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2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER

7th April 2024

HYMNS

Introit	241
Gradual	814
Offertory	8
Communion	475 + George's Young Singers
Recessional	299



COLLECT

Risen Christ, for whom no door is locked, no entrance barred:
open the doors of our hearts,
that we may seek the good of others
and walk the joyful road of sacrifice
and peace,
to the praise of God the Father.

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

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.

FOR OUR PRAYERS: Fintan, Ian, Molly, Benjamin, Brian, Ben

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED: Brenda

IN REMEMBRANCE: Clarissa Alinyoh, Margaret Marsh, Roy Ward, Richard Marsh

APCM REPORTS

Apologies, it really *is* that time of year already! Reports **are due TODAY**. Email them directly to the parish office on the usual address or please give printed / written reports to Richard. Thanks!



CHRIST CHURCH CHAPEL ECUMENICAL SERVICES

We will resume our Thursday evening services at Christ Church Chapel, South Road SE23 2UJ, on **Thursday 11 April**. These are quiet, contemplative services and are open to everyone so please do join us.



APCM

The **APCM** will be held at **St Michael & All Angels** on **Tuesday 30 April** at 19:30. Please come if you can.

ELECTORAL ROLL REVISION

In preparation for this year's APCM, we are revising the electoral roll. If you're not on it and would like to be, please pick up a form in the foyer. If your details have changed at all, please let us know.



FILM FOR THOUGHT

Just a reminder that our next meeting in **Monday 29 April**. The film we will be discussing is 'The Scarlet and the Black', available on Amazon or on YouTube: <https://shorturl.at/cewV6>



KNIT & NATTER

The next meeting will be **Tuesday 9 April** - come with any craft work or none but please do bring your nattering skills!



ST GEORGE'S DAY PATRONAL FESTIVAL Bring & Share Lunch

We'll be celebrating on **Sunday 21 April** with a Bring & Share lunch! Please sign the list if you're coming and let us know what you'll be bringing.

ST CHRISTOPHER'S FUN WALK

Don't forget, Susie and Mo are taking part in St Christopher's Hospice fundraising '**Fun Walk**' on **Sunday 12 May**. If you can sponsor them, that would be great! Please speak to them asap and get your name on their list.



BOOK STALL

Good morning readers. After the service, you can browse through our book selection in the foyer. Paperbacks 50p Hardbacks £1. If anyone fancies giving a hand occasionally you would be more than welcome. Happy reading, Pat and Judy.



EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday 8 April

Church: 19:00 - Meditation group

Tuesday 9 April

Church: 09:30- Morning prayer

Church: 10:30 - Ecumenical service

Church: 11:00 - **Knit & Natter**

Wednesday 10 April

Studio: 19:30-20:30 - Yoga class

Thursday 11 April

Chapel 18:30 - Ecumenical service

Saturday 13 April

Church: 09:30 - Morning Prayer

Studio: 11:00-12:00 - Yoga class

Sunday 14 April

Church: 10:00 - Eucharist

Studio: 14:00 - 17:00 - Outside group

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday 21 April

Church: 10:00 - **Parochial festival**

Tuesday 23 April

Church: 11:00 - **Knit & Natter**

Wednesday 24 April

Church: 13:00 - **Lunch Club**

Monday 29 April

Church: 19:30 - **Film for Thought**

Tuesday 30 April

St Michael's: 19:30 - **APCM**

Wednesday 29 May

Church: 13:00 - **Lunch Club**

NT: Acts 4: 32—35

³² Now the whole group of those who believed were of one heart and soul, and no one claimed private ownership of any possessions, but everything they owned was held in common. ³³ With great power the apostles gave their testimony to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and great grace was upon them all. ³⁴ There was not a needy person among them, for as many as owned lands or houses sold them and brought the proceeds of what was sold. ³⁵ They laid it at the apostles' feet, and it was distributed to each as any had need.



GOSPEL: John 20: 19—end

¹⁹ When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' ²⁰ After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. ²¹ Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.' ²² When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³ If you forgive the sins of any, they are

forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

²⁴ But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵ So the other disciples told him, 'We have seen the Lord.' But he said to them, 'Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.'

²⁶ A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' ²⁷ Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.' ²⁸ Thomas answered him, 'My Lord and my God!' ²⁹ Jesus said to him, 'Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.'

³⁰ Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. ³¹ But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.