Welcome to our services today. If you are a visitor and usually take communion in your own church, we hope you will share the sacrament with us. If you are not a communicant, please still come to the altar, but carry a book, and you will receive a blessing. Do join us for Fairtrade refreshments in Church House after the 8.00 am and 9.00 am services and at the back of church after the 10.45 am service.

A crèche is available in the North Room during the 10.45 am service. All children attending the 10.45 am service are welcome to meet in school year groups during term time as follows:

- **Bubbles** – Pre-school & Reception: North Room
- **JC Club** – Years 1 - 8: Church House

Please take this sheet home with you as a reminder of events in the coming week which you might want to join in with, or pray over.

**COLLECTS FOR TODAY’S SERVICES**

**Collect:**

Almighty Father,
you have given your only Son to die for our sins
and to rise again for our justification:
grant us so to put away the leaven of malice and wickedness
that we may always serve you
in purity of living and truth;
through the merits of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

**Post Communion Collect:**

Lord God our Father,
through our Saviour Jesus Christ
you have assured your children of eternal life
and in baptism have made us one with him:
deliver us from the death of sin
and raise us to new life in your love,
in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,
by the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.
Today's readings with their pew bible page numbers are:

First Reading: Acts 2:42-end (page 1094)
We have heard Peter’s first recorded sermon, and its dramatic effect. Now we discover how these new Christians came to develop a new pattern of life and worship together.

Second Reading: Revelation 1: 4-8 (page 1233)
This Easter season we shall hear each week from the often difficult Revelation of John. This opening greeting is more than a conventional letter: it extols the glory of Jesus, first-born from the dead, and the God who was in the beginning, is now, and shall be for ever.

Gospel Reading: John 20: 19-end (page 1089)
On the first Easter evening, Jesus appeared to his disciples with his habitual greeting of peace, and a gift of the Holy Spirit. Thomas must wait another week until he can see, believe and adore.

8.00 am Holy Communion (Said) (Common Worship)

10.00 am Combined Holy Communion

11.45 am Annual Vestry Meeting & Annual Parochial Church Meeting
 followed by shared lunch

6:00 pm Evensong (Sung) (BCP) (No sermon)
 Psalm 16 (Oxford Psalter page 41)
 Isaiah 52:13 – 53:12 (page 740)
 Hymn 101 (omit *vs)
 Hymns 106 & 331

Intercessions: In our prayers this week we remember Cerys Seys Llewellyn, Florence Pinfield, Ann Way, Mary Harris, Alma Hansford, Stella Blake, Michael Harris, Jenny and Ken Pearce, Eric Heslop, Norma Clarke, Bex Hawes, Roy Bluett, Charlee Thompson, and all who care for and about them.

Church House Teas: Teas start again on the 5 May and are organized by Barbara Wilson (713770) and on Bank Holiday Monday by Amanda Janes (562798). If you are able to offer any help in the usual areas, be it ever so small, please ring as appropriate. If you would like to be involved or help in any way over the summer please contact Julia Grant on 07909 518985.
WHAT’S ON THIS WEEK

Morning Prayer is said on Monday to Saturday at 7.30 am. Do join us.

**MONDAY 29 April**
8.30 am  Church House Deep Clean

**WEDNESDAY 1 May**
1.00 pm  Knit & Natter: Church House
7.45 pm  Choir Practice: Church
8.00 pm  Wycombe Arts Festival: Church House - Silent Movie with Live Music. The 1928 silent film ‘The Passion of Joan of Arc’ with live accompaniment; original score by Marisa Cornford. Performed on acoustic and electronic instruments by Dan and Marisa Cornford with Ella Thornton-Wood, soprano. Tickets £10 on the door.

**THURSDAY 2 May**
9.30 am  Toddler Group: North Room
7.30 pm  Bell Ringing Practice

**FRIDAY 3 May**
10.00 am  RBS Pensioners: Church House
12.00 pm  Church Yard Clear up
4.00 pm  Wedding Rehearsal of Ross Taylor & Joanna Langley-Hunt
8.00 pm  Wycombe Arts Festival: Church House - Harp Recital by Charlie Grimsey, with pieces by Sphor, Kanga and Zabel - a range of works that explores the development of repertoire for the harp over time, from 18th century to the present day. Tickets £10 on the door.

**SATURDAY 4 May**
12.30 pm  Wedding of Ross Taylor & Joanna Langley-Hunt

Next Sunday:

**5 May : Third Sunday of Easter**
8.00 am  Holy Communion (Said) (BCP)
9.00 am  Holy Communion & Baptism (Sung) (Common Worship)
10.45 am  All Age Family Service & Baptism
6.00 pm  Evensong (Sung) (BCP)

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**10 May – Come and Pray for the Church Community Day** from 7.30-8.30pm. A great opportunity to come and pray even if you can only spare 10-15 minutes. Come and pray on your own, in pairs, in a group or just wander around the places where events will take place and pray. Maybe you would prefer to collect a prayer request sheet from the back of the church the Sunday before the event so that you can join in by praying at home. “The prayers of a righteous person are powerful and effective.” (James 4:16) so we should be greatly encouraged to pray. Further details at a later date. Gwen Hill - 01494 528322

**11 May – Church Community Day** By now you will have heard of this fantastic opportunity for us all to work together to show off our church to our community or perhaps for the Community to visit and learn about its church. To find out what your role could be, or to find out more contact Mike Dean on mike.dean960@gmail.com
I am delighted to announce that Tracey Jones (known as TJ) will be joining the clergy team of Helen and myself, following ordination in the summer this year, as our parish curate; working as a part-time self-supporting minister. TJ will be ordained in Christchurch Cathedral, Oxford on Saturday 29 June at 6.00 pm. TJ trained as a nurse in the Navy, worked in Wycombe A&E, and more recently as a ministry trainee for St Giles & St Andrews Churches in Stoke Poges. She is married to Richard, has two grown up children and lives in Hazlemere. We look forward to welcoming TJ into the parish following her ordination, after which TJ will be taking some time out to complete the Camino pilgrimage to Santiago de Compostela, returning to the parish to begin her curacy in earnest in early September. Keith

Please note that Lynn Brooks (Parish Administrator) will be changing her usual Monday working days to Tuesday’s from the 29th April and throughout the whole of May. The Wednesday and Fridays remain the same as usual. Thank you.

Greenery for Flower Arrangements We will be doing a large number of flower arrangements for the Church and Church House on Friday 10 May, ready for the Community Day on 11 May. If you have any greenery/foliage in your garden which you think we could use, we should be grateful if you would bring it to the church on Thursday 9 May so that we can prepare it for arranging on the next day. Many thanks. Penny Austin, 529596.

Please follow us on Facebook to help boost the church’s online presence and spread God’s love within Hughenden’s digital community. We’ve revamped our Facebook page to help publicise upcoming events and it would be great if you could contribute too, with uplifting messages, photos, and reviews of the church. Follow us at www.facebook.com/HughendenChurch

Photo Appeal for HCCD For the Church Community Day on 11 May we are making a photo-montage of all of the activities that go on in our wonderful and vibrant church. Can you please bring your photos and put them in the box, which is located on the seat at the back of the church. Alternatively, please send electronic versions to antonyrippon010@gmail.com and frankwhawkins@aol.com. If you provide them we will take this as your permission for us to use them. Please also note we will not be able to return any of these photographs. Thank you in advance for your contributions.

If you are aware of any member of our church family who is unwell, in hospital, housebound, lonely or in need of support, please let Keith the Vicar know (or Helen, Associate Minister, if Keith is not available).