

THIS WEEK

Happy Easter!

Sunday April 11th 2021

Easter 2

Our faith in the Risen Christ is bound to affect the way we live.

9am BCP Communion in church (not zoomed)

10am All Age Communion (zoom only)

(Join using the button on the website)

Readings

Acts 4: 32-35; John 20: 19-end

SERVICES NEXT WEEK

Sunday 18th April 2021

Easter 3

Having redeemed us by his death, Jesus can offer us the forgiveness of our sin, which sets us free to live.

10am Third Sunday Service (zoom only). This is an informal, non-eucharistic service.

Join using the button on the website.

Readings

Acts 3: 12-19; Luke 24: 36b-48

6.30pm BCP Evening Prayer

Readings

Deuteronomy 7: 7-13

Revelation 2: 1-11

Psalms 142

WELCOME

Please do visit our website

www.trumpington.church for more details on the Sunday Services, and for resources to use at home.

Do keep an eye on the church website for a link to streamed services

The sermon will be posted on the website each week. Do email the Vicar if you want to receive a copy electronically, or in hard copy.

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Collect

Risen Christ,
for whom no door is locked, no
entrance barred:
open the doors of our hearts,
that we may seek the good of others
and walk the joyful road of sacrifice and
peace,
to the praise of God the Father.

Amen

Acts 4.32-35

32 Now the whole group of those who believed were of one heart and soul, and no one claimed private ownership of any possessions, but everything they owned was held in common.³³With great power the apostles gave their testimony to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and great grace was upon them all. ³⁴There was not a needy person among them, for as many as owned lands or houses sold them and brought the proceeds of what was sold. ³⁵They laid it at the apostles' feet, and it was distributed to each as any had need.

John 20.19-end

19 When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.'²⁰After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. ²¹Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.'²²When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

24 But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵So the other disciples told him, 'We have seen the Lord.' But he said to them, 'Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.'

26 A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.'²⁷Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.'²⁸Thomas answered him, 'My Lord and my God!'²⁹Jesus said to him, 'Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.'

30 Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. ³¹But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

Post Communion Prayer

Lord God our Father,
through our Saviour Jesus Christ
you have assured your children of
eternal life
and in baptism have made us one with
him:
deliver us from the death of sin
and raise us to new life in your love,
in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,
by the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Amen

PRAYERS

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.

Amen

Please continue to pray for...

Our GP's surgeries and all who work in them; carers and families workers, our schools and colleges; those who deliver goods to our homes.

For people looking for work and making decisions to retrain. For students preparing for important exams.

For people known to us who are housebound or living in residential care. For those who are in pain or ill in body, mind or spirit.

For people who continue to shield.

Give thanks and pray for the many volunteers who have helped people through the pandemic; for friends and family.

(Please send other prayer requests to the Vicar)

CHURCH NEWS & NOTICES

(Please send any notices to the Church Office by 9am Tuesday)

Breakout Rooms

On the 2nd and 4th Sundays there will be 2 breakout rooms; one for children aged 7 and under and one for children aged 8 and over. If your children wish to join either room, please contact the host in the chat at the start of the service so that he/she can assign you to the correct room.

Filming

Please note that our Zoom services may capture the image of participants at the service. If you have any objections please speak to the churchwarden or the Vicar.

Easter Messy Church

Messy Church online is returning to help you celebrate Easter. There will be a range of activities, suitable for all from 1-101. These will run live on trumpington.church/Messy and the Messy Church Trumpington Facebook page from 23/3- 18/4. There will be no packs to collect this time, but one will be available to download from the church website and the Facebook page. If you would like a printed pack to be posted to you, please email MessyChurch@trumpington.church with your name and address.

Kigali Diocese

Easter Thanksgiving for the vaccine (news from the diocese)

Many of us have felt a great sense of joy and relief as they have received the vaccine. Others are confident that their

turn will come soon. As a way of expressing our gratitude we as a diocese have the opportunity to support our brothers and sisters in Rwanda. Like all countries they have experienced school and church closures alongside much of business. Normal life for them has stopped as well. This has meant that some of the poorest and most vulnerable in the country have suffered the most. Last year we supported their food programme. This year let's continue that as well as support others in Kigali diocese- those with no savings and very little income as they are dependent on what they can earn during the day. Paul in Colossians 3 reminds the church to let the peace of Christ rule our hearts, to be thankful and to express our gratitude.

If you would like to contribute as part of our Easter Thanksgiving, you can use search *Easter Thanksgiving for Kigali Diocese* on the *JustGiving* website.

COMMUNITY NEWS & NOTICES

Trumpington Clothes Hub

You might have noticed a blue plastic box in the Bakehouse porch? This has been placed there by the *Trumpington Clothes Hub* who are collecting good quality children's clothes for redistribution to Trumpington families. If you have any good quality children's clothes that you want to donate, please do put them in the box. A leaflet to explain more about this initiative is on the way!

Panther Taxis

Panther Taxis are offering free rides to attend vaccination appointments up to the value of £10. Thereafter, only the excess will be charged. Spread the word!

Mailchimp

If you would like to be signed up to our Church and community newsletter, this is the link to use:

trumpington.church/newsletter

Or, if this is not possible and you would like to join, please can you give Mandy your consent by email, using the email address that you would like the electronic letter to be sent to. Thank you.

Daily Hope

A free national phoneline Daily Hope, is now available for people who do not have access to the internet. The line will be available 24 hours a day on: 0800 804 8044

Options include Prayer During the Day and Night Prayer, and a recording of the Church of England's weekly national online