



# NOTICES for Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> April

## *Palm Sunday*

*This service will start from the Church Halls / carpark and process into the church.*

**9.30am: Family Worship with Communion**

Speaker: Bishop David Atkinson

You can watch the 9.30am service online (live or catch up) by going to 'Talks & Sermons' on the church website <https://www.sanderstead-parish.org.uk/talks>

### **Lectionary readings:**

*Liturgy of the Palms:* Luke 19:28-40; Psalm 118:1-2, 19-end.

*Liturgy of the Passion:* Isaiah 50:4-9a; Psalm 31:9-18; Philippians 2:5-11; Luke 22:14- end of Luke 23.

**Collect:** True and humble king, hailed by the crowd as Messiah: grant us the faith to know you and love you, that we may be found beside you on the way of the cross, which is the path of glory. Amen

*Every week at St. Antony's...*

**Sundays at 3.00pm: CAFÉ CHURCH** - a relaxed worship service with Afternoon Tea, refreshments, singing, Bible readings, a short talk, prayers, and time to get to know Jesus better.

**Holy Communion on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> April, 3pm, led by Revd Steve Cooper.**

## **HOLY WEEK**

**Monday 14 April**

**7.30pm The Choice - a reflective time of worship** for the beginning of 'Holy Week' that sets the context for the week ahead. Led by Peter Graystone and hosted by the Mothers' Union, but something for us all.

**Tuesday 15 April**

**7.00pm Short Compline** led by Revd Steve Cooper

## The funeral of Mike Fixter - Wednesday 16 April, 12pm

Mike's funeral service will be in the church at 12pm, followed by a wake in the Church Halls. All are invited to come along.

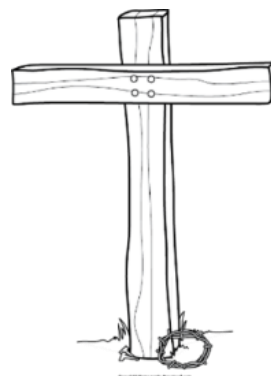
Wednesday 16 April

7.00pm **Short Compline** led by Bishop David Atkinson

Thursday 17 April

12.30pm **Midweek Holy Communion**, led by Revd Steve Cooper

7.00pm **Maundy Thursday Eucharist**, led by Revd Kevin Garrett



Friday 18 April – *Good Friday*

9.30am **Good Friday Family Worship** – crafts & refreshments for children and their parents / carers. Making garden tombs.



11.45am **Good Friday Walk of Witness (CTIS),**

The Good Friday Walk of Witness, organised by Churches Together in Sanderstead, will be starting at Holy Family Church at 11.45 am, walking to the Gruffy via Waitrose and along Sanderstead Parade. As an alternative to walking the whole way, you are welcome to join the gathering on the Gruffy after 12.00. *Marc & Fanny Smith*

2.00pm **Service of Prayer & Reflection** (2.00pm not 3.00pm)

Led by Bishop David Atkinson

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> April – *Easter Sunday*

7.00am **Sunrise Service** by the church porch

8.30am **Easter Breakfast** from 8.30am. All are welcome. If you would like to come, for catering purposes it would be helpful (but not essential) if you could let Sue Thomas know beforehand.

9.30am **Parish Eucharist** with choir

Preacher: Revd Jeremy Groombridge



"He is risen;  
Jesus is alive!"

## Thursday 24 April - Men's Group Thirsty Thursday Curry Night

Why not join us for a curry and a drink at The Sir Julian Huxley in Selsdon at very reasonable prices! Also included at no extra charge is a warm welcome and some good

company. Meet us at The Sir Julian at 7pm, no need to book just come along. Ladies too are always most welcome to join us. Hope to see you there.

## **Sunday 27 April – APCM (Annual Parochial Church Meeting)**

The APCM will be at 11.15am following the morning service. The papers and financial statements are available at the back of church, the Parish office or from St Antony's.

## **A Prayer for the Parish during the Interregnum / Vacancy**

Please do pray! Pick up a prayer postcard from the back of church.

## **Donations towards Easter Flowers**

Any donations towards EASTER flowers would be very much appreciated. Please pass on to Ann Turner at church or through the parish office. Thank you.

## **NEW ELECTORAL ROLL & PARISH DIRECTORY SPRING 2025**

The New Electoral Roll for Spring 2025 has been published and can be viewed on the noticeboards of the Churches and Church Halls until 24 April.

If you are unable to view the Roll on the noticeboards and/or if you detect any omissions or other errors on the Roll, please would you contact the Electoral Roll Officer (David Chillman T: 020 8657 7397 M: 0787 097 8844 E: [david.chillman@btinternet.com](mailto:david.chillman@btinternet.com)) as soon as possible.

If you require a paper copy of the Parish Directory, please contact the Parish Office. (Electronic copies of the Directory are not available due to data protection regulations).

## **Applications for PCC, Deanery Synod & Churchwardens**

We have some vacancies on the Parochial Church Council (PCC) and Deanery Synod to fill at the Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) on Sunday 27th April as well as needing to (re)/appoint two Churchwardens. Application forms are available at the back of Church or from the Parish Office or electronically from Dick Hibberd ([dccsec@sanderstead-parish.co.uk](mailto:dccsec@sanderstead-parish.co.uk)). Anyone on the (new) Electoral Roll is eligible to apply and if you would like an informal discussion about what is involved, speak to Sue Thomas, Judith Robinson or Dick Hibberd. Forms should be returned to Dick or to the Parish Office or brought to the meeting, although it would be helpful to have them beforehand.

## **Pair of gloves found**

If anyone left a pair of beige sheepskin gloves at Coffee Pot on Friday 21 March, they are in the Parish Office ready to be collected.

**Bring your own cup** for refreshments after church! This will help us be more eco-friendly. ☺

## Donations

We would greatly appreciate your help to continue our work for God in the community in the Parish of Sanderstead. If you can, please consider making a donation. This is our QR code for the Parish of Sanderstead. To donate using this code, open up the camera on a mobile phone - point the camera at the QR code – follow the instructions. ☺



The offertory plate will go round during one of the hymns. There is also the opportunity to donate by card.

## Donating to Project 800

We're using #easyfundraising to help raise money for Sanderstead All Saints Church in 2025. To get involved, sign up and shop via the easyfundraising website or App with over 8,000 retailers. You'll raise free donations for us as you shop online at no extra cost! All the big names including eBay, Tesco, John Lewis & Partners, TUI, and many more will donate. We'll be so grateful for your donations! Sign up here:

[www.easyfundraising.org.uk/sanderstead-all-saints-church](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/sanderstead-all-saints-church)



## Safeguarding / 'A Safe Church':

If you ever have any concerns, contact one of our Parish Safeguarding Officers:

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