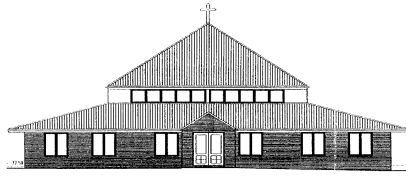


# ALL SAINTS' Oxhey



**TO KNOW JESUS AND TO MAKE HIM KNOWN**

8<sup>th</sup> March 2015

Lent 3

Eternal God,  
give us insight  
to discern your will for us,  
to give up what harms us,  
and to seek the perfection we are promised  
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

## **TODAY:**

9.15am Prayers  
10.00am Holy Communion

**Hymns:** 371, 10, 91, 19, 134, 170.

**Readings:** Exodus 20: 1-17...1 Corinthians 1: 18-25...John 2: 13-22

## **THIS WEEK 15B:**

Thursday 10.15am Holy Communion

The Hatch is open from 11.45am to 1.45pm

**NEXT SUNDAY 16B: 15<sup>th</sup> March 2015 Mothering Sunday**

**Breakfast Service Readings: Gospel...John 19: 25b-27**



**CHILDREN WELCOME!**



***at all our services***

Each week we have Sunday school groups for children over 3 years old, and we have a crèche, Small Saints, for the 0-3's. On the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month we have All-age worship when children, whatever their age, are encouraged to be part of the service. Come, join us and bring the children!

## **PRAYER MINISTRY**

If you would like someone to pray with you after the service, please go to the **Crèche** or **Room 5** where members of the ministry team will be waiting to pray with you.



**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** Please pray for those on your heart, ill or in need of Prayer for any reason.

***For our missions for this Year:***

**ASCEND...NewHope...Ataxia...Development Pamoja...For...**Those who mourn...**For...**Those who are ill at home or in hospital...**In your daily prayers please pray for those listed below...**Fay Cowell, James Prushi, Marjorie, Nelly, Sid & Francine Parsons, Monique Parsons, Jon Poore, Amy, Bobbi Hopkins, Andrew Wyard, Jane...**For our community and for the residents of...**Kirkaldy Green, Mundesley Close, Sidmouth Close, Lalsam House, Nairn Green, Sleaford Green ... **Your prayers are asked for...**Anglican Methodist Relationships in the Diocese, Ricky Turner and our worship group, All Church Administrators, All Lay preachers and Readers.

### Monthly Prayer meetings for ASCEND

Staff, Volunteers and visitors are welcome to join in prayers for the future of ASCEND and the people in the local community. Please feel free to express your prayers, thoughts, poetry or visions, or bring along your favourite reading to share at these meetings.

The next one is: - **Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> April 2015 at 12.15pm.**

### Breakfast Service on Mothering Sunday

**Our next breakfast service will be on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March.**

Take it easy and let us supply your breakfast.

As usual we will all share breakfast together at 9.30am followed by Holy Communion, make a note in your diary now!

### Mothering Sunday Flowers

Are you able to help with putting the flowers together for Mothering Sunday on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> March at 10.30am for 30 minutes.

### THE CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLL.

Are you on the church electoral roll if not, would you like to be? The church electoral roll is for anyone who lives in the parish or attends church regularly. Please have a word with Pam or Vik Davis if you would like to know whether you are already on the church electoral roll, if you would like to know about the church roll or would like to be added to the electoral roll.

### Pledge Envelopes

New weekly/monthly envelopes are available from April. If you would like a set covering the year or would like to know more about these or other ways of giving, please see Joan Kennedy in confidence.

## **FOR YOUR DIARY 2014:**

22<sup>nd</sup> Mar 11.15am A.P.C.M. (after the Sunday service)

**Don't forget to put your clocks forward on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March**

2<sup>nd</sup> Apr 7.30pm Maundy Thursday Service

3<sup>rd</sup> Apr 10.30am Good Friday Service in the precinct (meet at 10.30am)

3<sup>rd</sup> Apr 2.30pm Good Friday Service

6<sup>th</sup> Apr 9.00am Pilgrimage Walk to St Albans Abbey

## **SERVICES FOR HOLY WEEK AND EASTER**

### **PALM SUNDAY**

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March

Holy Communion at 10.00am

### **MAUNDY THURSDAY**

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April

Holy Communion at 7.30pm

### **GOOD FRIDAY**

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April

United Service in the Precinct – 10.30am

Good Friday Service at 2.30pm

### **EASTER DAY**

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> April

Holy Communion at 10.00am

## **EASTER MONDAY PILGRIMAGE TO ST. ALBANS ABBEY**

Each year a group of us have joined in the Easter Monday pilgrimage to St. Albans. We have always had a wonderful time! We go into the Abbey and join over a thousand other people for a tremendous service.

Come along and share in the joy of the risen Lord!

Chris and Vik will be walking to the Abbey (an 11 mile walk), please let us know if you would like to join us or want further details.

We are planning to leave All Saints' at 9am, getting to St Albans for around 1pm. If the full 11 miles is too much, you can meet us at Bricket Wood Station at around 11:30 for the final 4 miles or just meet us outside the Abbey for a picnic before the service.

## HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SERVICES

Maundy Thursday is one of the most holy days of the Christian year. It is when we remember Christ's promise to us, it is the moment when Jesus gave us the Eucharist as our main act of worship and it is the service when he washed the feet of his disciples and set us the example of how to live as Christians. Good Friday means nothing without the experience of Maundy Thursday. Good Friday is also one of the holiest days in our calendar and it is important that as Christians we all observe seriously. During that week Jesus suffered for us please think carefully about how you will observe Holy Week and how important that journey to the cross is for you. There is no Easter without Good Friday or Maundy Thursday.

### GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE IN THE PRECINCT

There will be walk of witness on Good Friday morning followed by a united service in the precinct. Members of the Baptist Church will join us at All Saints and at 10.30am we will begin to walk down Gosforth Lane to meet up with St. Joseph's, St. Martins and the Methodists and meet Carpenders Park Community Church in the precinct. The service begins at 11.00am.

### EASTER DAY FUN... DON'T MISS IT!!!!

#### **Decorated Egg Competition**

Once again we will be holding a decorated egg competition so get those creative juices flowing! Decorate a hard boiled egg and bring it along on Easter Day and you could win an Easter egg!

#### **Egg Rolling Competition**

How far can you roll a hard boiled egg? Have you ever tried...? No...? Well now is your chance to try. There will be a prize for the person who can roll their egg the furthest. Only hard boiled eggs can enter!!



Please join us after  
the service for a cup of  
tea or coffee and a chat!



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