



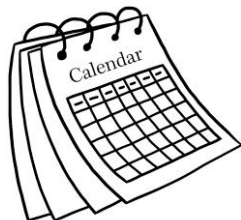
For our prayers this week

Those who are ill or in need... Alex Boorer, Ashleigh Anand, Felix Snell, Val Hancock.

Those who have died... Hal Gamble.

Anniversary of death... Eric Clark (2001), Valerie Finch (2000).

Link Parish of St Francis of Assisi, Barham Green, Zimbabwe.



THIS WEEK...

SUNDAY 05 APRIL 2026

EASTER DAY

6.30am DAWN SERVICE

with a fire, bacon rolls & fizz

8am HOLY COMMUNION

10am ALL AGE SERVICE

followed by Easter Egg Hunt

6.30pm EVENSONG

WEDNESDAY 08 APRIL

NO TODDLER GROUP

Easter break

12 noon PRAYER GROUP

Church

**3pm FUNERAL SERVICE
FOR THE LATE HAL GAMBLE**



NOTICES

WALK & TALK

on

SATURDAY 04 APRIL

We need a few volunteers to help in Church from around **10.45am**.

The Walk & Talks starts at the War Memorial at **10.30am**

where we will be joined by

Bishop Martin

who will be giving Easter Reflections.

Ending at Christ Church at **11.45am**,

for Hot Cross Buns.

BISHOP'S LENT CALL

This year the money raised will aid education on schools in Zimbabwe And diocese of Jerusalem. See full information on board at back of church. Please place donations in blue envelopes or use Special Collections button on card readers at any time throughout Lent.

RAYNES PARK BEREAVEMENT SERVICE

Christ Church manages this service for the local community. We need more volunteers to be able to respond to the increased demand.

Are you someone who is a good listener? Would you be willing to consider joining our group of volunteers? If so, please call Chris Larkman 07950 642 550.

Family Quiz Night! Saturday 25 April 2026

6.30pm onwards

please sign the list at the back of Church.

We would welcome raffle prizes (bottles and chocolates ideally).

Thanks very much.

ANNIVERSARY of DEATH DATABASE

There is a list at the back of church if you would like to add the name of a loved one to those we remember.



NEXT WEEK...

SUNDAY 12 APRIL 2026

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

8am HOLY COMMUNION

10am PARISH EUCHARIST

6.30pm EVENSONG

WEDNESDAY 15 APRIL

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This week's readings

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

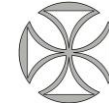
Peter began to speak to those assembled in the house of Cornelius. 'I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ – he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.'

Acts 10.34-43

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

After the sabbath, as the first day of the week was dawning, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. And suddenly there was a great earthquake; for an angel of the Lord, descending from heaven, came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow. For fear of him the guards shook and became like dead men. But the angel said to the women, 'Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. Then go quickly and tell his disciples, "He has been raised from the dead, and indeed he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him." This is my message for you.' So they left the tomb quickly with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. Suddenly Jesus met them and said, 'Greetings!' And they came to him, took hold of his feet, and worshipped him. Then Jesus said to them, 'Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me.'

Matthew 28.1-10



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SUNDAY 05 APRIL 2026
EASTER DAY

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. **Amen**

Post Communion

God of Life, who for our redemption gave your only-begotten son to the death of the cross, and by his glorious resurrection have delivered us from the power of our enemy: grant us so to die daily to sin, that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his risen life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Green / World Prayer

How wonderful, Lord Jesus, you came back. You suffered death but conquered it. You laid in the tomb but on the third day you rose again. O joyful day, Lord Jesus, when you returned. You are the resurrection, our hope and our life. O glorious and victorious Redeemer. Help us not to be afraid of death. For we must pass through it to see you face to face and on the last day we will rise again. For you said so let us rejoice and praise you Our Blessed and triumphant Lord. On this happy, joyful feast. **Amen**

6,30am DAWN SERVICE with a fire, bacon rolls & fizz

8am HOLY COMMUNION

10am ALL AGE SERVICE followed by *Easter Egg Hunt*

Readings Matthew 28.10-10 **Hymns** Sing choirs of heaven (*printed*), 125, 339, 431, 660

6.30pm EVENSONG

Readings Solomon 3.2-5;8.6,7; John 20. 11-18 **Hymns** 623, 667, 228 **Psalms** 66.1-11
