

DIARY FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday 6th March	4.30pm 7.00pm	<i>Larchfield Open Table</i> Stations of the Cross
Wednesday 7th	9.00am 10.00am 2.30pm 7.30pm	Open the Book at Larchfield School Eucharist followed by refreshments Celebrant: The Revd Dr Judith Thomas Mothers' Union AGM in the Parish Centre Lent Course in the Birinus Room
Thursday 8th	9.45am 12 noon 7.30pm	Open the Book at All Saints School Standing Committee meeting in the Birinus Room Week 3 of the Lent Art Course in the Parish Centre
Friday 9th	10.00am	Tiny Saints Toddler Group in the Parish Centre: Mothering Sunday
Saturday 10th	9.30am 9.30am	Bible Study in the Birinus Room Making Mothering Sunday posies in the Parish Centre
Sunday 11th		Fourth Sunday of Lent Mothering Sunday
	8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP) Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Jeremy
	10.00am	Parish Eucharist Worship for All Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Jeremy Crèche

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PARISH CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS BOYNE HILL

Sunday 4th March 2018 Third Sunday of Lent

How to Pray Like Jesus and the Saints

Week 3: St Catherine of Siena

You are very welcome to take this pew sheet home with you to look at the readings, and to remind you of the events taking place. The Bible references are for the Bibles to be found at the back of Church, which you are welcome to use during the service.

8.00am HOLY COMMUNION (BCP) Collect & Readings as below.
Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Jeremy

10.00am THE PARISH EUCHARIST

Service: *The Parish Eucharist in Lent* **Hymns:** *Hymns Ancient & Modern*
Celebrant: Fr Jeremy

Organ Prelude Ich ruf' zu dir BWV 639 J S Bach

Opening Hymn 472 How shall I sing that majesty

COLLECT

Almighty God, whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain, and entered not into glory before he was crucified: mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross, may find it none other than the way of life and peace; 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.**

O T READING Exodus 20: 1—17 (OT p71) Jan Moss

N T READING 1 Corinthians 1: 18—25 (NT p177) Ken Smith

Anthem Teach me, O Lord T Attwood

GOSPEL John 2: 13 —22

The Passover of the Jews was near, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. In the temple he found people selling cattle, sheep, and doves, and the money-changers seated at their tables. Making a whip of cords, he drove all of them out of the temple, both the sheep and the cattle. He also poured out the coins of the money-changers and overturned their tables. He told those who were selling the doves, 'Take these things out of here! Stop making my Father's house a market-place!' His disciples remembered that it was written, 'Zeal for your house will consume me.' The Jews then said to him, 'What sign can you show us for doing this?' Jesus answered them, 'Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up.' They then said, 'This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and will you raise it up in three days?' But he was speaking of the temple of his body. After he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this; and they believed the scripture and the word that Jesus had spoken.

Sermon Fr Jeremy

Offertory Hymn

1. How deep the Father's love for us
how vast beyond all measure,
that He should give His only Son
to make a wretch His treasure.

2. How great the pain of searing loss -
the Father turns His face away,
as wounds which mar the chosen one
bring many sons to glory.

3. Behold the man upon a cross,
my sin upon His shoulders;
ashamed, I hear my mocking voice
call out among the scoffers.

4. It was my sin that held Him there
until it was accomplished;
His dying breath has brought me life -
I know that it is finished.

5. I will not boast in anything,
no gifts, no power, no wisdom;
but I will boast in Jesus Christ,
His death and resurrection.

6. Why should I gain from His reward?
I cannot give an answer,
but this I know with all my heart,
His wounds have paid my ransom.

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Music*

Communion Hymn

*Unless a grain of wheat shall fall
upon the ground and die,
it remains but a single grain with no life.*

Closing Hymn

195 Praise the Lord! ye heavens, adore him

Organ Postlude

Master Tallis' Testament

H Howells

Refreshments will be served at the back of the church thanks to the Tuesday Club

6.00pm EUCHARIST FOR ST DAVID'S DAY

Hymns: *Hymns Ancient & Modern*

Celebrant: *Fr Jeremy*

Organ Prelude

Chorale

William Matthias

Opening Hymn 12 God, that madest earth and heaven

Epistle 1 Thessalonians 2: 2—12

Gradual Hymn 110 The God of love my shepherd is

Gospel Matthew 16: 24—27

Offertory Hymn 199 Immortal, invisible, God only wise

Communion Hymn 263 Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour

Closing Hymn 214 Guide me, O thou great Redeemer

Postlude Hyfrydol

R Vaughan Williams

To be followed by Welsh Cakes

Father Jeremy's Notes

Thursday 8th March 7.30pm Week three of our Lenten Art course in the Parish Centre looking at St Catherine of Siena with Matthew Firth and Fr Jeremy

Saturday 10th March 9.30am Bible Study looking at 'A Courageous Church' through the Beatitudes. We will meet in the Birinus Room over breakfast

Altwood Governing Body

There is a place for someone interested in supporting the governing Body at Altwood School. If you have a background in education then that would be an advantage but not vital. Having an interest in the education of young people within a Church of England School would be helpful. The School has recently received the Status of Good following a recent OFSTED inspection.

Advance notices : Please see our web-site www.allsaintsboynehill.org.uk to see the performances and services with Riding Lights from 18th March – 28th March.

Sunday 18th March at 6.00pm at St Luke's Church we will welcome the Riding Lights actors and find out a little about them. It would be lovely if we could provide a couple of homemade cakes to welcome the people and to offer two sidespeople.

Saturday 24th March at 9.00am we will have Breakfast with the Riding Lights at St Luke's. Tickets £3.

Also on 24th March at 7.00pm again at St Luke's we will have the main public performance of Riding Lights. Tickets for this evening will be £5.

Sunday 25th March Palm Sunday 8.00am BCP with Blessing of the Palms followed by bacon sandwiches in the Parish Centre

At **9.45am in the Desborough Suite at the Town Hall** Blessing of the Palms followed by Riding Lights leading us through 'The Passion'. This represents a wonderful opportunity for us to join the congregations of Cox Green and St Luke's as we enter Holy Week.

The day will finish with a traditional Stations of the Cross at All Saints at **6.00pm**.

OTHER NEWS

Mothers' Union- Wednesday 7th March 2018 at 2.30pm in the Parish Centre
Please note this important date, which is one week earlier than usual. It will be our Annual General Meeting, and we need a full attendance if possible, as there will be some important issues to be discussed. We anticipate the possible presence of the Diocesan President from Oxford, who has shown an interest in our Group. It will be appreciated if concern about the future is not discussed at this particular meeting, as we shall be dealing with this issue on a separate occasion. We welcome anyone interested in the Mothers' Union to join us, and to enjoy welcome refreshments afterwards.

Margaret Hill/Wendy Channon

Mothering Sunday Posies

We shall be making the posies for Mothering Sunday on **Saturday 10th March** at 10.00am in the Parish Centre. We are grateful for as much help as possible, so please come along and help if you can. We also require a great deal of small leafed pieces of greenery (approximately 6" long) such as Heather, Pittosporum, and perfumed leaves (rosemary etc.) so if you have any that you, or your neighbour can spare, please bring it with you or leave it at the Parish Office on **Friday 9th March** **The Flower Team**

EASTER LILIES

If you would like to sponsor Lilies for Easter Day in memory of your loved ones please put your name on the list on the cross aisle table and give the money to me, or put it in the wall-box marked Flower Fund. This is a lovely way to be involved in making the church look really beautiful for this Queen of Festivals. Unfortunately, the price of flowers has increased dramatically over the past few months and it is anticipated that the lilies will cost around **£4.00 per stem** this year. We have to order the lilies by **Sunday 11th March** so it would be a great help if you could put your name on the list before that date please.

Barbara and the Flower Fairies

Monday 23rd April 7.00pm at Boyn Hill Cricket Club Annual Parochial Church Meeting

If your group/ organisation is a regular contributor to the Annual Report perhaps you could let me have this year's contribution by **Sunday 18th March**. Arial 12 point typeface preferred. Many thanks. jan.moss@btinternet.com

ANOTHER DATE FOR YOUR DIARY: Sunday 21st October

British Legion Service of Remembrance for World War I in Church.