



Lillington Parish Church

St Mary Magdalene's

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Sunday 21st April 2024

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Easter 4

Saturday 20th April

6.00pm Film Night - "Hidden Figures" (church)

Sunday 21st April

9.30am Holy Communion (church & online)
11.15am Star Church (church)

Tuesday 23rd April

2.00pm Yarn Café (Octagon)
7.30pm Bell Ringing (church)

Wednesday 24th April

10.00am Holy Communion (church & online)

Thursday 25th April

10.30am Octotots (Octagon)

Sunday 28th April

9.30am Holy Communion (church & online)
11.15am Star Church (church)
6.30pm Youth Group (Octagon)

Hymns

1. All hail the power of Jesus' name 14
2. There is a redeemer 743
3. The King of love my shepherd is 715
4. I will sing the wondrous story 340



9.30am Service

Lesson Reader: Graham Cooper
Leader: William

Intercessor: Len Dixon
Preacher: Roderick

11.15am Service

Lesson Reader: Tricia Smith
Leader: William

Intercessor: Diana Taulbut
Speaker: Cerys

Bible Readings: Acts 4:5-12

John 10:11-18

OFFERTORY - We do not take any collection during the service but if you would like to donate, you can scan here on your **smartphone**. Alternatively, you can use the card reader by the welcome table. Thank you for all you are able to give.



Collect

Risen Christ, faithful shepherd of your Father's sheep: teach us to hear your voice and follow your command, that all your people may be gathered in one flock, to the glory of God the Father.

Prayers for the sick

Mike Hyslop
Anne Smith

Karma Aston

Lyn Wilne

Elizabeth Moses

The Departed

John Hostler

NOTICES



Food Bank – All donations welcome. There is a current shortage of: long life milk and fruit juice.

Special Notice – The common cup

We are now giving communion with bread and the common cup. The Church of England has decided that dipping of the wafer in the wine by individuals is potentially unhygienic. If you wish simply to receive the bread only, this is still full communion.



NOTICES FOR APRIL



Bluebell Walk - Saturday 27th April. Meet at Ryton Pools at 10.30am. For more information contact Pat Poulson 07919 518174.

Faiths Trail - An informative and enjoyable Faiths Trail visiting places in Warwick and Coventry. Please see posters for details.

SUNFLOWER INITIATIVE

Seed Planting - Sunday 21st April

If you are taking part in this initiative, we are planting the seeds now, so that they can grow into seedlings before being planting out.

Do please take pots provided and be part of the fun.

Planting out the Seedlings – 1st June

Once the seedlings are strong, there will be a big plant out around the church on Saturday 1st June.



COMING UP



Bell Sunday

Sunday 12th May. Bell Sunday is a new initiative that we are joining in with to celebrate this ancient and wonderful part of our life together. There will be special hymns, readings and reflections. At the 11.15am service there will be an opportunity to get hands on, with a chance to chime a bell and even visit the ringing chamber. More details to follow.

Talent Auction

Saturday 18th May - The idea is that people contribute their time, their expertise or an offering of some sort and this is auctioned to the highest bidder. Money raised will go towards the chair appeal. There is a sheet in church for people to sign up with contributions.

Our Sunday 9.30am and Wednesday 10am services are live streamed. If you wish to find out more, please speak to a member of the Welcome team.

DIOCESAN COURSES

This term's programme aims mainly to help us understand ourselves. **The Difference Course** looks at how we relate to people different from us - there are two sessions online via *Zoom* and four others to follow online at any time in the week.

For the whole programme, follow this

link: <https://www.equiphub.org.uk/courses-events-and-resources/difference-2024/> . Roderick Clark [422994;

reclark@btinternet.com] would like to hear if you're interested - but maybe have questions.

Members of the newly elected Parochial Church Council

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| William Smith | (Chair) | Robin Innes |
| Sally Druce | (Church Warden) | Pippa Pritchard |
| Sarah Boad | (Church Warden) | Diana Taulbut |
| Niel Strydom | (PCC Secretary) | Jeff Williams |
| Ian Jamie | (Treasurer) | Ellie Hucklesby |
| Rachel Duff | (Deanery Synod) | Lucy Dean |
| Ali Simcock | (Deanery Synod) | |
| Cerys Smith | (Ex-Officio) | |
| Sue Fairhurst | (Ex-Officio) | |
| Rosemary Pantling | (Ex- Officio) | |
| Christine Butler | | |
| John Butler | | |
| Graham Cooper | | |

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