



# Welcome to St John the Evangelist East Dulwich

## 31 March 2024 Easter Sunday

### Processional: 120

Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son

### Offertory: 296

Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour

### Anthem

Since by man came death by GF Handel

### Communion: 115

Now the green blade riseth

### Recessional: 110

Jesus Christ is risen today, Alleluya!

### Voluntary

Fugue in C major (BWV 545) by JS Bach

### The Collect

Lord of all life and power,

who through the mighty  
resurrection of your Son

overcame the old order of sin and death  
to make all things new in him:

grant that we, being dead to sin  
and alive to you in Jesus Christ,

may reign with him in glory;

to whom with you and the Holy Spirit

be praise and honour,

glory and might,

now and in all eternity. **Amen.**

The flowers in the sanctuary are donated by **Betty Reid** in loving memory of her husband **Derrick Reid** and mother **Edna Gordon**

Today we warmly welcome **Phoebe Valentine Wallis Clarke** who will be baptised at the 10am service. Please pray for Phoebe, her godparents, family and friends on the occasion of her baptism.

### This week's services and events

#### Today

6am Dawn Mass

10am Sung Festival Mass

#### Wednesday 3 April

11am Coffee Morning

#### Sunday 7 April

8am Said Mass

10am Sung Mass

**A gift to St John's:** in church, please use the envelopes provided, or by contactless giving, or the QR code. If you are a taxpayer, completing a gift aid declaration can increase the value of your gift by 25%. Thank you for your generosity!



**First Reading: Acts 10.34–43**

Then Peter began to speak to them: 'I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.

**Gospel: Mark 16: 1-8**

When the sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. They had been saying to one another, 'Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?' When they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had already been rolled back. As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man, dressed in a white robe, sitting on the right side; and they were alarmed. But he said to them, 'Do not be alarmed; you are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has been raised; he is not here. Look, there is the place they laid him. But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him, just as he told you.' So they went out and fled from the tomb, for terror and amazement had seized them; and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.



## NOTICES

### **Electoral roll**

The 2024 Annual Meetings will take place on Sunday 28 April at 11.30am in the Church.

The Church Electoral Roll will be revised before the APCM. If your name, address or contact details have changed since last year, please complete an enrolment form and return it to one of the clergy or a churchwarden. Alternatively, you can post it back to church marked 'Electoral Roll'.

Forms are available in a box at the back of the church or can be downloaded from

<https://tinyurl.com/32mhhh3n>

If you would like to join the Electoral Roll and you meet the qualifying criteria please also complete a form as soon as possible. The revised Roll will be available for inspection from Sunday 14 April.

**Churchwardens at St John's:** Both Julie Whitney and Tayo Olatunde are stepping down from their roles as Churchwarden this April at the APCM. Julie has come to the end of a six-year term, and Tayo is stepping down in order to attend to other commitments. If you would be interested to find out more about becoming a churchwarden, do get in touch with Revd Gill. Tayo and Julie are happy to answer any questions that you might have.

**Can you help us?** We are looking for a new person to join the team to help with our electronic giving systems. This will involve maintaining our card reader machines, setting them up for special events, and keeping an eye on changes in technology and donation services. A significant proportion of our unplanned giving is received via the card readers. We imagine this task will take up a small amount of time each month and would suit someone who is reasonably confident with technology. Please talk to Sarah Sarker or Jayne Mallett to find out more, in church or email them via [office@stjohnseastdulwich.org](mailto:office@stjohnseastdulwich.org). Martin Howell is also happy to answer your questions.

**Planned Giving to St John's:** If you give by the Weekly Envelope scheme, your new boxes of envelopes for the year starting April 2024 will be ready for collection at the back of church from Sunday 17 March. If you would like to join the envelope scheme, please let Sarah or Jayne know.

**Parish Giving Scheme:** St John's is a member of the Parish Giving Scheme (PGS) direct debit service. This is the most efficient method of giving as we receive 100% of donations and any gift aid and it generates less administration costs. To give via the PGS visit [www.parishgivingscheme.org.uk](http://www.parishgivingscheme.org.uk), telephone 0333 002 1260 or speak to Sarah or Jayne on Sunday in church or email the parish office.

**Thursday Lunch Club** will be taking a break for Easter and will return at 12:30pm on Thursday 18 April. To join us or for further information, please contact Barbara Deller (07940 266353), or Martin Howell (07939 288885).

**Thursday Midday Eucharist and the Bible Study Group** will also be stopping for the Easter break and will resume on 18 April.

**Save the date. Sunday 19 May:** The Christian Aid Cafe will take place on 19 May. We'll be needing volunteers to bake cakes, set-up and run stalls, etc, or otherwise just come and enjoy the cafe!

## MUSIC NOTICES

**Upcoming Evensong dates:** 16 June; 24 November 2024.

**Organ recital dates:** Saturdays at 11am on 11 May (James Carpenter, Beckenham Baptist Church); 13 July (composite recital); 21 September (Terence Atkins, Barnet Parish Church).

**Piano recital by Calum Ward**, featuring works by Ravel, Schubert and Chopin. Saturday 8 June at 11am.

**The Hymn Society is holding a day of talks on Saturday, 20 April 2024, 10:00am-3.30pm** at Union Chapel, Islington. Sessions include reflections on how we experienced worship during Covid, singing during the German Reformations, Ancient & Modern and English Hymnal - rivals or partners, and trends in Baptist worship - united or divided in song? The day will end with an Act of Worship with plenty of hymn singing. Book by contacting John Webber on [maggielandjohn1@gmail.com](mailto:maggielandjohn1@gmail.com)

**The Southwark Sinfonietta** will give a concert in St. John's Church as part of the Dulwich Festival on Sunday, 19 May at 6.00pm. It will include a Suite from Handel's Water Music and a performance with the Church Choir of "Cantique de Jean Racine" by Gabriel Fauré.

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