

PLEASE PRAY FOR

The sick: Shelagh Almond, Pauline Baker, Harry Banks, Polly Barclay, Charlie Bartlett, Mary Bartlett, Emma Brindle, Karen Brown, Harley Byrne, Diane, Frankie Cooper, Rhiannon Crick, Mandy Daly, Win Dennis, Garry Downes, Eric Edwin, Sam Fathers, Ed Fuller, Emma Hayward, Laura Hearne, Heidi, Maureen Hickey, Gill Hynes, Enid Ingle, Julie, Margaret Keech, Helen Macabe, Victoria Martin, Paul Merry, Jackie O'Shea, Susan Pearson, Donna Prior, June Simmonds, Heid Simon, Darren Smith, Robin Stokoe, Hazel Suffolk, Hilary Wilson and Sarah Wilson.

The departed: Colin Calvert, Carol Vanner

We endeavour to keep this list up-to-date; if you have any questions, please speak to Beverley, Elizabeth or one of the Readers.

Year's Mind

13th	Bessie Powell
14th	Kenneth Miller
15th	Eric Frear, Neil Peters, Louise Shelton, Edgar Skinner
16th	John Allingham, Nicholas Hull, Jean Reynolds, Dorothy Sinden
17th	Sarah Cheeseman, Florence Dillingham, Frederick Eburn, James McDermott, Jamie Rawlins, John Watson
18th	Eric Coles, Muriel Munday, Susan Skinner, James Syme
19th	Harriet Smith, Clarissa Stanbridge

NOTICES

BIBLE STUDY meets every Wednesday on Zoom at 7.00pm. If you would like to join us please contact David Young on 01525 404947 or dryoung1@btinternet.com Each meeting is independent and you can join as many, or as few, as suits you

EASTER FLOWERS If you would like to donate towards the Easter flowers, please give money to Elizabeth or place in a marked envelope and put in the wall safe by the door. Thank you.

SOUP LUNCH Tomorrow 14th April 12noon -2.00pm. Donations to Keech Hospice. ALL WELCOME

Please ensure that notices are with Beverley by Wednesday for inclusion in the next pew sheet.

ST ANDREW'S | AMPHILL

WITH ST MICHAEL'S, MILLBROOK, AND ST LAWRENCE'S, STEPPINGLEY

Palm Sunday

8.00am	Morning Prayer	St Andrew's, Ampthill	<i>Pippa Kilgour</i>
9.30am	Parish Eucharist	St Andrew's, Ampthill	<i>Rev'd Guy Buckler</i>

Hymns: 61 – Ride on, ride on; 67 – When I survey;
62 – Ride on triumphantly; 60 – All glory laud and honour (omit *vv)
Anthem: Hosanna to the Son of David
Recessional: Voluntary V – Stanley

11.15am	Parish Eucharist	St Lawrence's, Steppingley	<i>Rev'd Guy Buckler</i>
11.15am	Parish Eucharist	St Michael's, Millbrook	<i>Rev'd Paul Lanham</i>

DURING THE WEEK

Monday 14 th	12.00pm-2.00pm 6.00pm-8.00pm	Soup Lunch in the Chapter House Churchyard Nature Club in the Chapter House
Tuesday 15 th	7.30pm-9.30pm	Childbirth Trust in the Chapter House
Wednesday 16 th	10.00am-12.30pm 7.30pm-9.30pm 8.00pm	Diocesan Event in the Chapter House and Church Childbirth Trust in the Chapter House Compline St Lawrence's Steppingley
Thursday 17 th	10.00am 6.45pm-8.15pm	Said Eucharist at St Andrew's <i>Rev'd Roger Wood</i> Yoga in the Chapter House
Good Friday	10.00am 2.00pm-3.00pm 7.30pm-9.00pm	Start of Walk of Witness at St Andrew's Hour at the Cross in the Church <i>Pippa Kilgour</i> Yoga in the Chapter House
Saturday 19 th	From 9.30am	Easter Flower Preparations

Morning Prayer is said at 9.00am each weekday at St Andrew's.

NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday 20th April	Easter Day
5.45am Sunrise Service	Ampthill Park <i>Churches Together</i>
8.00am Said Eucharist	St Andrew's, Ampthill <i>Rev'd Nigel Washington</i>
9.30am Parish Eucharist	St Andrew's, Ampthill <i>Rev'd Nigel Washington</i>
11.15am Easter Morning Praise	St Lawrence's, Steppingley <i>Stella Brooks</i>
11.15am Parish Eucharist	St Michael's, Millbrook <i>Rev'd Nigel Washington</i>
6.00pm Taize Service	St Andrew's Ampthill <i>Chris Hodges</i>

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AMPTHILL PCC Sort Code: 20-05-74

Account no.: 40063762

PALM GOSPEL

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

Glory to you, O Lord.

²⁸After he had said this, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem.

²⁹When he had come near Bethphage and Bethany, at the place called the Mount of Olives, he sent two of the disciples, ³⁰saying, 'Go into the village ahead of you, and as you enter it you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden. Untie it and bring it here. ³¹If anyone asks you, "Why are you untying it?" just say this: "The Lord needs it." ³²So those who were sent departed and found it as he had told them. ³³As they were untying the colt, its owners asked them, 'Why are you untying the colt?' ³⁴They said, 'The Lord needs it.' ³⁵Then they brought it to Jesus; and after throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it. ³⁶As he rode along, people kept spreading their cloaks on the road. ³⁷As he was now approaching the path down from the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to praise God joyfully with a loud voice for all the deeds of power that they had seen, ³⁸saying,

'Blessed is the king
who comes in the name of the Lord!
Peace in heaven,
and glory in the highest heaven!'

Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, 'Teacher, order your disciples to stop.' ⁴⁰He answered, 'I tell you, if these were silent, the stones would shout out.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

Luke 19: 28-40

READING

A reading from the Letter of St Paul to the Philippians.

⁵Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus,
⁶who, though he was in the form of God,
did not regard equality with God
as something to be exploited,
⁷but emptied himself,
taking the form of a slave,
being born in human likeness.
And being found in human form,
⁸he humbled himself
and became obedient to the point of death –
even death on a cross.
⁹Therefore God also highly exalted him
and gave him the name
that is above every name,
¹⁰so that at the name of Jesus
every knee should bend,
in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
¹¹and every tongue should confess
that Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.

This is the word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Philippians 2: 5-11

THE PASSION GOSPEL

(Luke 23: 1 – 25)

At the appropriate time, the congregation join in using the words in bold.

Pilate Then what do you wish me to do with the man you call the King of the Jews?

Crowd: **Crucify him!**

Pilate: Why, what evil has he done?

Crowd (louder): **Crucify him!**