

Prayer & Worship

24th March 2019

LENT 3

Theme: Bible Society Bible Course

Topic: Revelation and Review

Readings: Revelation 21: 1-5, 22: 1-5, page 257
Luke 13: 1-9, page 72

Collect: Eternal God,
give us insight
to discern your will for us,
to give up what harms us,
and to seek the perfection we are promised
in Jesus Christ our Lord.



8.00am Early Communion

9.15am Choral Communion

Anthem: 'Turn thy face from my sins' by
Attwood

Voluntary: 'Herr, ich habe missgehandelt' by
F W Marpurg

Refreshments are served between the
services – please do join us



11.00am Life & Soul Informal Service

12.15pm Drinks after L&S – all welcome

4.45pm Bible Course – STH

FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Church: The Church of Hong Kong and Archbishop Paul Kwong.

Our Parish: Those who live and work in Courtenay Place, Daniells Close, Daniells Walk, De Mowbray Way. Good Samaritans Group (led by David Fenton).

Sick: David Cawte, Amy Hinsley and all who are unwell.

Departed: Prue Nash, Corrie Thompson.

Year's Mind: Joanna Carter (1988).

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Monday 25th March
THE ANNUNCIATION OF OUR LORD TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

12.30pm Monday Lunch Club – STH

Tuesday 26th March
10.00am Toddler Group – STH
10.00am Vistas Café – STC
6.00pm NO Meet the Vicar this week

Wednesday 27th March
10.00am Poetry Corner – STH
10.15am Vistas Café including soup and sandwich lunch till 1.00pm – STH
11.00am Holy Communion with sermon on this week's topic, followed by refreshments
6.30pm Priestlands School Concert – STC

Thursday 28th March
10.00am Stitch and Knit – STH
10.00am Vistas Classical Record Circle – STH
10.15am Vistas Café – STH
11.00am Matins
7.30pm Bellringers' Practice – STC

Friday 29th March

8.00am Holy Communion
9.45am Friday Fellowship – STH
10.15am Vistas Café – STH
6.15pm Junior Choir Practice – STH
7.00pm Full Choir Practice – STH

Saturday 30th March

9.00am Prayers for the work of the parish (all welcome) – STC
11.00am Promenade Concert – STC
8.30pm Earth Hour, Lights out till 9.30pm
CLOCKS GO FORWARD TONIGHT!

NEXT SUNDAY 31st MARCH MOTHERING SUNDAY

Theme: Mothering Sunday

Readings: Colossians 3: 12-17
John 13: 33-35

8.00am Early Communion

9.15am Choral Communion with Robins Choir

11.00am Life & Soul Informal Service

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

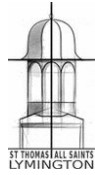
30 Mar Promenade Concert, 11am, STC, Julian and Friends.

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Lecture by Professor Alister McGrath: Winchester Cathedral, Tuesday 26th March, 7pm, 'Atonement: How do we make sense of the Crucifixion?'

Promenade Concert: Saturday 30th March, 11am in St. Thomas Church. Julian and friends with a varied programme of music for viola, piano and wind quintet. Free with retiring collection. All welcome.

'Viva Soprano' Concert: Saturday 30th March, 7.30pm, St. Mary Magdalene Church, New Milton. Ruth Mills with Nova Foresta Classical Players, Phil Daish-Handy conducting, music by Franck, Bizet, Faure, Purcell and Vivaldi. Tickets £10 on the door.

Eco Church – Earth Hour: Earth Hour is the world's largest grass roots movement for the environment, marked by a mass switch off of lights. This year it's Saturday 30th March, 8.30pm-9.30pm, theme #Connect2Earth, sparking conversations on the loss of nature and the urgent need to protect it. Why not plan dinner by candle light and have a conversation, find out more at www.earthhour.org.

Leading Intercessions at 9.15: St Thomas needs more people to lead intercessions at the 9.15am service. It is a great privilege to lead God's people in prayer, so if you'd like to find out more and discover some useful tools to help you, come to a meeting over coffee at Vistas on Wednesday 3rd April at 11.30am. No obligation! Rosie Ward

Quiet Study Day: 'Breathing in - Breathing out', Balancing a life of intentional contemplation with compassionate action. Saturday 6th April at St. Francis of Assisi, Milford, 10am - 4pm led by Pastor David Cole. No fee; donations invited. Tea/coffee provided; take packed lunch. Bookings to Anthony at a.kirke@talktalk.net or 01590 645521. Further details on notice board in Narthex.

Songs of Praise for Palm Sunday: this year's Holy Week will start with a Songs of Praise. There will be a sheet at the back of the Church until Sunday 7th April for you to put your favourite worship hymn/song or piece of music. Please write your name and phone number next to your suggestion.

Bring and Share Vegetarian Lunch: Sunday 7th April, 12.30pm in the hall. Please bring a selection of vegetarian food (no meat or fish) to share with everyone. Just turn up. Any queries call Sarah on 672966.

Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM): Wednesday 10th April, 7.30pm, St Thomas Church. All on the electoral roll may participate. Nomination forms for election to the PCC are at the back of the church with information on what membership involves. Please return nominations via the PCC pigeon hole in the narthex by Wednesday 3rd April. We hope you will be able to join us on 10th and for refreshments after the meeting.

St Nicholas Spring Concert: the St Nicholas Singers bring you a selection of "Music from Stage and Screen", Saturday 27th April, St Johns Church, Boldre, 12.30pm. Tickets £12 including light refreshments, from Pilley Community Shop, Maxwell Hamilton or Rosie Adams (677068). All proceeds to local charities.

Parish Trip to Lee Abbey: 13th to 17th May. There is still some limited availability if anyone else is interested in coming along. Please call Lee Abbey (01598 752621) to make a booking as soon as possible. Further details www.leeabbeydevon.org.uk.

2018 Annual Report: if you are on Electoral Roll, live outside the parish and do not use email, please find a copy of the Annual Report in your pigeon hole in the narthex. The report has been emailed to those giving an email address so please check your spam if you haven't received it.

Deanery Mission Project: details of the 2019 Deanery Mission Project are on a separate notice board by the Mission table. Special giving envelopes together with Gift Aid forms are available in a box on the table. Completed envelopes can be put in the service collection bags or handed into the office. A special Prayer Request leaflet is also available. Please take one to use with your own prayer time. Thank you for your continued support of the Deanery annual Rwanda projects.

Sandy White

Easter Eggs are now available from the Traidcraft Stall. See Denise or Maureen to buy or place orders to avoid disappointment. This year it may be more difficult to order more. Thank you

The Electoral Roll is now closed until after the APCM. A copy is available for checking in the parish office.

Easter at St. Thomas: a leaflet is available at the back of the church detailing events from Mothering Sunday to Easter Sunday. Do take a copy.