

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

-Thu 9am Mass (*St George*)

-Sat 9am Mass (*St Mark the Evangelist*)

-Sunday 10.45am Solemn Mass

NEXT SERVICES AT ST LAURENCE:

-Sunday 26 April - 9.15am Holy Communion

-Saturday 2 May - 10am Morning Prayer



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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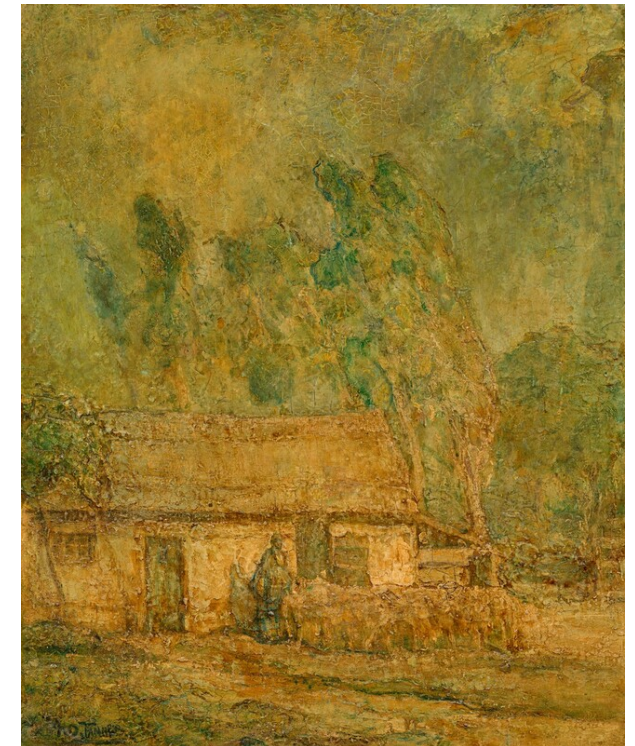


A very warm welcome to Church!



Easter II

19 April 2026 AD



The Good Shepherd, Henry Ossawa Tanner, c. 1908

*I am the good shepherd.
I know my own and my own know me,
just as the Father knows me
and I know the Father;
and I lay down my life for the sheep.*

John 10:14-15

Processional Hymn: 106 (t. 219)

The Collect: Almighty God, who hast given thine only Son to be unto us both a sacrifice for sin, and also an example of godly life: Give us grace that we may always most thankfully receive that his inestimable benefit, and also daily endeavour ourselves to follow the blessed steps of his most holy life; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end. **Amen.**

The Epistle: 1 Peter 2:19-25

A reading from the first Epistle of St Peter.

This is a gracious thing, when, mindful of God, one endures sorrows while suffering unjustly. For what credit is it if, when you sin and are beaten for it, you endure? But if when you do good and suffer for it you endure, this is a gracious thing in the sight of God.

For to this you have been called, because Christ also suffered for you, leaving you an example, so that you might follow in his steps. He committed no sin, neither was deceit found in his mouth. When he was reviled, he did not revile in return; when he suffered, he did not threaten, but continued entrusting himself to him who judges justly. He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed.

For you were straying like sheep, but have now returned to the Shepherd and Overseer of your souls.

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn: 118

The Gospel: John 10:11-16

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.**

Jesus said: I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. He who is a hired hand and not a shepherd, who does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and flees, and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. He flees because he is a hired hand and cares nothing for the sheep.

I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for the sheep. And I have other sheep that are not of this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd.

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

Offertory hymn: 459

Communion hymn: 282

Post Communion Prayer: O living God, whose Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of the bread: open the eyes of our faith, that we may see him in all his redeeming work; through the same, Thy Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Recessional hymn: 113

This Week's Daily Bible Readings

The Week of the Easter II – April 20 to 25

	<i>Morning Prayer</i>		<i>Evening Prayer</i>	
<i>Mon</i>	Deuteronomy 8	Acts 8:26-end	Deuteronomy 9:1-10	Acts 9:1-31
<i>Tue</i>	Deuteronomy 9:11-end	Acts 9:32-end	Deuteronomy 10	Acts 10:1-23
<i>Wed</i>	Deuteronomy 11:1-12	Acts 10:24-end	Deuteronomy 11:13-end	Acts 11:1-18
<i>Thu</i>	Deuteronomy 12:1-14	Acts 11:19-end	Deuteronomy 15:1-18	Acts 12:1-24
<i>Fri</i>	Deuteronomy 16:1-20	Acts 12:25-13:12	Deuteronomy 17:8-end	Acts 13:13-43
<i>Sat</i>	Deuteronomy 18:9-end	Acts 13:44-14:7	Deuteronomy 19	Acts 14:8-end