

## Calendar for 12th to 19th April

### Sunday 12th April – Easter 2

**8.00am** Said Eucharist (BCP) – **St Peter and St Paul**  
Readings: Acts 2.14a, 22-32 (Pg. 113); 1 Peter 1.3-9 (Pg.221); John 20.19-end (Pg. 110).  
**10.00am** Parish Eucharist – **St Peter and St Paul and live online**  
**3.00pm** Cream Teas and Music – **St Peter and St Paul**

### Wednesday 15th April

**9.30am** Holy Communion – **St Peter and St Paul**  
**10.30am** Coffee 'n' Share – **Abbeyfield**

### Thursday 16th April

**6.45pm** APCM – **Oldham Hall** (see details inside)

### Saturday 18th April

**2.30pm** Friends of Great Missenden Parish Church Talk & Tea – **St Peter and St Paul** (see details inside)

### Sunday 19th April – Easter 3

**8.00am** Said Eucharist (BCP) – **St Peter and St Paul**  
Readings: Acts 2.14a, 36-41; 1 Peter 1.17-23; Luke 24-13-35.  
**10.00am** Parish Eucharist – **St Peter and St Paul and live online**  
**3.00pm** Cream Teas and Music – **St Peter and St Paul**  
**6.00pm** Evening Prayer – **St Peter and St Paul**

### Future Dates for your Diary (at St Peter and St Paul unless stated)

**Friday 24th April, 10.30-11.30am:** Coffee Morning at St Mary's Church, Ballinger.

**Saturday 16th May, 10.30am:** FGMPA AGM, coffee/tea from 10.15am. All are welcome.

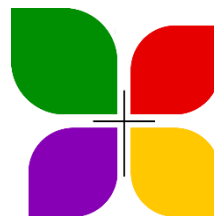
**Thursday 28th May, 10.30-11.30am:** Coffee Morning at St Mary's Church, Ballinger.

### Live Streaming of our Services

Many of our 10am services are streamed live. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Vicar or Safeguarding Officer (details below).

#### **STAFF AVAILABILITY:**

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**St Peter and St Paul, Great Missenden**  
**St Mary's Church, Ballinger**  
**Little Hampden**

**Helping one another to Know, to  
Serve and to Share God's love**

## **Sunday 12th April – The Second Sunday of Easter**

Please include in our prayers:

- for Eastertide to bring peace throughout the world;
- for those discerning whether to stand for election to the PCC on the 16th of April;
- for our King, the Royal Family, Members of Parliament and those in local government;
- for the sick, both at home and in hospital, and their families who are concerned about them;
- for the success of our cream teas season;

Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you."  
John 20.19

### **Collect**

Almighty Father, you have given your only Son to die for our sins and to rise again for our justification: grant us so to put away the leaven of malice and wickedness that we may always serve you in pureness of living and truth; through the merits of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

### **Post Communion**

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.

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## **News and Events**

**Cream Teas** are served every Sunday until the end of September from 3pm-5pm in the Church. Come and enjoy home-made cakes and scones, with music this week from Morgan Davies (pianist).

**The APCM** takes place on Thursday 16th April in the Oldham Hall. Join us for a glass of wine from 6.45pm. The Meeting of Parishioners takes place at 7.25pm (open to any resident) and the Annual Meeting at 7.30pm. We invite you to apply for vacancies as PCC members, Wardens or representatives on the Deanery Synod. Please ask if you would like more information on what these roles entail. Forms will be in church from 3rd April and all applicants must complete a Trustees eligibility form and the Fit and Proper Persons form. If there are no forms left, please email the Parish Office ([office@missendenchurch.org.uk](mailto:office@missendenchurch.org.uk)) and you will be sent an attachment.

**Sun, Sea and Summer Flower Festival 2026, 27th and 28th June, 12-5pm.** What does Summer mean for you? Create your own story for our summer flower festival! You can use any combination of flowers, mixed media, mementoes or objects to fit on our boards 60cm-100cm (the boards we use for the Christmas Tree Festival) for display. Then tell us about your story in a paragraph or two to accompany your display and share what makes it personal to you – we'd love to hear! Please speak to Sue O'Farrell or Wendy Harris, or email [s.g.ofarrell@gmail.com](mailto:s.g.ofarrell@gmail.com) or [wendy.e.harris@btinternet.com](mailto:wendy.e.harris@btinternet.com) if you would like to take part. We will need to know numbers of displays shortly so we can allocate boards around the church.

**Funeral Service of Margaret Osbond.** Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2pm Funeral service at St. Peter and St. Paul's, Great Missenden followed by burial in Great Missenden Lawn Cemetery.

**Friends of Great Missenden Parish Church** (Regd. Charity No.: 1067435).

- **Saturday 18th April, 2.30pm.** “**The Rothschilds– the story of a Migrant Family**” by Paula Kitching. Tickets (£15 inc. Afternoon Tea) are now at Samways and from Vivienne after the 10am services, by cash or card. Please invite your family and friends to join us!
- **Saturday 16th May, 10.30am:** our AGM is in the Parish Church, with coffee/tea from 10.15am. All are welcome.


**All are warmly invited to join Wycombe Homeless Connection for their annual church service.** We will give thanks for the unwavering community response to homelessness in our community, celebrate the night shelter and the all-year round work done to prevent and reduce the harm that homelessness does. We will also take time to honour those who have been lost. The service takes place on Saturday 25th April at Christ the Servant King, Booker, High Wycombe, HP12 4TJ. Arrival from 2pm for refreshments before a 2.30pm start. Please let us know if you will be attending here: <https://thanksgiving-service-2026.eventbrite.co.uk/>

**Great Missenden Choral Society** presents Sing Unto God – Music by Bach and Handel in Great Missenden Church on Saturday 25th April at 7.30pm. Tickets £18 from Wye Country or [www.gmcsonline.co.uk](http://www.gmcsonline.co.uk).

**Chiltern Arts Festival** launches on Friday 15th May in Great Missenden, with a visit from the acclaimed vocal ensemble, The Marian Consort, for their concert, The Language of Flowers. Tickets from Chiltern Arts via <https://chilternarts.com>.

**The Wendover Arts Festival** will be held on the last Bank Holiday in May, Saturday 23rd to Monday 25th May 2026. More details can be found at <http://www.wendover-arts-festival.co.uk>

**The Damon Singers** present their Spring Concert, 'Hill and Vale, Light and Shade', on Saturday 25th April at 7.30pm in the United Reformed Church, Chesham. Tickets £15 in advance; £17 cash on the door; £5 for 12-18s; under 12s free. Glass of wine or soft drink included. [www.damonsingers.co.uk](http://www.damonsingers.co.uk)

	<p><b>The Chiltern Foodbank is currently looking for donations of...</b> Deodorant; Rice; Tinned Chicken; Tinned Corned Beef; Tinned Fruit; Tinned Vegetables; Toilet Cleaner. <b>All items must be within BBE date, please.</b> <a href="http://chiltern.foodbank.org.uk">chiltern.foodbank.org.uk</a></p>
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