

EASTER SUNDAY 1ST APRIL 2018

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WELCOME TO OUR INCLUSIVE, CHURCH FAMILY

St Michael & All Angels is a church where people are called to come together to explore the mystery of God's love. All of us, without exception, are called by God. A special welcome to all visitors and newcomers. May God bless you this day and every day. Please help yourself to a *Welcome Pack* before you leave.

HAPPY EASTER TO YOU ALL

I would like to thank all those who have made this Holy Week & Easter so special. For your devotion to the church and community —thank you! Gavin

MUM'S SPIRITUALITY & FAITH GROUP

A new informal evening get-together is starting up once a month for mums; an opportunity to chat about life, parenting, and our faith and spirituality—accompanied by wine or tea and cake! First Wednesday evening of the month, 7.30-9pmish, starting on Wed 4th April. Contact Susie Snyder on susanna.snyder@roehampton.ac.uk if you're interested in coming along. All mums welcome!

ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING (APCM)

The APCM is on Sunday 15th April (after church). This meeting gives an account of the church's activity in the last year. The financial accounts are presented and the PCC is re-elected. The APCM is an opportunity for church members to share in all of the year's joys and sorrows. **Your attendance is really important.**

THE BLESSING OF THE THRESHOLD

Bishop Steven will be blessing the Narthex, kitchen, office and toilets on April 22nd (10am). We would like to have a bring and share lunch after the service, to which **everyone is warmly invited**. Please sign the list in church to say if you would like to bring a quiche, a salad or a dessert. Thank you: Sarah - 435076

ELIZABETH PRYOR'S FUNERAL

This will take place at St Michael's on 17th April at 1.30pm. A reception will be held in church after the funeral. Please come and support Willie and his family.

REACHING THE UNREACHED

115 adults attended Choral Evensong last Sunday to celebrate the opening of the Threshold. We raised £303.50 For Reaching the Unreached, the Indian charity we are supporting which seeks to give orphaned children a home and an education.

ECO-CHURCH: A DATE FOR YOUR DIARY!

Sunday evening April 29th at 7.15 pm, St Michael & All Angels, Summertown
Revd Canon Rachel Mash (Environmental Coordinator at Anglican Church of Southern Africa) will be talking about Climate Justice. There will be opportunity for questions. Don't miss this chance to hear from an inspirational and knowledgeable environmentalist and theologian.

WHY I LIKE ST MICHAEL'S

Some recent comments from those in the know!

"We are an Easter people and alleluia is our song!"

SUNDAYS

8.00 am Holy Eucharist
Traditional Language

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

1st Sunday of the month:

All-Age Family Eucharist

5th Sunday of the month:

Rotation with partnership churches

6.30pm Contemplative Prayer
In the Lady Chapel

WEEKDAYS

9.00 am Silent Prayer
In the Godly Play room

9.30 am Morning Prayer
In the Godly Play room

Holy Eucharist

Thursdays 10.00am

1st Thursday of the month: Healing -
the laying on of hands and anointing.

Choir Practice

Thursdays 6.30-7.45pm

Contact Steve Allen - 07717 852020

Men's Breakfast

1st Saturday of the month

Contact Steve Hunter - 01865 552475

For information on courses

Contact Gavin - 01865 556079

FOR CHILDREN

'Children's Church' on Sunday
meets in the vestry during
10.00am Parish Eucharist (term time only)

Godly Play
every 4th Sunday
at 10am with a crèche provided

St Michael's Choristers Age 3+
practise Thursdays in church
in term-time at 5.30 pm and sing on the
1st Sunday of the month
Contact Alice - 07791 328108

Baby & Toddler Group
Tuesdays 10.00 - 12.00 noon
Play for children and chat for carers
Contact Juliet - 01865 552640



