

NOTICES

Mondays at St John's: 8.30am Morning Prayer, 9am Cleaning, 10.30am Mass, 11am Coffee.

Wednesdays at St Laurence: 9-9.30am Bible Study, 9.30am-12.30pm Welcome Space.

Fr Thomas is away till April 23rd, please contact either Fr Bernard or Fr Richard when needed.

On Sunday 19 April 9-11am there will be a **Hinksey Hill Litter Pick**. All welcome to help, either before St John's Mass or after St Laurence?

Want to learn more about the Christian Faith? Join us for **Christian Basics** on Sat 25 April 4pm at the Vicarage (topic: death). Interested in baptism and/or confirmation? Talk to Fr Thomas as the bishop comes on Sun 19 July to St John's.

Most excitingly we will be starting a weekly youth group called 'Prayer & Pizza' from Wednesday 29 April onwards, 5.15pm-6.45pm. Year 6 and above most welcome. We are looking for people to help make the pizzas, please have a word with either Fr Thomas or Clare Williams.

Saturday 2 May will see another **cleaning morning** at St Laurence: 10am Morning Prayer, 10.30am cleaning, 11.30am coffee & cookies.

On Sunday 3 May, St John's will celebrate its **Patronal Feast** with the Archdeacon of Oxford preaching, and High Mass followed by a bring-and-share lunch. Do sign up if you are able to bring any main or pudding dish(es).

From 15-25 May St John's will host seven artists for **Art Weeks**. We are looking for welcomers on 16-17 May, and 22-25 May, do fill in the rota.

On Wed 20 May 11.30am-2pm we will host the **Pop-up Cafe** in South Hinksey Village Hall. All welcome, offers to assist to Miriam or Mariette.

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THIS WEEK'S SERVICES AT ST JOHN'S:

- Mon-Sat 8.30am Morning Prayer
- Mon 10.30am Low Mass
- Wed 7pm Low Mass
- Sunday 10.45am Solemn Mass

NEXT SERVICES AT ST LAURENCE:

- Easter II 19 April - 9.15am Holy Communion
- Easter III 26 April - 9.15am Holy Communion



Donations:

In the offering plate, card machine, or by BACS:

Name: PCC of South with New Hinksey
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(We warmly encourage regular giving. Do discuss options with the Treasurer, including the Parish Giving Scheme: treasurer@hinkseychurch.org.)

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A very warm welcome to Church!



Easter I

12 April 2026 AD



Christ appears to his disciples (detail), Duccio de Buoninse, 1308

On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you."

John 20:19

Processional Hymn: 124

The Collect: Almighty Father, who hast given thine 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 alway serve thee in pureness of living and truth; through the merits of the same thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end. **Amen.**

The Epistle: 1 John 5:4-12

A reading from the first Epistle of St John.

For everyone who has been born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith. Who is it that overcomes the world except the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

This is he who came by water and blood— Jesus Christ; not by the water only but by the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one who testifies, because the Spirit is the truth. For there are three that testify: the Spirit and the water and the blood; and these three agree. If we receive the testimony of men, the testimony of God is greater, for this is the testimony of God that he has borne concerning his Son.

Whoever believes in the Son of God has the testimony in himself. Whoever does not believe God has made him a liar, because he has not believed in the testimony that God has borne concerning his Son. And this is the testimony, that God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. Whoever has the Son has life;

whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.

This is the word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn: 107

The Gospel: John 20:19-end

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

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John, **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, “Peace be with you.” When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord.

Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I am sending you.” And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, “Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you withhold forgiveness from any, it is withheld.”

This is the Gospel of the Lord.
Praise be to thee, O Christ.

Offertory hymn: 103

Communion hymn: 276

Post Communion Prayer: O God of life, who for our redemption didst give thine only-begotten Son to the death of the cross, and by his glorious resurrection hast delivered us from the power of our enemy: grant us so to die daily unto sin that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his risen life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Recessional hymn: 112

This Week’s Daily Bible Readings

The Week of the Easter I – April 13 to 18

	<i>Morning Prayer</i>		<i>Evening Prayer</i>	
<i>Mon</i>	Deuteronomy 6:3-18	Acts 1:1-14	Deuteronomy 1:19-end	Acts 1:15-end
<i>Tue</i>	Deuteronomy 2:1-25	Acts 2:1-21	Deuteronomy 2:26-3:5	Acts 2:22-end
<i>Wed</i>	Deuteronomy 3:18-end	Acts 3:4:1-4	Deuteronomy 4:1-24	Acts 4:5-31
<i>Thu</i>	Deuteronomy 4:25-40	Acts 4:32-5:11	Deuteronomy 5:1-21	Acts 5:12-6:7
<i>Fri</i>	Deuteronomy 5:22-end	Acts 6:8-7:16	Deuteronomy 6	Acts 7:17-34
<i>Sat</i>	Deuteronomy 7:1-11	Acts 7:35-8:4	Deuteronomy 7:12-end	Acts 8:4-25