

ST PETER AT GOWTS CHURCH

APRIL 7TH

5TH SUNDAY OF LENT

10AM SUNG EUCHARIST

Readings

First reading; Isaiah ch 43 v 16-21

Second Reading; Philippians ch3 v 4b-14

Gospel; John ch 12 v 1-8

Hymns

Introit; **A&M 157**

When I survey the wondrous cross

Gradual; **A&M 143**

Here is love vast as the ocean

Offertory; **A&M 142**

Glory be to Jesus

Communion; **A&M 148 (tune 1)**

O dearest Lord

Post Communion **A&M 151**

Sing my tongue

Collect

Most merciful God,
who by the death and resurrection of
your Son Jesus Christ delivered and
saved the world:
grant that by faith in him who suffered
on the cross we may triumph in the
power of his victory; through Jesus
Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you, in the
unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now
and for ever.

Please pray for;

the sick; , John Beardsley, Dan Bishop,
Fred Bowskill, Pam Goodman, Elizabeth
Graham, Joy Gray, Iman Haffadi, Mandy
North, Carol North, Patrick Morrow, Mary
Rose, Stuart Rose, Maureen Timmiss, Tim
Wheeldon.

Those who have recently died

Eric Allan, Sylvia Wright

Years Mind;

10 Vera Bloodworth, Eric Fountain

John Peatfield

11 Herbert Simpson

12 Doris Sladin

- Thanks for the safe deliverance to
Becky Fielden. Mum & child doing
well.
- Brothers and sisters (siblings day
10th)
- The problem of knife crime

Priest in charge:

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Events this week

9th	Tuesday	10am	Women's social group	church hall
10th	Wednesday	10am	Keep Fit	church hall
11th	Thursday	7pm	Rehearsal for Stainer's Crucifixion	Church
12th	Friday	1.10pm	Eric Allen's funeral	Crematorium
14th	Sunday	10am	Sung Eucharist	church

Regular monthly events

1st Thursday	2pm	Women's Fellowship	church hall
1st Saturday	10am	Coffee Morning	church hall
3rd Monday	7pm	CAMEO (social games evening)	church hall

REMINDERS

11th	Thursday	7pm	Rehearsal for Stainer's Crucifixion	Church
12th	Friday	1.10	Eric Allen's funeral	Crematorium
18th	Maundy Thursday	10am	Stripping of the Altars	church
19th	Good Friday	10am	Stations of the Cross	church
		11am	Walk of Witness	Salvation Army
		7pm	Stainer's Crucifixion	Church
28th	Sunday		AGM after the service	church hall

Message from Ronnie Becky Fielden had her baby, a little girl, Nancy Hope yesterday and all is well with both of them despite delays.

Maureen Timmis should be home from hospital either by now or over the weekend, but please continue your prayers as she's not well (Cancer).

Message from Doris. If you are going to Eric's funeral please go to the reception afterwards.

The children from St Peter's school held their Easter service on Friday, which took the form of a Passion Play, classes 1-6 acting out part of the story, often very movingly. The Reception class, not to be outdone, sang a song about spring chickens—with much gusto! With the help of pupils, Mr Howsam from the Joy Foundation acted out what it means to take the punishment for someone else, then told them that when they eat their eggs they should remember that EGG stands for Extremely Good God. The Bishop's letter then continued the theme of eggs, the tomb being like an egg that is broken open to reveal it is empty inside, and how the sadness turned to joy. This linked with their assembly earlier in the week, when they were challenged to remember the verse 'HE IS NOT HERE, HE IS RISEN' (Matt 28 v6), and pupils from each class came out to repeat it. Then they all went home with (very small!) Easter eggs.