

**Calendar for 10th to 17th April  
2022**

**Sunday 10th April – Palm Sunday**

8am & 10am services led by Rev. Sally Moring from St. Mary's, Wendover

Readings: Philippians 2:5-11 and Luke 19:28-40.

8.00am Communion (Book of Common Prayer) – **St Peter & St Paul**

10.00am Palm Sunday Parish Communion – **St Peter & St Paul and live on-line**

MAP will also be meeting in the Bell Tower. Please contact Chloe Lewis for details.

11.30am Holy Communion – **Little Hampden**

6.00pm Meditation – **St Peter and St Paul**

**Monday 11th April**

6.00pm Evening Prayer at **St Mary's Ballinger**

**Tuesday 12th April**

7.30pm Words and Music at **St Peter & St Paul**

**Wednesday 13th April**

7.30pm Stations of The Cross at **Holy Trinity, Prestwood**

**Thursday 14th April – Maundy Thursday**

7pm Joint Community Maundy Thursday service and Passover Supper at **Great Missenden Baptist Church**

**Friday 15th April – Good Friday**

9am Walk of Witness leaving from **St Peter & St Paul**

2pm Good Friday Meditation at **St Peter & St Paul**

**Sunday 17th April – Easter Sunday**

8.00am Communion (Book of Common Prayer) – **St Peter & St Paul**

10.00am Easter Sunday Parish Communion – **St Peter & St Paul and live on-line**

MAP will also be meeting in the Bell Tower

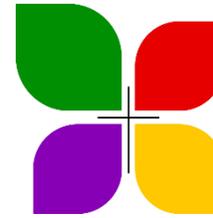
3.00pm Easter Day Cream Teas – **St Peter & St Paul**

**STAFF AVAILABILITY:**

*Please ring Tricia to fix a time for a chat in the week*

*Licensed Lay Minister: Patricia Neale 863 348 tricianeale8@gmail.com*

*Parish Office: Harriet Lemon 862 352 office@missendenchurch.org.uk*



**St Peter and St Paul  
Great Missenden**

**St Mary's Ballinger**

**Little Hampden**

**Helping one another to Know, to  
Serve and to Share God's love**

**10th April – Palm Sunday**

Please include in your prayers:

- Pray for early resolution of the war in Ukraine, cessation of cruelty and hate.
- The Ukraine and Russian peoples, all others drawn into and beset by violence those struggling to meet rising bills a proper understanding of Holy Week and Easter

Psalm 118:19

Open to me the gates of righteousness,  
that I may enter through them and give  
thanks to the Lord.

We welcome Rev. Sally Moring to lead our 8am and 10am services today.

**Website: [www.missendenchurch.org.uk](http://www.missendenchurch.org.uk)**

### Collect

Almighty and everlasting God, who in your tender love towards the human race sent your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ to take upon him our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross: grant that we may follow the example of his patience and humility, and also be made partakers of his resurrection; 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.

### Post Communion

Lord Jesus Christ, you humbled yourself in taking the form of a servant, and in obedience died on the cross for our salvation: give us the mind to follow you and to proclaim you as Lord and King, to the glory of God the Father.

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**Current Covid Arrangements.** Following the government removal of the legal requirements, we are keeping our Covid guidance under review. We have removed the pew markings but please be considerate about your neighbours. Please continue to follow the guidance.

- Please only come to church if you are Covid free. Perhaps take a Lateral Flow Test in the days before attending a service.
- Please be sensitive to your neighbour as they may feel differently to you about mask wearing and social distancing. Hand-sanitising is available at the door.
- Communion is at the nave altar following a one-way system.

**A New Vicar.** We have appointed our new vicar, The Reverend Malcolm Chalmers. Malcolm was ordained priest in 2010 in the Diocese of The Highveld, The Anglican Church of Southern Africa, and for 9 years served as a non-stipendiary assistant priest in the Parish of Germiston in the Diocese of The Highveld alongside his role as Headmaster of St Martin's Diocesan Preparatory School in the Diocese of Christ the King in the south of Johannesburg. In June 2019 he was appointed Associate Priest in the Parish of Bracknell in Berkshire, and moved with Janet to the UK. Malcolm and Janet will move into Great Missenden Vicarage in June and, once he is installed, he will take up the post as Vicar. We are thrilled to welcome them. There is more information about Malcolm, including a message from him, on the church website.

**The Vicarage.** We are hoping to welcome Malcolm and Janet to the Church with a newly decorated and re-carpeted Vicarage. The Diocese is undertaking a set of tasks, including work in the garden, replacement of some doors, changing kitchen flooring and adding curtain rails. We have lined up a decorator to come in after Easter and will explore flooring for the entire house. We estimate that the cost of the refurbishment to the PCC is approximately

£10,000. If anyone would like to contribute towards these costs, please chat to Mike or Val. Monetary gifts like this can be gift aided and go just a little further.

**Our Lent Charity:** the Mission group have chosen Road Farm Countryways as the organisation we are supporting during Lent. You can find further details at [www.roadfarmcountryways.com](http://www.roadfarmcountryways.com). Specially marked envelopes are available in church for you to make a donation, which we'll collect at the Easter Day services. You may donate cash or cheque – the latter should be made payable to "Great Missenden PCC." All collections during Lent and Easter are going to Church Funds.

**Good Friday.** If you would like to attend the morning service at the King's Church, Prestwood Village Hall, but are not up to the Walk of Witness beforehand, GM Baptist church are offering lifts in the minibus. Please let Nicki Pitt (Baptist Minister) know in advance: [nicolapitt672@gmail.com](mailto:nicolapitt672@gmail.com)

**Diocese of Oxford – Help for Ukrainian Refugees.** The Diocese is working with Citizens UK to resettle 50 Ukrainian refugees across the diocese before Easter and they need your help. If you can offer accommodation to a refugee or refugee family or can help in other ways, please read more and register your interest at: <https://www.oxford.anglican.org/make-a-difference-in-ukraine.php>

**Isle of Wight Coastal Path Walk:** Karen is currently walking the 70+ mile coastal path round the Isle of Wight in bite-sized chunks in memory of Mary and to raise funds for Pancreatic Cancer UK. If anyone would like to support her efforts, the details can be found on her Event Page: <https://togetherinmemory.pancreaticcancer.org.uk/Event/?id=Karens-Isle-of-Wight-Coastal-Path-Walk> All the money raised will go directly towards research into the diagnosis and cure of this pernicious disease. Anything you would like to give will be gratefully received.

**Annual Meeting:** The Annual Meeting of the PCC will take place on 26<sup>th</sup> April, all are invited to hear how we have done in the last year from all perspectives including financially. If you wish to join the PCC please speak to David Harris.

**Electoral Roll:** As part of the Annual Meeting we ask that if you are new to church and would like to be on our church electoral roll please fill in a form which can be found at the entrance of the church or have a chat with David Harris or Rosemary Ladd.

**Easter Decorations from Chiltern Way Academy:** Connor, who streams our Sunday services, will have some Decorations for sale made by students at his school after the 10am service on Sunday.

**Spin to Win** over the next week Easyfundraising have an Easter opportunity to raise extra funds for your chosen charity whether that be St Peter & St Paul or Friends. All you have to do is go on their website and click the button You even get a second spin if you click a red shop button to a retailer! <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/spin-to-win/>