

Benefice of St Nicholas Newport and St Michael and All Angels, Chetwynd

Newsletter 5/4/26

Musings

Christ is Risen! He is Risen indeed!

Today we celebrate Easter. Christ is risen from the dead. His resurrection has defeated death and saved the world from sin. Through him we have eternal life.

So, among all the flowers and Easter Bunnies and Easter Eggs, we pray that we share the amazement of the women who saw the stone rolled away and the folded grave clothes.

We pray that, like Mary, we shall know Jesus when he calls us by name and that, like her, we shall with joy do whatever he asks us to do.

Happy Easter Alleluia!

Sandra

This week beginning 5/4/26:

St Michael and All Angels

Easter Day 9.00am Holy Communion

St Nicholas

Easter Day 10.30am Holy Communion

Wednesday 10.30am Morning Prayer

Next week beginning 12/4/26:

St Michael and All Angels

Sunday 9.00am Holy Communion

St Nicholas

Sunday 10.30am Holy Communion

Wednesday 10.30am Holy Communion

(Common Worship)

Readings

Easter Day: Acts 10:34-43, John 20:1-18

12/4/26 Acts 2: 14a, 22-32, John 20:19-end

Eggstravagaza

A very successful Easter party for primary schools aged children was held on Monday 30th March at Trinity Church.

58 children came to share in telling the story of Easter in crafts and story-telling and to celebrate with an Easter Egg Hunt.

We thank God for the work he is doing among the children and young people in our town.

PCC Meeting

St Nicholas PCC will be meeting on **Tuesday 7th April** at 2.00pm at 23, Broadway TF10 7TN.

Annual Parochial Church Meeting

St Nicholas APCM will be held on **Sunday 12th April** following the morning service. Reports will be shared of the events of the past year and we will look forward to the coming year.

There will be elections for churchwardens, representatives to the Deanery Synod and to the Parochial Church Council (PCC). If you feel God is calling you to serve our church in any of these roles, please ask any member of the PCC for a nomination form.

We pray that God will bring to us the person he has chosen to be our next rector.

We remember in our prayers: Chris, Brian, Iraj, Minoo, Rosemary, Jenny and John, Jo and Mike and Gill and all the Howard family.

‘As the women entered the tomb, they saw a young man dressed in a white robe sitting on the right side and they were alarmed.

“Don’t be alarmed, ” he said, “You are looking for Jesus the Nazarene, who was crucified. He has risen! He is not here. See the place where they laid him.”

Mark 16, verses 5 & 6