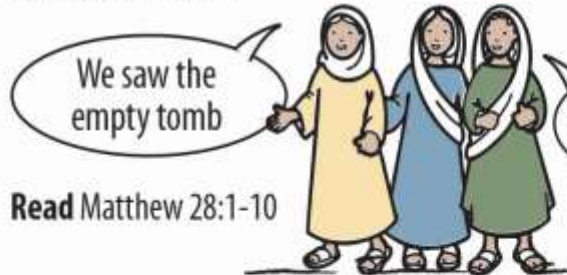
I laid his body in my tomb

Read Mark 15:42-47



I guarded the tomb

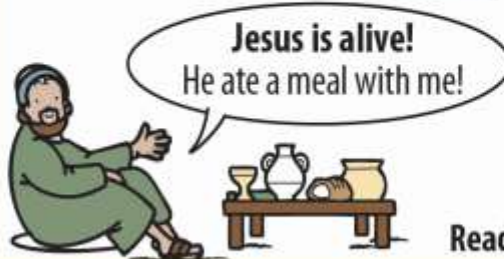
Read Matthew 27:62-66



We saw the empty tomb

Read Matthew 28:1-10

and spoke to the angel



Jesus is alive!
He ate a meal with me!

Read Luke 24:13-35

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Miscellaneous observations on daily life *from Parish Pump*

You can learn many things from children. How much patience you have, for instance.

The biggest lie I tell myself is “I don’t need to write that down, I’ll remember it.”

Marathon runners with bad footwear suffer the agony of defeat.

Getting older is just one body part after another saying, ‘Ha ha, you think that’s bad? Watch this!’

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HOLY WEEK & EASTER

Palm Sunday - 29th March

9:45am Parish Communion - distribution of Palm Crosses and Procession

6:00pm The Cross of Christ - an evening of hymns and anthems sung by our choir

Short Reflective Service - 30th March & 1st April

Monday 30th March at 7:30pm - Reflective Service for Holy Week

Wednesday 1st April at 7:30pm - Reflective Service for Holy Week

Tuesday - 31st March

7:00pm Holy Week Meal

Maundy Thursday - 2nd April

7:30pm Holy Communion with the Washing of Feet and Watch until 10pm

Good Friday - 3rd April

9:30am Churches Together Walk of Witness

2:00pm Good Friday Meditations

Easter Eve / Holy Saturday - 4th April

7:30pm Watching and Waiting Service of Music and Reflection

Easter Sunday - 5th April

9:45am Parish Communion - Celebrating Jesus' Resurrection