

# CHRIST CHURCH & ST MARK'S, WATFORD

God's love at the heart of all our  
activities and communities

19<sup>th</sup> April Second Sunday of **EASTER**

## He is risen!

Readings: Acts 2:22-32; John 20:19-end

10.30 Sunday worship from Christ Church & St Mark's, online, using Zoom app (free from Zoom website or various app stores) Contact Duncan for details so you can join in.

***The Church of England has suspended all public worship. There will be no services at Christ Church or St Mark's.***

***You can find prayer and other worship materials on [www.churchofengland.org](http://www.churchofengland.org)***

***Lift Off! activities and all our other groups are not meeting at present. The Food Bank on Thursdays will continue.***

*We will keep our entries on [achurchnearyou.org](http://achurchnearyou.org) up to date. You can find our pages by searching for "Christ Church, Watford" or "St Mark's, Watford" on the site.*

### Pray with us

**Collect** Risen Christ, for whom no door is locked, no entrance barred: open the doors of our hearts, that we may seek the good of others and walk the joyful road of sacrifice and peace, to the praise of God the Father.  
**Amen.**

**People recently baptised:** Logan-James Stewart

**People who are unwell or who need prayer:** Emma & family, Maurice, Angela, Marion Ray, Ollie Cowe, Rufus (9 months), Deloris Smith, Reuben (5 years), Matt Blake, Mick Sleeper, Greta, Margaret Wellings, Matt & family  
*To add a name to the prayer lists contact Duncan or the wardens.*

**People who are bereaved:** Ian Pankhurst & family; the families & friends of Pat Nokes (Holmes), Betty Sumpter (funeral Friday 11.00), Josephine Game (funeral Monday 12.00)

**People** who have long term health problems: Christopher Browne, Edmond Nyathie (Elizabeth's son), Kim Smith & Ryan, Ron & Doreen Foskett, Patricia Day, Janet Garrett, Neal Gooden, Lorna Jones, Marcus Wright, Douglas Whittaker

**Corona virus:** Please pray for people who have the disease, families and friends who have suffered bereavement through it, health professionals and all involved in decision making during this outbreak

**People & businesses living or working in our parish,** especially the people living in: Brett Place, Brighton Rd, Brixton Rd. **Businesses in:** Leavesden Rd and Courtlands Drive

**Local organisations:** New Hope - Winter shelter, Watford Town Centre Chaplaincy, Choices - Pregnancy Advice, The Living Room, Watford Schools Trust

Our **Link Churches:** the Christian community at Kwa Mkono, Tanzania, the church at Mainz-Gonsenheim, Germany and the Diocese of Ibba, Sudan.

**Watford Salvation Army** prayerfully considering how to keep serving Watford's people.

### Diary Dates and news

**Self-isolating?** Need help with shopping or similar? Contact Duncan or Paul and we'll try to find someone to help you.

**Premises committee** meeting postponed. Contact Paul or Duncan if you've got concerns about the premises.

**Kwa Mkono Supper Quiz 25th April Postponed**

<b>This week</b>	Time	Activity & Venue
Morning prayer readings		
Mon 20 <sup>th</sup> Ps 19; Col 1: 1-14		
Tues 21 <sup>st</sup> Ps 8; Col 1: 15-end		
Wed 22 <sup>nd</sup> Ps 30; Col 2: 1-15		
Thurs 23 <sup>rd</sup> Ps 5, 146; Eph 6: 10-20		<b>St George's Day</b>
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup> Ps 61; Col 3:12 - 4:1		

### Next Sunday

26<sup>th</sup> April 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter

**No services at our churches. We will be on line at 10.30. Contact Duncan for details but see also the diocesan website and the Church of England website**

Readings: Acts 2: 36-41; Luke 24: 13-35

**Contact us:** Vicar: Rev Duncan Campbell  
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Lift Off! Children's & Families Outreach  
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**Wanted:** Volunteers to help prepare the notice sheet – if you could do one every two or three weeks it would really help. Email Duncan to find out more