

# Prayer & Worship

4<sup>th</sup> April 2021  
EASTER SUNDAY

Alleluia, Christ is Risen!  
He is Risen Indeed,  
Alleluia!  
**A JOYFUL EASTERTIDE**



Alleluia

**Readings:**  
Acts 10: 34-43; John 20: 1-18

**Collect:** 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.

8.00am BCP Communion – St.Mark’s & online

9.00am Easter Communion – St.Mark’s & online

9.15am Easter Communion – STC

10.00am Pennington and Lymington Joint  
Easter Sunday Service

This service will be streamed from our shared  
YouTube channel.

[www.youtube.com/channel/UCKRF1l-cpB5-rn1o5tUNWUw](http://www.youtube.com/channel/UCKRF1l-cpB5-rn1o5tUNWUw)

or from a landline phone: 0203 695 0088  
Meeting ID: 971 631 0618# Passcode: 1839#

**Zoom Sunday morning coffee:**

[Click here for direct link to meeting](#)

Or from a landline phone: 0203 481 5240  
Meeting ID: 851 1706 0907 Passcode: coffee

## FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

**Church:** Pray for the peace of Jerusalem.

**Diocesan Life:** Our Link Provinces of Chile,  
Myanmar, the Democratic Republic of Congo,  
Uganda, Rwanda and Burundi, and Diocese of  
Newcastle.

**Our Parish:** Those who live and work in Waterford  
Lane, Waterloo Road, Wellworthy Road, West Hayes.  
Organist Martin Penrose.

**Sick:** All who are unwell.

**Departed:** Sheila Sharp.

**Year's Mind:** Terry Abernethy, priest (2006).

## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

### Monday 5<sup>th</sup> April

9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer with Sarah & Jane

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### Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> April

9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer with Sarah & Jane

11.00am *Taketime* Meditation

Zoom link as for 9am prayer

### Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> April

9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer with Sarah & Jane

4.00pm Book Club discussion

### Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> April

9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer with Sarah & Jane

### Friday 9<sup>th</sup> April

9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer with Sarah & Jane

### Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> April

9.00am Prayer for the work of the parish

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## NEXT SUNDAY 11<sup>th</sup> APRIL EASTER 2

**Theme:** Christian Community

**Topic:** Abundant Community

**Readings:** Acts 4: 32-35  
John 20: 19-end

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10.00am Pennington and Lymington Joint  
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Flowers in St. Thomas Church  
in memory of Chris Pugh

### Parish Office 01590 676194

Open 9.30am to 11.30am Monday to Friday  
The Parish Office will be functioning from Gill's  
home and telephone messages to the office will  
be checked frequently.

[office@lymingtonchurch.org](mailto:office@lymingtonchurch.org)

# News

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[www.lymingtonchurch.org](http://www.lymingtonchurch.org)

**COVID Reflections in St.Thomas Church:** the church is open as usual for prayer, and there are also tables where people can sit and explore some questions relating to their experience of the pandemic, under the headings of 'Thanksgiving', 'Lament', 'Learning' and 'Prayer'. There is also an opportunity to leave prayer requests.

**Funeral of Sheila Sharp:** Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> April, 2.30pm at Test Valley Crematorium for those invited and available online at <https://www.obitus.com/>, user name: hawo0629g, password: 871252. Memories and photographs of Sheila can be added at <http://sheilasharp.muchloved.com/>.

**Lymington Parish News - May edition:** original contributions for the next issue are now invited and should reach the Editor by Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> April, please. The deadline for our regular columnists is Friday 16<sup>th</sup> April.

**Electoral Roll:** the Electoral Roll is now closed until after the Annual Parochial Church Meeting on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> April.

**Are you or anyone you know struggling after a breakup?** Restored Lives are running an eight session online course starting 10<sup>th</sup> May supporting people to recover from the breakdown of a significant relationship. See [www.restoredlives.org](http://www.restoredlives.org) for details and to book (use code SAVE20 for a £20 discount) Helen Bradley can answer any questions via [helen@freeasaword.com](mailto:helen@freeasaword.com)

**Donations in memory of Caroline Johnson:** donations in memory of Caroline for the benefit of Oakhaven Hospice can be made at the following link: <https://carolinejohnson.muchloved.com/> where you can also leave a memory you have of Caroline.

**Sue Sterndale:** our grateful thanks to Sue for her many years as a sidesperson as she steps down from this valuable role.

**Congratulations to Fern and Phil Daish-Handy** following the safe arrival of Florence Susan on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> March weighing a healthy 10lb.3oz. All doing well.



**April:** Eat local and seasonal. Look for British rather than imported veg and fruit.

**Lyndhurst Deanery Rwanda Lent Appeal:** raising funds to continue to provide bursaries for pastors to continue in ministry. Despite the pandemic, this is still the priority for our Rwandan partners. Donations should be made to Lymington PCC and marked Deanery Lent Appeal as we are asked to make one payment from the parish. **Please make your donation by Easter Sunday.**



**Church Book Club**

**Chasing the Dragon** by Jackie Pullinger  
A Christian classic and something a little more serious to read over Easter:  
'The true story of how one woman's faith resulted in the conversion of hundreds of drug addicts, prostitutes and hardened criminals in Hong Kong's infamous Walled City.'  
**For discussion on 7 April 4pm**

**Mister God, This is Anna: The True Story of a Very Special Friendship** by Fynn

The moving story of a precocious founding and a teenager exploring London's East End and spiritual life. 'The explosive individuality of Anna is not sentimentally touching but sometimes almost frightening. I hope that a new edition will introduce a new generation to this formidable and astonishing figure.' Dr Rowan Williams.  
For discussion on 21 April 4pm

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