



Christ Church Worthing

HYMN, SONG AND SERVICE SHEET



The Second Sunday of Easter
8th April 2018

**10.30am Morning Prayer led by Derek Hansen
and Presentation to Ralph Waters, Curator of the
Organ, from the Royal School of Church Music**



***There is prayer in the organ vestry every Sunday at 10am for
15 minutes before the service and you are welcome to join at
any time.***

TODAY:

1st Reading: Exodus 14: 10-31, 15: 20-21

read by Barbara Hine

2nd Reading: John 20: 19 - 31 read by Simon Davies

and

Intercessions led by John Nobbs

*The Organ Voluntary following our Service today will be:
Voluntary XVI in C (RCO Southgate MS) Full Organ - Fugue,
by Peter Prelleur 1703-41*

SERVICES IN APRIL

**12th April 12.30pm BCP Holy Communion
with Revd George Butterworth**

**15th April 10.30am Holy Communion
with Revd David Renshaw and Revd Alex Grubb**

**15th April 6pm BCP Evensong
with Revd Roger Walker**

**22nd April 10.30am Morning Prayer
with Revd David Renshaw**

**26th April 12.30pm BCP Holy Communion
with Revd Alex Grubb**

**29th April 10.30am Holy Communion
with Revd Alex Grubb and Canon Muriel Pargeter**

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Opening Hymn [141] *Choir omit v4*

Christ the Lord is risen again,
Christ hath broken every chain
Hark, angelic voices cry,
singing evermore on high: *Alleluia!*

He who gave for us his life.
who for us endured the strife,
is our Paschal Lamb today.
we, too, sing for joy and say: *Alleluia!*

He who bore all pain and loss
comfortless upon the cross
lives in glory now on high,
pleads for us and hears our cry: *Alleluia!*

He who slumbered in the grave
is exalted now to save;
now through Christendom it rings
that the Lamb is King of kings. *Alleluia!*

Now He bids us tell abroad
how the lost may be restored,
how the penitent forgiven,
how we, too, may enter heaven. *Alleluia!*

Thou our Paschal Lamb indeed,
Christ, thy ransomed people feed;
take our sins and guilt away
Let us sing by night and day. *Alleluia!*

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HYMN [382]

AWAKE, our souls; away, our fears;
let every trembling thought be gone;
awake, and run the heavenly race,
and put a cheerful courage on.

True, 'tis a strait and thorny road,
and mortal spirits tire and faint;
but they forget the mighty God,
that feeds the strength of every saint.

The mighty God, whose matchless power
is ever new, and ever young;
and firm endures, while endless years
their everlasting circles run.

From thee, the overflowing spring,
our souls shall drink a fresh supply;
while such as trust their native strength
shall melt away, and droop, and die.

Swift as the eagle cuts the air,
we'll mount aloft to thine abode;
on wings of love our souls shall fly,
nor tire amidst the heavenly road.

*Isaac Watts: Public Domain
Isaiah 40: 28-31*

Worship Songs

O Lord, all the world belongs to you
and you are always making all things new.
What is wrong, you forgive, and the new life you give
is what's turning the world upside down.

The world's only loving to its friends,
but you have brought us love that never ends,
loving enemies too; and this loving with you
is what's turning the world upside down.

The world lives divided and apart,
you draw us all together, and we start
in your body to see that in fellowship we
can be turning the world upside down.

The world wants the wealth to live in state,
but you show us a new way to be great:
like a servant you came, and if we do the same,
we'll be turning the world upside down.

O Lord, all the world belongs to you
and you are always making all things new.
Send your Spirit on all in your Church whom you call
to be turning the world upside down.

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Song 2

In Christ alone my hope is found,
He is my light, my strength, my song;
This Cornerstone, this solid ground,
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My Comforter, my All in All,
Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone! – who took on flesh,
Fullness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness,
Scorned by the ones He came to save:
Till on that cross as Jesus died,
The wrath of God was satisfied –
For every sin on Him was laid;
Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay,
Light of the world by darkness slain:
Then bursting forth in glorious day
Up from the grave He rose again!
And as He stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me,
For I am His and He is mine –
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death,
This is the power of Christ in me;
From life's first cry to final breath,
Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no scheme of man,
Can ever pluck me from His hand;
Till He returns or calls me home,
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand !

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Offertory Hymn [149] [Choir Part 1 & Doxology]

Light's glittering morn bedecks the sky;
heaven thunders forth its victor cry;
Alleluia, alleluia.
The glad earth shouts her triumph high,
and groaning hell makes wild reply.
Alleluia, alleluia. alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

While he, the King, the mighty King,
despoiling death of all its sting,
and, trampling down the powers of night,
brings forth his ransomed saints to light.

His tomb of late the threefold guard
of watch and stone and seal had barred;
but now, in pomp and triumph high,
he comes from death to victory.

The pains of hell are loosed at last;
the days of mourning now are past;
an angel robed in light hath said,
"The Lord is risen from the dead."

O Lord of all, with us abide
in this our joyful Eastertide;
from every weapon death can wield
thine own redeemed for ever shield.

All praise be thine, O risen Lord,
from death to endless life restored;
Alleluia, alleluia.
all praise to God the Father be
and Holy Ghost eternally:
Alleluia, alleluia. alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

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Latin, 4th century



Please stay for coffee and a chat after the service



All those whom we know that are sick, lonely, troubled or grieving and our neighbouring churches in vacancy: St Andrew's and St Botolph's. Please pray also for church family members and residents in local Nursing & Care Homes whom Muriel and the pastoral team visit.

Open Church



Many thanks to all who come along to support our 'Open Church' days throughout the week, and especially to our fundraising Mission coffee mornings each Wednesday, when we welcome donations for the many missions we support.

Peter and Mary Stewart ask for our prayers this month – FOR THE BIBLE SOCIETY IN TURKEY

Please pray for protection over Christians as they face threats and protests and for the Bible Society team of 8 asking for more volunteers.

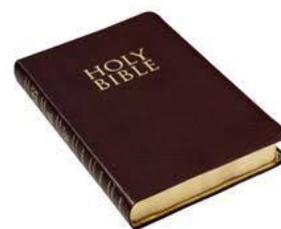
Give thanks that the shop in Istanbul has 2 members of staff and pray for good conversations as they sell Christian books. May we remember them and pray for those who read the bible in the streets and who listen to them and respond. *Many lives are being changed !*

Canon Muriel Pargeter will lead the second of the two Lent sessions in the church, originally scheduled for March, on **Tuesday, 22nd May – 12.30 to 1.30pm**
‘LEARNING TO LIVE’



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

‘BIBLE FOCUS - THE ISSUES OF TODAY’



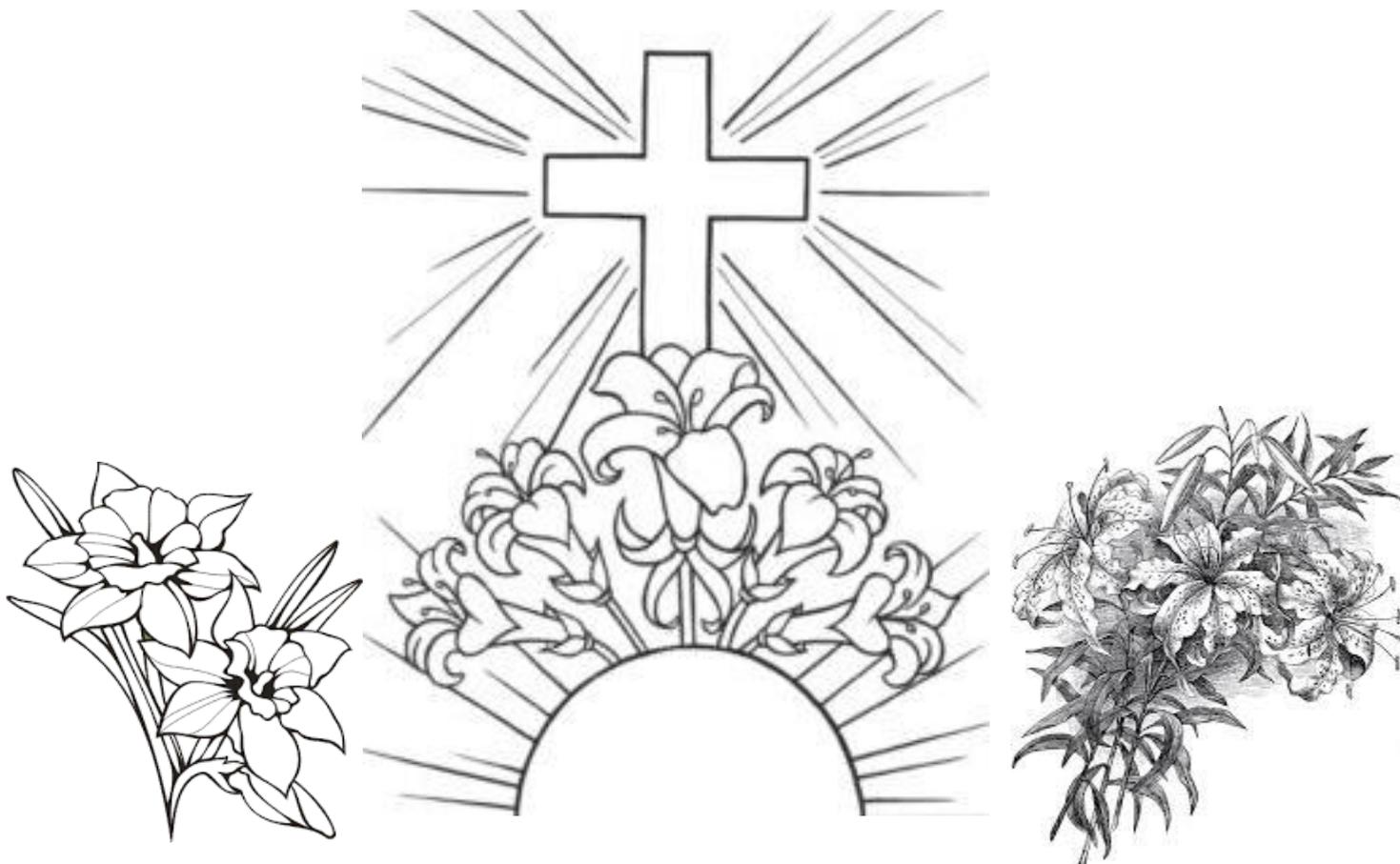
Muriel and others are leading a **‘Home Group’** within the church for those who do not attend one or who wish to join an additional one. We will, instead of studying one book of the Bible, take a topic and explore what scripture says about it. This is held on the **FIRST Tuesday of each month at 2.30pm to 3.30pm.**

Topics will include: *Compassion, Fear, Anger, Hope, Security, Honesty and Loneliness*

Guitar Quartet with JON RATTENBURY & BRIAN ASHWORTH

There will be a Lunchtime Concert on **Tuesday, 8th May from 12.30pm to 1.30pm.** Christ Church welcomes back Jon Rattenbury and Brian Ashworth for their GUITAR QUARTET.

Tea, coffee and biscuits will be served before and after the performance. *No charge for entry, donations welcomed on exit for Christ Church.*



Easter Flowers

A big thank you to members of the congregation and friends of Christ Church for their kind donations for Lilies and Daffodils at Easter.

Our thanks to all those who came into the church to help arrange them, and a special thank you to Irene who was able to join us.

Sue and Hilary