

DIARY FOR THE WEEK

Wednesday 29th March	10.00am	Eucharist with refreshments Celebrant: Fr Jeremy
	8.00pm	Compline with Art in the Birinus Room Fr Jeremy & Matt Firth
Thursday 30th	9.45am	Open the Book at All Saints School
	7.00pm	All Sorts in the Parish Centre
	8.00pm	Choir Practice
Friday 31st	10.00am	Tiny Saints Toddler Group in the Parish Centre Good Friday & Easter Day
Sunday 2nd April	Fifth Sunday of Lent	
	10.00am	Parish Eucharist Preacher: The Rt Revd Andrew Proud, Bishop of Reading Crèche & Young Saints
	6.00pm	Passiontide Stations of the Cross Fr Jeremy & Jeanette

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PARISH CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS BOYNE HILL

Sunday 26th March 2017 Fourth Sunday of Lent Mothering Sunday

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 and Readings as below.

Celebrant: & Preacher: Fr Jeremy

10.00am THE PARISH EUCHARIST WITH HOLY BAPTISM WORSHIP FOR ALL

Service: *The Parish Eucharist in Lent*

Hymns: *Hymns Ancient & Modern* **Celebrant:** Fr Jeremy + Cre8 & ROCKSHOP

Organ Prelude

Berouse

G Fauré

Opening Hymn

422 Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord

COLLECT

God of compassion, whose Son Jesus Christ, the child of Mary, shared the life of a home in Nazareth, and on the cross drew the whole human family to himself: strengthen us in our daily living that in joy and sorrow we may know the power of your presence to bind together and to heal; 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.

EPISTLE

Colossians 3: 12 — 17 (NT p 216)

Louise O'Dwyer

Gradual Hymn

12 God, that madest earth and heaven

GOSPEL

John 19: 25b – 27

Standing near the cross of Jesus were his mother, and his mother's sister, Mary the wife of Clopas, and Mary Magdalene. When Jesus saw his mother and the disciple whom he loved standing beside her, he said to his mother, 'Woman, here is your son.' Then he said to the disciple, 'Here is your mother.' And from that hour the disciple took her into his own home.

Sermon

Fr Jeremy

Baptism of John Cameron Simantirakis

Baptism Hymn

116 vv 1—3 on way to font, vv 4—7 on way back

Offertory Hymn

360 For Mary, Mother of our Lord

Communion Hymns

1. The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want.

(Descant)

He makes me lie in pastures green.

I will trust, I will trust in you.

He leads me by the still, still waters,

I will trust, I will trust in you.

his goodness restores my soul.

Endless mercy follows me,

And I will trust in you alone.

goodness will lead me home.

And I will trust in you alone,

for your endless mercy follows me,

your goodness will lead me home.

2. He guides my ways in righteousness,
and he anoints my head with oil,
and my cup, it overflows with joy,
I feast on his pure delights.
3. And though I walk the darkest path,
I will not fear the evil one,
for you are with me, and your rod and
staff
are the comfort I need to know.

Stuart Townend (b. 1963) based on Psalm 23

***Bless the Lord, my soul,
and bless God's holy name.
Bless the Lord, my soul,
who leads me into life.***

Closing Hymn

1. Sing of the Lord's goodness,
Father of all wisdom,
come to him and bless his name.
Mercy he has shown us, his love
is for ever,
faithful to the end of days.
- praise him with your music,
worship him and bless his name.*
2. Power he has wielded,
honour is his garment,
risen from the snares of death.
His word he has spoken,
one bread he has broken,
new life he now gives to all.
3. Courage in our darkness,
comfort in our sorrow,
Spirit of our God most high ;
- solace for the weary, pardon for
the sinner,
splendour of the living God.
4. Praise him with your singing,
praise him with the trumpet,
praise God with the lute and
harp ;
praise him with the cymbals,
praise him with your dancing,
praise God till the end of days.

*Come then, all you nations,
sing of your Lord's goodness,
melodies of praise and thanks to
God.
Ring out the Lord's glory,*

Ernest Sands (b. 1949)

Exit Song

1. With Mary let my soul re-
joice,
and praise God's holy name,
his saving love from first to last,
from age to age, the same.
2. How strong his arm, how
great his power.
The proud he will disown;
the meek and humble he exalts
to share his glorious throne.
3. The rich our God will send
away
and feed the hungry poor;
the arms of love remain out-
stretched
at mercy's open door.
4. So shall God's promise be
fulfilled,
to Israel firmly made:
- a child is born, a Son is given
whose crown will never fade.
5. All glory to the Father, Son
and Spirit now proclaim;
with Mary let the world rejoice
and praise God's holy name.

*(David Mowbray) (based on Luke 1.46-55:
Magnificat, The Song of Mary)*

Refreshments will be served at the back of the Church thanks to the Hill Family

Father Jeremy's Notes

Sunday 2nd April As part of our Lenten series of talks looking at ***Dwelling in the World*** we are delighted to welcome Bishop Andrew who encouraged All Saints to participate in PMC. So that everyone can listen to our Bishop there will be **no 8.00am** service this morning. After the service soup and bread will be served in the Parish Centre.

Thank you to Jeanette Lock and Sue Ashwell for their excellent talks at the Eucharist last weekend. If anyone would like to be involved in **Street Angels** or **Open The Book** please contact me, Jeanette, or Mike Moss .

Fr Neil and Elizabeth have expressed their gratitude to the congregation of All Saints for the generous gift of the painting by Reg which was specially commissioned. They have positioned the painting in a central position in their lounge. They also thank everyone who made the trip to Maidstone for their licensing service.

OTHER NOTICES

Holy Week Easter Services – Participation and Assistance.

We have a lovely programme of services planned over Holy Week. As usual the success of these services depends upon the involvement of our congregation, supported by many, including the assistance of our sidespersons team. If you are able to support these services could you please sign up on the list at the back of the Church, covering sidespersons roles and foot washing recipients through to Church cleaning and preparation of the Church. These essential roles are not limited to our existing teams and all members of our congregation are welcome to assist in helping to ensure our services run well with a great welcome.

Rod & Derek

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 wallbox marked Flower Fund. This is a lovely way to be involved in making the church look really beautiful for this Queen of Festivals. It is anticipated that the lilies will cost around **£3.00 per stem** this year and we will need to order them by **3rd April** at the latest.

Barbara Bannister and the Flower Fairies

Christian Aid Week 14th — 20th May

This year's campaign is looking to highlight the plight of refugees in so many troubled areas of the world, almost mirroring the situation that led to Christian Aid's birth 60 years ago! Please see details at the back of the Church of the various activities taking place leading up to and during this important week.

Stella Harding

The **Planned Giving Envelopes** for the new Tax Year are now available for collection at the back of the church. Gift Aid is reclaimable on donations made to the church and for your donation to be eligible; you must be a UK tax payer. Please can all those who donate regularly either by standing order or by the envelope scheme inform me if their tax status has changed, so that I can amend our Gift Aid records accordingly. If you have any queries regarding Gift Aid, please speak to me.

Sue Stannett

Summer Fete: Saturday 8th July. We would love to hear from anyone who would like to help at this great fund raising event for the Church. Although July seems along way off please think of the fete when you are having a spring-clean in the house and in the garden. Nearer the time we will be delighted to get your donations of: books, toiletries, bric-a-brac, toys, raffle and tombola prizes, cakes and bakes.....and any spare plants and garden containers you can't find a use for. Please watch out for update notices over the next few months.

Julia Wakeling & Stella Harding