

## THIS SUNDAY 4 MAY

### Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 9:1-6; John 21:1-19

### 8AM HOLY COMMUNION

ST CHRISTOPHER'S

### 10AM HOLY COMMUNION

### SUNDAY MORNING FAMILIES

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S & LIVESTREAM

Readings: Catriona Tremlett

Intercessions: Hamish Donaldson

Voluntary:

## NEXT SUNDAY 11 MAY

### Fourth Sunday of Easter

Acts 9:36-43; John 10:22-30

### 8AM HOLY COMMUNION

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S

### 10AM HOLY COMMUNION

ST CHRISTOPHER'S & LIVESTREAM

Readings: Christopher Lemar

Intercessions: Richard Reincke

Voluntary:

### 6PM EVENSONG

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S

Isaiah 63:7-14; Luke 24:36-49

Readings: Dr Helen Bowcock OBE & Councillor

Oliver Leach



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## WEEK COMMENCING 4 MAY

### 9am Morning Prayer:

**Monday** | St Bartholomew's

**Wednesday** | All Saints

**Thursday** | St Bartholomew's

**Coffee & Hearing clinic** |

St Bartholomew's



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## PARISH INFORMATION

**St Bartholomew's Church is open from 9am to 5pm, Monday - Saturday**

**St Christopher's Church is open from 10am to 4pm, Tuesday - Friday**

**Livestreamed services:** Link to view and orders of service on the website. [Church at Home](#)

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(open: 9am-3pm Mon/Tues/Thurs, 1-3pm Fri\*)

\*Office hours are subject to change, visit [www.haslemereparish.org/getintouch](http://www.haslemereparish.org/getintouch) for up to date hours

**Pastoral Visitors for May:** Lucy Manley– Cooper, Sue Stathers and Jan Wickens

To request a visit or for any Pastoral matter please contact Rev Chris, Rev Justin or the Parish Office

### Further information:

Please continue to check the website for updated information; [www.haslemereparish.org](http://www.haslemereparish.org)

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### Accessibility:

Both churches have hearing loops. Please switch hearing aids to T-coil.

Both churches have step free access and a wheelchair is available on request.

Large print service orders and hymn books are available—ask a sides person.



## Collect

Risen Christ,  
you filled your disciples with boldness  
and fresh hope:  
strengthen us to proclaim your risen life  
and fill us with your peace,  
to the glory of God the Father.

## Acts 9:1-6;

**9** Meanwhile Saul, still breathing threats and murder against the disciples of the Lord, went to the high priest <sup>2</sup> and asked him for letters to the synagogues at Damascus, so that if he found any who belonged to the Way, men or women, he might bring them bound to Jerusalem. <sup>3</sup> Now as he was going along and approaching Damascus, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him. <sup>4</sup> He fell to the ground and heard a voice saying to him, 'Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?' <sup>5</sup> He asked, 'Who are you, Lord?' The reply came, 'I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting. <sup>6</sup> But get up and enter the city, and you will be told what you are to do.'

## John 21:1-19

**21** After these things Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. <sup>2</sup> Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples. <sup>3</sup> Simon Peter said to them, 'I am going fishing.' They said to him, 'We will go with you.' They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.

<sup>4</sup> Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. <sup>5</sup> Jesus said to them, 'Children, you have no fish, have you?' They answered him, 'No.' <sup>6</sup> He said to them, 'Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some.' So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. <sup>7</sup> That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, 'It is the Lord!' When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the lake. <sup>8</sup> But the other disciples came in the boat,

dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off.

<sup>9</sup> When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. <sup>10</sup> Jesus said to them, 'Bring some of the fish that you have just caught.' <sup>11</sup> So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred and fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn. <sup>12</sup> Jesus said to them, 'Come and have breakfast.' Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, 'Who are you?' because they knew it was the Lord. <sup>13</sup> Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. <sup>14</sup> This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.

<sup>15</sup> When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, 'Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?' He said to him, 'Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my lambs.' <sup>16</sup> A second time he said to him, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' He said to him, 'Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Tend my sheep.' <sup>17</sup> He said to him the third time, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, 'Do you love me?' And he said to him, 'Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep. <sup>18</sup> Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go.' <sup>19</sup> (He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God.) After this he said to him, 'Follow me.'

## Post Communion Prayer

Living God,  
your Son made himself known to his disciples  
in the breaking of bread:  
open the eyes of our faith,  
that we may see him in all his redeeming work;  
who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

## PARISH PRAYERS FOR W/C SUNDAY 4TH MAY

### A Thought for Sunday: John 21:1-19

*After these things Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples. Simon Peter said to them, 'I am going fishing.' They said to him, 'We will go with you.' They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.*

Peter is now to be a shepherd, the flock of the church shall grow from lambs to sheep, multiplying across the generations and all shall need to be fed. I doubt he ever went fishing again. There was to be a new normal in his life. So Peter is told something of the task ahead, something for the leader – a checking of commitment, but recognition that the leader holds imperfections. Don't be too certain of yourself, you need me with you. I can only agree from my own experience.

### For our Local Ministry Work and Schools

- We pray that in this post-Easter springtime, we shall be reminded of Jesus Christ in his radiant glory. Let us be certain, Jesus has risen into our lives.
- We pray for a lasting peace to be confirmed in the war between Russia and Ukraine. Yet Lord we pray also for justice and the support of the world's population.
- We pray for all who are uncertain in their lives today, be that for any reason. We ask Lord that your true presence to be with them as a comfort and a hope. Let us be disciple of your presence and comfort toward all we care for.
- We pray for the Link Community Hub Project, which is approaching the building phase. We give thanks to all those who have worked so hard to clear the building whilst keeping the ministries of the church in good order.

Those Sick and Suffering: Anne Haynes and Margaret Owen

Rest In Peace: Jennifer Lipscombe and Daniel Stokes

### Upcoming Life Events:

Friday 2nd May	St Bartholomew's	1pm	Wedding of Daniel Williams & Helena David
Sunday 4th May	St Christopher's	12pm	Baptism of Leo Ambett
Wednesday 7th May	St Christopher's	11am	Funeral of Jennifer Lipscombe
Sunday 18th May	St Bartholomew's	12pm	Baptism of Harri O'Neil
Saturday 24th May	St Bartholomew's	1pm	Wedding of Rupert Morgan & Kristina Grundy
Saturday 7th June	St Bartholomew's	2.30pm	Wedding of William Chesney & Lucy Ketih

## PARISH NOTICES

**Outward Giving to our local charities.** This month's charity is A Place to Be. You can support our charities through the [Donate](#) button on the parish website, the QR Code on the front page or by leaving cash in the special baskets in church.

### **Link Hub Project-**

**Parish Office—** Please note that the Parish Office will be located in the inner vestry while the work on the Link is taking place. Office hours may be subject to review.

**Coffee after the service on 4th May—** Refreshments will be served in the church after the 10am service. If you are able to, please bring your own mug for coffee. Paper cups will be available.

### **Church Care Group.**

On my retirement from leading this Group, I wish to give enormous thanks to my deputies, Tessa Trollope and Sarah Mulliner for all their excellent, outstanding, reliable and conscientious support for many years and I am extremely grateful for all their kindness and friendship and for superb management when I had my accident.

God bless you Both, Roscelin xx

**Haslemere Bowls club— 3rd May, 2-4pm** We would like to invite members of the parish to an informal afternoon of bowls. Please wear suitable, flat bottomed shoes such as trainers. If you are interested, please let Rev Justin know so we have an idea of numbers.

**A Spring Event— Jesus said, I am The Truth – Wednesday 7th May, 8pm at St Stephens Church.**

With speaker Mary Sutton. Doors open and refreshments served from 7.30pm.

**Pray For Peace- Tues 6th - Fri 9th May 10am to Midday and/or Sat 10th May 10am - 6pm, Haslemere Methodist Church.**

As we celebrate 80 years since VE Day Haslemere Churches invite you to light a candle, say a prayer for peace and explore our family-friendly interactive prayer space. If you can commit to attending for a prayer slot please choose one of the slots from the above link at:

[www.haslemereparish.org/mayprayers](http://www.haslemereparish.org/mayprayers) Anyone is also welcome to attend at any time the prayer space is open: Refreshments are available.

**Youth Worship Night—Saturday 17th May, 7– 8.30pm, St Stephens Church, Shottermill.** A night full of fun games, powerful worship, an impactful talk, prayer ministry and a chance to spend time with God amongst friends. Free & open to all in school years 7-13. For details contact [kim@shottermillparish.org.uk](mailto:kim@shottermillparish.org.uk)

**Pop-In Coffee Morning and Hearing Champions— next clinic 8th May in St Bartholomew's Church**

Our regular Pop-In Coffee Morning reaches out to those who would like a bit of company and a chat. We meet on each 2nd and 4th Thursdays, in St Bartholomew's Church at 10am. Also if you have a hearing aid, you can have it cleaned and serviced by our Hearing Champions service, with new batteries at the same time!