

PARISH CHURCH OF ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST

COMING TO FAITH, GROWING IN FAITH

WELCOME TO TODAY'S WORSHIP

SUNDAY 26TH MARCH 2017

MOTHERING SUNDAY/FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Thank you for coming to church today, for choosing to worship God.
You are most welcome in St. John's Church today. We'd like to introduce ourselves so please say hello if you are visiting or new to the area. Refreshments are available after the service.



READINGS

Today

Exodus Ch. 2 VV. 1 – 10.

Colossians Ch. 3 VV. 12 – 17.

Luke Ch. 2 VV. 33 – 35.

Next Week

Vicar

Team Rector

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Rev. David Williams

Mrs Pat Rushmere

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COLLECT

*God of compassion,
whose Son Jesus Christ, the child of Mary,
shared the life of a home in Nazareth,
and on the cross drew the whole human family to himself:
strengthen us in our daily living
that in joy and in sorrow
we may know the power of your presence
to bind together and to heal;
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.
Amen*

PRAYER NOTES

- † The sick of this parish and those people known to us who need His grace: Irene Foord, Mary Mines and Jean Gabbitas.
- † Justice, mercy and grace for migrants. Safety for Christians and peoples of all faiths in danger.
- † Resolution for the peoples of the Ukraine, Israel, Palestine, Nigeria, and peace in Gaza and Turkey.
- † Peace, healing and mercy for the people of Syria.
- † Our mission and ministry in the community.
- † Thanks for our church community and our shared faith.
- † May communities of all faiths bring understanding that you call for love and peace, never hatred.
- † Comfort for the victims of the Westminster attack and their loved ones.
- † Thanks for all who bring music to our church and their inspiration.

WORSHIP IN ST JOHN'S CHURCH

TODAY

8:00 am Said communion using BCP

10:00 am Sung communion with **Junior Church**

TUESDAY

9:30 am Said communion

Diary Dates

Date, time	Event	Venue
Tuesdays 7:30 pm: 28 March, 4 April	Lent course	Colin and Pat's house
Thurs 30 March, 12:30	Lent Lunch for Christian Aid (please sign up)	Rev. Tony and Pat Bundock to host at the Vicarage

Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM)

Sunday 23rd April

Everyone is encouraged to come and participate

Our annual APCM and Parishioners Meeting will be held after the 10 am service.

Link with St Mary's Kuruman

All those who have an interest in participating in forging the link, please let Rev. Tony or Pat Rushmere know. There are many ways to get involved with as much or as little commitment that you can offer.



Bucks Historic Churches Trust Spring Concert

Friday 31st March at St Mary's at 7.30pm.

Tickets £12 (£6 for U16's) to include a glass of wine.

Featuring the Trad Jazz Band and Big Band from Royal Grammar School, Marina Abel Smith and the Reid Sisters, and others. Tickets available from PR Cookshop and the Church office. Or contact Di Home on 01494 488268.