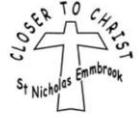


Pews News

St Paul's Church, Wokingham
St Nicholas' Church, Emmbrook



29 March 2026: Palm Sunday

9.15am	Procession of Palms from St Paul's Junior School		
9.30am	St Paul's	Parish Mass	Fr Sam
11am	St Paul's	Community Eucharist	Rev'd Judi Hattaway
6.15pm	St Paul's	Passiontide service	Fr Sam

Please note that most acts of worship at St Paul's are live streamed. Although cameras are focused on those leading worship, please be aware that your image may be captured and streamed. If you would like further information, please ask the sidespeople as you arrive.

Notices

- 🔔 **Easter Activities for under 11's** will be happening on Good Friday (3 April) in the Parish Rooms from 10am to 12 noon.
- 🔔 **Coffee and Chat** is cancelled on Good Friday.
- 🔔 **Electoral Roll** Today is the last chance to pick up an application form to join the Electoral Roll. If you have any questions, please speak to me, Fr Sam or a Churchwarden. *Teri Austen*
- 🔔 **Easter Sunday Breakfast** 5 April 7.30-9.30am. Donations to our 3 charities. Please sign up at church or contact Trish trishgatland@hotmail.co.uk or Alan al_harrison@hotmail.co.uk if you plan to come. Help is needed to set up the tables at 5.30pm the previous evening.
- 🔔 **Easter lilies** Anyone who wishes to purchase an Easter Lily in memory of a loved one should speak to Sue Davenport today. The cost is £3 per lily.
- 🔔 **Calling all gardeners** Don't forget to sew a few extra seeds/ take a few cuttings for the plant stall at the Christian Aid Coffee Morning on 16 May.
- 🔔 **Big Clean** Holy Saturday (4 April) is the day when we clean the church and replace all the items which were stripped on Maundy Thursday after the service. If you can come along and help, even for a short time on that day, I would be very grateful. Refreshments of hot cross buns, tea and coffee will be provided. Any time from 10am. *Teri Austen*

9.30am Parish Mass

Opening hymn

647 All glory, laud and honour

Collect

Almighty and everlasting God, who in your tender love towards the human race sent your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ to take upon him our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross: grant that we may follow the example of his patience and humility, and also be made partakers of his resurrection; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

First reading

Philippians 2.5-11

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

Gospel

Matthew 27.1-54

The Passion according to St Matthew

Offertory hymn

121 My song is love unknown

Communion hymn

120 Morning glory, starlit sky

Anthem

Ride on, ride on in majesty! - Ives

Post-communion prayer

Lord Jesus Christ, you humbled yourself in taking the form of a servant, and in obedience died on the cross for our salvation: give us the mind to follow you and to proclaim you as Lord and King, to the glory of God the Father.

Final hymn

108 The royal banners forward go

Voluntary

Choral fugue on 'Hosanna filio David' - Demessieux

For our prayers

In need of our prayers Jeff, Anne Kingston, Chris Townsend, Peter Ansell, Graham and Pat Reed, Una Standen, Tatiana, Adrian Talbot, Christine Havercan, Colin Lewis, Liz Pennell, Matthew Hay, John and Jenny Ellerbeck, Kinny Dowling, Chloe Zarb, Jo Gulliford, David Baldock, Christopher Mc Kinley

Recently departed Lawrence Simmonds, Heather Mills, Lynda Occardi

Year's Mind (29th) Susan Herbert; (30th) June Vogel; (31st) Edward Davies, Frederick Edwards; (1st) Mary Smith, Arthur Claydon, Kathleen Douthwaite, Irene Dowland, John Slow; (2nd) Geraldine Townsend, Jean and Brian Saunders; (3rd) Spencer Moxon, David Koh; (4th) Diane Harrison, Edna Priest

This week

Monday	8.30am	Zoom	Morning Prayer
	5.15pm	St Paul's	Evening Prayer
	8pm	St Paul's	Mass
Tuesday	9am	St Paul's	Morning Prayer
	5.15pm	St Paul's	Evening Prayer
	8pm	St Paul's	Mass
Wednesday	8.30am	Zoom	Morning Prayer
	10.30am	17 Martins Drive	Morning Worship & Prayer
	8pm	Woosehill	Evening Prayer
Thursday	8.30am	Zoom	Morning Prayer
	5.15pm	St Paul's	Evening Prayer
	7.45pm	St Paul's	Organ Meditation
	8pm	St Paul's	Mass of the Lord's Supper
Friday	9am	St Paul's	Morning Prayer
	2pm	St Paul's	Liturgy of Good Friday
Saturday	8pm	St Paul's	Easter Vigil

Morning Prayer on Zoom uses Meeting ID 967 8096 6787 Passcode 967885

5 April: Easter Day

6am	St Paul's	First Mass of Easter	Fr Sam
8am	St Paul's	BCP Mass	Fr Sam
9.30am	St Paul's	All Together Mass <i>Acts 10.34-43, John 20.1-18</i>	Fr Sam
11am	St Nick's	Easter Eucharist	Rev'd Judi Hattaway

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Gift Aid

Gift Aid envelopes are available in each pew for visitors. If you're a UK tax payer we can reclaim the tax on the amount you donate, but please remember to fill in your name and address on the envelope. Our QR code can be used for making donations, with the option of Gift Aid.

