

A Community United by Faith in Christ, living out Worship, Welcome & Witness

Welcome to St. Hilary's, please do join us for
our service today.

If it is your first visit here, we would love to get
to know you more – so please make yourself
known to one of the welcome team

THE COLLECT FOR EASTER DAY

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.

TODAY'S BIBLE READINGS

10.30am

Romans 6 : 3 - 11 (NT p 152)
Matthew 28 : 1 - 10 (NT p 32)

SUNDAY 9TH APRIL – EASTER DAY - 6.30am Dawn Service at Derby Pool (by the Harvester pub)
10.30am Holy Communion, *with Baptism of Isobel, Penny, Lois and Michelle*

Monday (10th April)

Tuesday (11th April)

9.15am

Morning Prayer (*Online*)

Wednesday (12th April)

9.45am

Bowls Group (At Marine Park)

5.30pm & 7.00pm

Slimming World

Thursday (13th April)

10.00am

Holy Communion (*Side Chapel*)

Friday (14th April)

9.15am

Morning Prayer (*Online*)

Prayers

Prayer Cycle - Please pray for the following people and places within our parish - Youth for Christ, Oldershaw School, Lymington Rd, Monmouth Rd, Willoughby Rd, Palmerston Rd, Dawlish Rd. The bereaved families of: David Hodgkinson & Valerie Hitchmough

For the healing, hope and strength of: Catherine & Helen Godfrey, Betty Cross, Dot Vyskocil, Dorothy Prestwich, Margaret Thompson, Steph Sarath, Bob Romanoff, Olga Bridger, Jimmy Houghton, Ken Joplin, Brian Hughes, Graham Robb, Dorothy Harris, David Bigmore, Cynthia Croft, Joyce Hill, Caroline Houghton, Len and Ann Wooton. (*please contact Lisa if you would like a name added here*)

For the World-

- Pray for those affected by terrorism.
- For those in Ukraine and those fleeing Ukraine.
- For all those suffering and in danger in war zones everywhere.
- Pray from those affected by climate change.
- Pray for those affected by the Turkish & Syrian earthquake.

For the Parish-

- Pray for those who have Covid-19 or have loved ones who have Covid 19
- Pray for those suffering from anxiety during these times.

Notices

SUNDAY 16TH APRIL – THE SECOND SUNDAY OF

EASTER- 10.30am Service of the word

ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING - This is set for Tuesday 16th May at 7.30pm. Official notification will be posted up in the coming weeks.

LIFE CHURCH WIRRAL - EASTER CELEBRATION -

This is taking place at the Floral Pavilion 4-5.30pm. All welcome, no tickets required.

ONLINE SERVICES AND MEETINGS - These are via Zoom using the meeting number 519 788 0237 and the passcode 515437

ELECTORAL ROLL - The names of those on the Electoral Roll will be displayed at the back of the church for 3 weeks in April. Please check that your name is, indeed, on the Roll. If not, please fill in a form. Also, if you have changed addresses since the previous list was compiled in 2019, please fill in a new form showing your current address. Thank you. Ann Hughes, Electoral Roll Officer.

CHURCH ELECTIONS - David Gateley will not be standing for re-election as Church Warden at the annual meeting in May. The PCC's intention is to find two other people God is calling to serve in this role, along with two Assistant Wardens, to form a team who can support each other and delegate as appropriate. Please speak to Alan or anyone on the PCC if you want to know more. A leaflet is available giving more information about this. There are also vacancies for the Church Council and Deanery Synod. Nomination forms are available in church all these roles.

CHURCH QUESTIONNAIRE - Everyone was sent one of these before Christmas. If you haven't returned yours, please do so as soon possible by bringing it to church or sending it postally. It will help us in planning for the future.

COLLECTION FOR TURKEY & SYRIA – This will be open until Easter Day.

CHRISTIANS AGAINST POVERTY - An opportunity has emerged for a new Life Skills Manager with the CAP Wallasey project. See the notice boards in church.

GIVING – INCOME Vs EXPENDITURE – Please read the following information which outlines the growing difference between our income and expenditure, and consider whether you could change your weekly giving. *The shortfalls on our monthly income/expenditure are as follows:-*
December: £2790.14
January: £3223.32

GIVING TO ST HILARY'S -

If you want to support our church financially, you are welcome to give through our just giving page on the website, or by using this internet address:



<https://givealittle.co/campaigns/378fd1a1-384d-4a9a-b71a-ad4deb0b70f6>

There is also a 'Just Giving' bar code on the church website. Or scan the code to go to the Giving page:

Our prayer lists will be updated at the end of each month. Please contact Lisa Sheridan at, lisa.sheridan25@outlook.com to add anyone to our prayer lists or for any other notices. *The cut off time for any additions to the newsletter is lunchtime on the Thursday before publication.*

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