

PARISH CHURCH OF SAINT MARY, PULBOROUGH



# EASTER DAY

17<sup>th</sup> April, 2022

**10. 30am THE PARISH EUCHARIST**

*The leaflets today have been generously sponsored.*

**On his birthday today we give thanks for the ministry here of the late Revd Basil Maltin (Rector from 1971 to 1990) who occupies a special place in our hearts, particularly this April.**

**Arthur & Maureen Varndell**

# **Welcome to our Parish Eucharist on Easter Sunday the day of Resurrection**

Celebrant and Preacher: Fr. Paul  
Organist: Tony Hancock  
The Readings: The Churchwardens  
The Intercessions: Toni Hayes  
The Setting: Thorne

***From today communion will be administered in both kinds. Receiving consecrated wine directly from the chalice is offered for those who feel comfortable to do this. Please do not dip the consecrate wafer into the chalice.***

*Please wait to be directed to communion.*

*If you feel able to make a donation during the offertory hymn and you are a UK taxpayer, please use and complete the details on the Gift Aid white envelope you will find in your service leaflet. Thank you.*

***In the event of a fire or emergency in the Church, the exits available are: the West Door, the North Door, the South Door in the Chancel and the door through the Vestry. Please leave the building by an exist nearest to you.***

*Do join us for refreshments after the service*

*Introductory organ music: "Easter Chorale" Healey Willan.*

***Please stand when the bell is rung***

## The Gathering

### The Entrance Hymn: NEH 110

Verse 1 'Surrexit hodie' (14th Century) translated anon. as in Lyra Davidica (1708); verses 2-3 from J. Arnold's 'Compleat Psalmodist' (1749)

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|---|---|--|
| 1 | Jesus Christ is risen to-day,<br>Our triumphant holy day,<br>Who did once, upon the cross,<br>Suffer to redeem our loss,                | Alleluya!<br>Alleluya!<br>Alleluya!<br>Alleluya! |
| 2 | Hymns of praise then let us sing,<br>Unto Christ, our heavenly King,<br>Who endured the cross and grave,<br>Sinners to redeem and save, | Alleluya!<br>Alleluya!<br>Alleluya!<br>Alleluya! |
| 3 | But the pains that he endured,<br>Our salvation have procured;<br>Now above the sky he's King,<br>Where the angels ever sing,           | Alleluya!<br>Alleluya!<br>Alleluya!<br>Alleluya! |

✠ In the name of the Father, and  
of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

## The Greeting

The Lord be with you  
**and also with you.**

Alleluia, Christ is risen  
**He is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

*Fr. Paul introduces the day's celebration and invites people  
to make an act of penitence*

## The Prayers of Penitence

Lord Jesus, you raise us to new life:  
Lord have mercy  
**Lord have mercy.**

Lord Jesus, you forgive us our sins:  
Christ have mercy  
**Christ have mercy**

Lord Jesus, you feed us with your body and blood:  
Lord have mercy  
**Lord have mercy**

May Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins,  
and bring us to everlasting life. **Amen**

## The Thorne Gloria

**Glory to God, Glory to God, glory to God in the Highest.  
Glory to God in the Highest, and  
peace to his people on earth.  
Lord God, Heav'nly King,  
Almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.**

**Glory to God, Glory to God, glory to God in the Highest.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away  
the sin of the world; have mercy on us;  
You are seated at the right hand of the  
Father: receive our prayer.**

**Glory to God, Glory to God, glory to God, in the Highest.  
For you alone are the Holy one,  
You alone are the Lord,  
You alone are the most high,  
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the  
Glory of God the Father.  
Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to God in the Highest**

### **The Collect for the Day**

Lord of all life and power, who through the mighty resurrection of your Son overcame the old order of sin and death to make all things new in him:  
grant that we, being dead to sin and alive to you in Jesus Christ, may reign with him in glory;  
to whom with you and the Holy Spirit be praise and honour, glory and might, now and in all eternity. **Amen**

## **THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**

***Please sit***

### **The First Reading: Acts 10: 34-43**

Peter began to speak to those assembled in the house of Cornelius. 'I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ – he is Lord of all.

That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about

doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him.

We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead.

He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.'

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

*Please remain seated*

**The Gradual Hymn: NEH 119 (Tune 107)**

*Finita jam sunt proelia*

**Symphonia Sirenum Selectarum (1695 Cologne), Francis Pott  
(1832-1909)**

- 1     **The strife is o'er, the battle done;  
now is the Victor's triumph won;  
O let the song of praise be sung;                   Alleluya!**
  
- 2     **Death's mightiest powers have done their worst,  
and Jesus hath his foes dispersed;  
let shouts of praise and joy outburst:           Alleluya!**



## The Gospel Reading: John 20. 1-18

**Deacon Paddy says:**

The Lord be with you

**And also with you**

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.' Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went towards the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in.

Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples returned to their homes.

But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping?' She said to them, 'They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.' When she had said this, she turned round and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping? For whom are you looking?' Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, 'Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have

laid him, and I will take him away.’ Jesus said to her, ‘Mary!’ She turned and said to him in Hebrew, ‘Rabbouni!’ (which means Teacher).

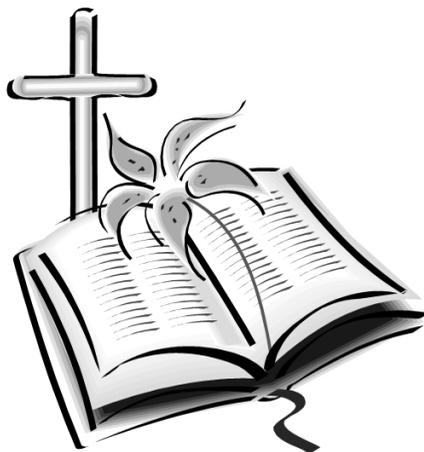
Jesus said to her, ‘Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, “I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.”’ Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, ‘I have seen the Lord’; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

*.After the Gospel reading:-*

***Deacon Paddy says:***

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**



*Please sit*

**The Homily**

*Please stand*

**We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is,  
seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the only son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation he came  
down from heaven, was incarnate from  
the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and was made man.  
For our sake he was crucified under  
Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and Son is worshipped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of  
sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen**

## The Prayers of Intercession

*Please kneel or sit*

**We pray** for the peoples of Ukraine in their struggle against the invasion of their country. Pray for a swift diplomatic solution to this on-going crisis.

**We pray** for the work of Education West Africa, the people of Sierra Leone and the work of the Church there, also we continue to pray for the work of FSW across the Diocese.

**We especially pray for** those working and living in our local Care Homes: Hillside Lodge, The Anchorage, Petworth Cottage Nursing Home, Rotherlea and Barlavington Manor

**Those who are in particular need of healing:**  
*John-Allyn Fincher Zoe O'Brien and Fr John Gayford*

**Those who are in need of continued prayer:**  
*Arthur Varndell and Elizabeth Perry-Nash,*

**Pray to rest in peace:** *Gerald Johnson, Richard Greenfield, Phyllis Harlock and Betty Miller*

**Anniversary of death:** *Ann Frey, Doris Hunter and Nora Spain*

**Together with the other churches in the Village**  
*Broomers Hill Lane, Mare Hill Road, West Mare Lane, Kings Lane and Batts Lane*

*The Intercessions conclude with the following*

Merciful Father,  
**accept these prayers for the sake of your  
Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen**



*Please stand*

## THE LITURGY OF THE SACRAMENT

### The Peace

*Fr. Paul introduces the Peace:*

The risen Christ came and stood among his disciples and said, 'Peace be with you.'

Then were they glad when they saw the Lord. Alleluia.

The peace of the Lord be always with you  
**and also with you.**

***Deacon Paddy says:***

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

*At this point in the service a collection will be taken for the running of St. Mary's Church. Please only use a white Gift-Aid envelope if you are a tax payer and fill in the details on the front of the envelope. Thank you*

The Offertory Hymn: O&N 603

Michael Baughen (born 1930) based on Psalm 98

- 1 **Sing to God new songs of worship-  
all his deeds are marvellous;  
he has brought salvation to us  
with his hand and holy arm.  
He has shown to all the nations  
righteousness and saving pow'r;  
he recalled his truth and mercy  
to his people Israel.**

**2 Sing to God new songs of worship-  
earth has seen his victory;  
let the lands of earth be joyful  
praising him with thankfulness.  
Sound upon the harp his praises,  
play to him with melody;  
let the trumpets sound his triumph,  
show your joy to God the King!**

**3 Sing to God new songs of worship-  
let the sea now make a noise;  
all on earth and in the waters,  
sound your praises to the Lord.  
Let the hills rejoice together,  
let the rivers clap their hands,  
for with righteousness and justice  
he will come to judge the earth.**

Pray brothers and sisters that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

**May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands, for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his holy Church.**

*The Prayer over the Gifts is said*

Creator of all,  
you wash away our sins,  
you give us new birth by the Spirit,  
and redeem us in the blood of Christ.  
As we celebrate the resurrection,  
renew your gift of life within us.  
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the risen Lord.

## The Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord be with you  
**and also with you.**

Lift up your hearts  
**We lift them to the Lord**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God  
**It is right to give thanks and praise**

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,  
always and everywhere to give you thanks,  
almighty and eternal Father, and in these days of Easter  
to celebrate with joyful hearts  
the memory of your wonderful works.  
For by the mystery of his passion  
Jesus Christ, your risen Son,  
has conquered the powers of death and hell  
and restored in men and women the image of your glory.  
He has placed them once more in paradise  
and opened to them the gate of life eternal.  
And so, in the joy of this Passover,  
earth and heaven resound with gladness,  
while angels and archangels and the powers of all creation  
sing for ever the hymn of your glory.

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes  
in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

*Fr. Paul continues until the following is used:*

Great is the mystery of faith,  
**Christ has died**  
**Christ is risen**  
**Christ will come again.**

*Fr. Paul continues and leads into the conclusion of the prayer to which all respond: Amen*

*Please kneel or sit*

## The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name;  
thy kingdom come; thy will be done;  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation;  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

**Отче наш, що єси на небесах,  
Нехай святиться Ім'я Твоє.  
Хай прийде Царство Твоє,  
нехай буде воля Твоя  
Як на небі, так і на землі  
Хліб наш насущний дай нам сьогодні.  
І прости нам провини наші,  
як і ми прощаємо винуватцям нашим.  
І не введи нас у спокусу,  
але визволи нас від лукавого.  
Бо Твоє є Царство, і сила, і слава  
навіки.  
Амінь**

## The Breaking of Bread

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ  
**Though we are many, we are one body,  
because we all share in one bread.**

## The Giving of Communion

*Fr. Paul issues the invitation to communion in these or very similar words:*

Jesus is the Lamb of God  
who takes away the sin of the world.  
Blessed are those who are called to his supper.  
**Lord, I am not worthy to receive you,  
but only say the word, and I shall be healed.**

*(All baptized Christians who receive communion in their own churches are welcome to receive communion.*

*Any member of the congregation may come to receive a blessing;  
if you come forward for a blessing, please keep your head bowed)*

*Choir Anthem: Awake thou wintery earth-JS Bach*

## The Communion Hymn: In Christ alone Stuart Townend (born 1963) and Keith Getty (born 1974)

1 **In Christ alone my hope is found,  
He is my light, my strength, my song;  
this Cornerstone, this solid Ground,  
firm through the fiercest drought and storm.  
What heights of love, what depths of peace,  
when fears are stilled, when strivings cease!  
My Comforter, my All in All,  
here in the love of Christ I stand.**

- 2** In Christ alone! - who took on flesh,  
fullness of God in helpless babe!  
This gift of love and righteousness,  
scorned by the ones He came to save:  
Till on that cross as Jesus died,  
the wrath of God was satisfied -  
for every sin on Him was laid;  
here in the death of Christ I live.
- 3** There in the ground His body lay,  
light of the world by darkness slain:  
Then bursting forth in glorious Day  
up from the grave He rose again!  
And as He stands in victory,  
sin's curse has lost its grip on me,  
for I am His and He is mine -  
bought with the precious blood of Christ.
- 4** No guilt in life, no fear in death,  
this is the power of Christ in me;  
from life's first cry to final breath,  
Jesus commands my destiny.  
No power of hell, no scheme of man,  
can ever pluck me from His hand;  
till He returns or calls me home,  
here in the power of Christ I'll stand!

*Please kneel or sit*

### **The Prayer after Communion**

God of Life, who for our redemption gave your only-begotten Son  
to the death of the cross, and by his glorious resurrection  
have delivered us from the power of our enemy:  
grant us so to die daily to sin,  
that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his risen life;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

*The following prayer is then said by all:*

**Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us  
with the body and blood of your Son  
Jesus Christ.  
Through him we offer you our souls and  
bodies to be a living sacrifice.  
Send us out in the power of your Spirit  
to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen**

*Notices will now be given out*

### **The Blessing**

The Lord be with you.  
and also with you.

### **The Dismissal**

***Deacon Paddy says:***  
Go in the peace of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia  
**Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia**

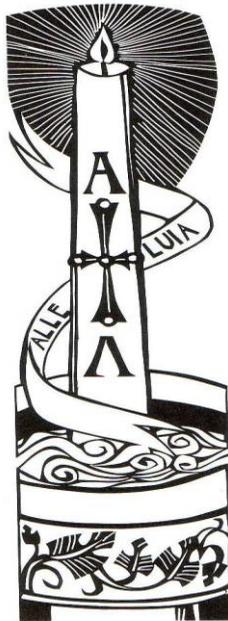
### **The Recessional Hymn: NEH 120**

**Edmund L Budry (1854-1932), translated by Richard B Hoyle  
(1875-1939)**

- 1** Thine be the glory, risen conquering Son;  
endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won.  
Angels in bright raiment rolled the stone away,  
kept the folded grave-clothes where thy body lay.  
***Thine be the glory, risen conquering Son:  
Endless is the vict'ry, thou o'er death hast won.***
  
- 2** Lo! Jesus meets us, risen from the tomb;  
lovingly he greets us, scatters fear and gloom.  
Let his Church with gladness, hymns of triumph sing;  
for her Lord now liveth, death hath lost its sting.  
***Refrain***

- 3 **No more we doubt thee, glorious Prince of Life!  
Life is nought without thee; aid us in our strife;  
make us more than conquerors, through thy  
deathless love:  
Bring us safe through Jordan to thy home above.  
*Thine be the glory, risen conquering Son:  
Endless is the vict'ry, thou o'er death hast won.***

**Concluding Organ Music:** – “Radetsky March” Johann Strauss.  
*‘Talent’ request for Mavis Coope*



## **Church and Liturgical Diary**

**18<sup>th</sup> : Monday of Easter Week**

**19<sup>th</sup> : Tuesday of Easter Week**

9.30am Morning Prayer

**20<sup>th</sup> : Wednesday of Easter Week**

9.45am Morning Prayer

**10.15 am The Holy Eucharist**

2pm Easter service at Hillside Lodge

**21<sup>st</sup> : Thursday of Easter Week**

9.30am Morning Prayer

11am Funeral of Gerald Johnson R.I.P. followed by burial

1pm Christine Thomas R.I.P. Burial of Ashes

3pm Funeral of Richard Greenfield R.I.P. followed by burial

**22<sup>nd</sup>: Friday of Easter Week**

9.30am Morning Prayer

**12noon The Holy Eucharist**

**23<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of Easter Week**

**24<sup>th</sup> THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**8am The Holy Eucharist – Said**

**10.30am THE PARISH EUCHARIST**

Readings: Acts 5. 27-32 and John 20. 19-end

## **LENTEN TALENT INITIATIVE**

Thank you to all those of you who took on the 'Lent Talent Initiative' on the first Sunday of Lent and in response to Fr Paul's Lenten Letter. We did ask for 'talent returns' today, **Easter Sunday** but do realize some talent money will be delayed in returning due to the nature of the 'talent'.

Church bank details:  
PCC of PULBOROUGH,  
Sort code 60-16-27  
Account No: 96006293

## **THE ELECTORAL ROLL**

The revised electoral roll has now been published and is available for review for the next 14 days at the back of the church. No names may now be added or removed from the roll until the conclusion of the Annual Parochial Church Meeting on May 1st 2022. If there are any omissions or errors please contact **Toni Hayes 01798 873683**.

## **THE ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING (ACM's)**

**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> May at 11. 45am in church.** At these meetings there will be the election of two churchwardens and members to the Parochial Church Council. Relevant application forms for churchwardens and PCC members are available at the back of the church. If you are unable to attend the meeting please add your name to the list at the back of church. There are also copies of the **The financial report and annual booklet of the work of the church in 2021 are now available.** Do take copies as you leave today. Thank you

## **FAMILY SUPPORT WORK (FSW)**

Next time you are going shopping do think of FSW who would be very pleased to receive toiletries at the moment. Handwash, soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, toilet rolls etc., items can be left in church or please call **Alyson Heath on 01798 873795**

## **LEAFLET SPONSORS NEEDED IN 2022**

What a wonderful response we are having! Thank you so much. We ask for a £25 donation, gift-aided, if possible. If you have any special dates coming up in 2022 to mark an anniversary or in remembrance of a loved one, please consider sponsoring the pew leaflets. **Sunday: 15<sup>th</sup> May,**

**Sunday: 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> or 31<sup>st</sup> July**

**Sunday: 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> or 28<sup>th</sup> August**

**Sunday: 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> or 18<sup>th</sup> September**

Details from **Ann Kaiser 01798 872819**

## **DATE FOR YOUR DIARY.....**

**SINGING FOR PLEASURE with Michael Pioli**

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> April at 2pm-3.30pm in Church**

**£5 donation which goes to our '800 Appeal'.**

No choir, no audition, just a joy of singing songs from the decades.

Look forward to seeing you!

## **PULBOROUGH VILLAGE MARKET – The April Market is this**

**Saturday from 9am to 12noon in Pulborough Village Hall**

Local produce, local crafts, the famous market café, Macmillan

Cancer Care stall, members of the Parish council to answer

questions. A very friendly local morning out, hope to see you there!



### **Prayer of St. Richard of Chichester**

**Thanks be to thee, my Lord Jesus Christ,  
for all the benefits thou hast given me,  
for all the pains and insults thou hast borne for me.  
O most merciful redeemer, friend and brother,  
may I know thee more clearly,  
love thee more dearly,  
and follow thee more nearly, day by day.  
Amen.**

