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This week at the Church of  
**St James the Greater**  
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## I APRIL 2018 – EASTER DAY

*If you wear a hearing-aid, please switch to T to benefit from the inductive loop*  
**Large-print hymn books are available from sidesmen**

*The high altar may be approached via the side steps, which have handrails*  
*Please inform a Churchwarden if you wish to receive a gluten-free wafer*  
*or receive Communion in your seat.*

### Prayer for the Week

Lord of all life and power,  
who through the mighty resurrection of your Son  
overcame the old order of sin and death  
to make all things new in him:  
grant that we, being dead to sin  
and alive to you in Jesus Christ,  
may reign with him in glory;  
to whom with you and the Holy Spirit  
be praise and honour, glory and might,  
now and in all eternity.

**08.30**

### Sung Eucharist

**See service sheet and music card**

**Hymns: 77, 78 (2<sup>nd</sup> tune), 81, 79 and 82**

Celebrant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar

Assisted by: Lucy Hutchison & Lin Mawer

Churchwardens: Phil Jones and April Rule

Sidesmen: Sally Coles and Cherry Fulloway

Servers: Michael Bull, Angela Finn and Della Evans

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**10.45**

### All Age Worship

Officiant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar

Churchwardens: Julia Walker and April Rule

Sidesmen: Barbara Penrose and David Pugh

Servers: William Woolley, Hazel Carlin and Keith Vaughan

## WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

*Vicar* Alleluia! Christ is risen.  
*All* **He is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

INTROIT This joyful Eastertide – traditional

*Vicar* We are all risen with Christ. *All loudly* **The Lord is life!**  
Eternal life is ours. **The Lord is life!**  
Death has met its master. **The Lord is life!**  
The way to heaven is open. **The Lord is life!**  
He is risen indeed. *All shout* **Alleluia! Amen!**

## HYMN 77 **Jesus Christ is risen today**

Lord Jesus, you forgive us our sins.  
Lord have mercy. *All* **Lord have mercy.**  
Lord Jesus, you raise us to new life.  
Christ have mercy. *All* **Christ have mercy.**  
Lord Jesus, fill us with hope.  
Lord have mercy. *All* **Lord have mercy**  
May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins,  
and bring us to eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
*All* **Amen.**

## **Easter Good News**

READING St John 20: 1 – 10

## HYMN 85 **Good Christians all**

*Members of the Congregation are invited to join the Choir to sing:  
Hallelujah Chorus (see separate sheet) Handel*

ANTHEM

*All* **We believe in God the Father, by whose great mercy  
we have been born again to a living hope,  
through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.  
We believe in God the Son, who died for our sins,  
and rose again to give us life.  
We believe in God the Holy Spirit, who bears witness  
within us that we are the children of God. Amen**

PRAYERS

**...Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name;  
thy kingdom come; thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.**

**And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

**HYMN 428** Thine be the glory ...

*during which a collection is received – please be generous!*

CLOSING PRAYER

DISTRIBUTION OF EASTER EGGS

ORGAN VOLUNTARY *please be aware of those remaining to listen*

**A short service of Holy Communion follows in the Lady Chapel**

**18.30**

## **Festal Evensong**

*see order of service*

Officiant: The Reverend Andrew Quigley

Churchwardens: Keith Vaughan and Simon Edwards

Sidesmen: Colin and Angela Stray

Servers: Michael Bull, Hilary Rees and Valerie Bailey

Thurifers: William Woolley and Vicky Roe

INTROIT My beloved spake *Hadley*

**HYMN 73** **Ye choirs of new Jerusalem**

**CONFESSION** *see buff service card*

RESPONSES Sung by the Choir *Rose*

### **EASTER ANTHEMS**

FIRST LESSON Ezekiel 37. 1-14 *read by Colin Stray*

**HYMN 83** **Love's redeeming work is done**

MAGNIFICAT Sung by the Choir *Stanford in Bb*

**Please remain seated but stand for the Gloria.**

SECOND LESSON Luke 24. 13-35 *read by Angela Stray*

NUNC DIMITTIS Sung by the Choir *Stanford in Bb*

**Please remain seated but stand for the Gloria.**

**THE CREED** *see buff service card, p 3*

ANTHEM Ye choirs of new Jerusalem *Stanford*

PRAYERS The Vicar

**HYMN 80** **Alleluia, Alleluia, hearts to heaven**

*during which a collection is received – please be generous!*

SERMON The Reverend Andrew Quigley, Vicar

*Concluding our season on the theme of Renewal*

**HYMN 329** (part 3 & doxology) **That Eastertide with joy was bright**

DISMISSAL *Plainsong* The Lord be with you. **And with thy spirit.**

Let us bless the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

ORGAN VOLUNTARY – *please be aware of those remaining to listen*

**EASTER FLOWERS** Thank you to the Flower Guild for decorating the Church so beautifully this Easter. If you can donate towards the cost please use the special 'Easter Flower' envelopes and place on the collection plate. Thank you.

**Our Prayers are asked for:**

**All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week**

Pat Ireson : Tom Skinner : Conceição Fernandes : John Goadby

**Unwell**

Ann Blanchard (Jane Sharp's sister) surgery : David Palmer

*The Lady Chapel flowers this week have been kindly given by*

*Anne Laurence in memory of Henry.*

**The Rest of the Week**

**Monday – Thursday**

09.00 **Morning Prayer** in the Lady Chapel

**Thursday**

10.15 **Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order I (traditional)

Celebrant: Reverend Andrew Quigley

Assisted by: Janet Burton

10.45 Coffee Drop-In in the Hall (access from the Church via the lift)

**Saturday**

11.00 Stop-by in the Undercroft

**Sunday Next – Easter 2**

08.30 **Holy Communion** Celebrant: Reverend Andrew Quigley

10.30 Sunday Club meets in the Large Hall, starting off in Church

10.30 **Sung Eucharist** Celebrant: Reverend Andrew Quigley

Preacher: Reverend Andrew Quigley

18.30 **Evensong** Officiant: Reverend Andrew Quigley

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**QUIZ NIGHT** Form your own team of 6 – 8 or come along on your own and join a friendly team on the night! £7.50 per person/£5 for under 12's which includes a Ploughman's supper (vegetarian options provided please let us know.)

**Tuesday April 17th 2018 7pm - 10pm in the Large Hall**

**Register and collect your ticket by Sunday 8th April from Emma Sutton, Caroline Beardsmore or Mike Bull after services at St James the Greater or from the Church Office 0116 254 2111 [office@stjamesthegreater.org.uk](mailto:office@stjamesthegreater.org.uk)**

**ANNUAL CHURCH PAROCHIAL MEETING** will take place on the 29<sup>th</sup> April. If you would like to consider standing on the PCC please speak to one of the Church Wardens for more information. **Nomination forms will be at the back of church next month.**