

Please send any notices, news or events for the Pew Sheet by noon on Wednesday, thank you.

The Parish of St Mary, Richmond with St Michael & All Angels, Hudswell

Sunday 10th April 2022, Palm Sunday

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All are welcome at St. Mary's Church

You are welcome to attend services in person, online or by dialling in. Please see the website for details of the precautions we are taking to keep St Mary's Covid-safe, and of how to access services online. The church is open daily for private prayer, 9am–dusk. All are welcome to join us **Monday-Friday at 8:30am for Morning Prayer**

Sunday 10th April (Palm Sunday)

8.00am Holy Communion
10.00am Parish Communion
Readings: Isaiah 50:4-9, Phil. 2:9-16, Palm Sunday dramatic reading
6.30pm 'The Crucifixion' by John Stainer

Holy Week

<u>Holy Monday 11th April</u>	7pm	Reflection and Compline
<u>Holy Tuesday 12th April</u>	7pm	Reflection and Compline
<u>Holy Wednesday 13th April</u>	9.15am	Holy Communion
	7pm	Reflection and Compline
<u>Maundy Thursday 14th April</u>	10.30am	Holy Communion Trinity Chapel
	7pm	Eucharist of the Last Supper (followed by a Watch of Prayer)
<u>Good Friday 15th April</u>	10am	Walk of Witness (from the Catholic church)
	12noon	Three Hours service
<u>Easter Eve 16th April</u>	8pm	Easter Liturgy

Easter Day 17th April

8.00am Holy Communion
10.00am Parish Communion
Readings: Acts 10: 34-43, 1 Corinthians 15: 19-26, John 20: 1-18

PRAYER REQUESTS

Within your daily prayers please remember:

those in **special need of prayer**

Cecilia, Ruth, Christine, Tate Bowles

those in need of **ongoing prayer**

Jean Coulthard, Janet Emmerson, Margaret Emmerson,
Olive Harrison, Don Hornsby, Graham Merlane, Doreen Sayers,
Hilary, Molly
and the patients and staff at the Friary Hospital

those who mourn as **we give thanks** for the life of

Len Brown

and those whose **anniversary** falls at this time

15th April Annie Guy

Book of Remembrance If you would like the name of a loved one to be entered in this book, please contact the Parish Administrator, Colin Hicks. There is no fee for this.

All are warmly welcome to the **Prayer Meeting** each Sunday at 5pm on Zoom. Please contact Anna on 07753 884572 for more details.

The April Charity of the Month is Refugee Action

Refugee Action helps people who have survived some of the world's worst regimes. Refugee Action helps get them the basic support they need to live again with dignity. The charity helps them build safe, happy and productive lives in the UK. Refugee Action states 'Our vision is that refugees and people seeking asylum will be welcome in the UK. They will get justice, live free of poverty and be able to successfully rebuild their lives'. This is a particularly relevant charity at this time.

Church decoration for Easter

Some of us will be in church on Saturday 16 April to decorate the church for Easter. If you would like to join us, you would be most welcome. We shall be here from 10am and look forward to seeing you. Thank you, Judith Clarke 826793.

Tonight at 6.30pm: 'The Crucifixion' by John Stainer (1840-1901)

Stainer was one of the most distinguished musicians of his generation. In 1872 he was appointed organist of St Paul's Cathedral, where he raised performance standards and greatly expanded the repertoire. He was regarded as one of the foremost composers of cathedral music, and was closely involved with the compilation of 'Hymns Ancient & Modern'. As is often the case, most of this is long forgotten, and today Stainer is remembered simply for The Crucifixion and a few rather fine anthems and hymn-tunes.

The Crucifixion is scored for soloists, mixed choir and organ. It was dedicated to Stainer's pupil and friend William Hodge, assistant sub-organist at St Paul's Cathedral and organist and choirmaster at Marylebone Parish Church, where the cantata was first performed in February 1887. In composing The Crucifixion, Stainer's intention was to provide a Passiontide cantata written in a musical language and on a scale that would put it within the scope of most parish choirs. The Revd William Sparrow-Simpson, Succentor and Librarian of St Paul's, compiled the libretto, drawing on the Gospel accounts for the narrative elements of the story and writing the texts of the choruses, arias and hymns himself. The Crucifixion will be directed by Chris Denton and the Organist is Andrew Christer, organist of St. Cuthbert's Darlington

Church Electoral Roll

The Electoral Roll is revised and updated each year in advance of the APCM to be held on 8th May. At the back of the church is a copy of the current Electoral Roll (names only). Please check that you are included and if you wish to join, please fill in the form at the back of the church and leave in the box or give to a member of church staff.

Confirmation Service at St Mary's, Wednesday 6th July at 6:30pm

If you would like to be Confirmed by Bishop Helen-Ann we will be commencing preparation courses after Easter. For further details please speak to Martin or Paul.

An evening of folk music with members of 'The Dalesfolk'

Friday 29th April at 7.30pm in Richmond Methodist Church Hall. Free admission, but donations will be invited for the Methodist Church and St. Mary's. Refreshments included. Tony and Freda Dykes.