



# St John's with Holy Trinity, Ryde

*Where All are Welcome*

**7<sup>th</sup> April 2019**

**Passiontide**

**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent**

**Welcome** Please join us for tea /coffee in the hall after the 10am service.



## **SERVICES AND EVENTS THIS WEEK**

### **Sunday 7<sup>th</sup>**

8.30am: Holy Communion

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Hymns: 743, 321, 36, 681, 393

### **Monday 8<sup>th</sup>**

9.30am Cleaning and Maintenance

2pm Lent Group (6)

### **Thursday 11<sup>th</sup>**

10.30am: Holy Communion

6.30pm: Lent Group (6)

### **Friday 12<sup>th</sup>**

6.30pm: Choir practice

### **Saturday 13<sup>th</sup>**

10am: Quiet Day at Carisbrooke Priory

### **Sunday 14<sup>th</sup>**

8.30am: Holy Communion

10am: Family Service for Palm Sunday

**For further information visit:**  
[stjohnsryde.org.uk](http://stjohnsryde.org.uk)

There is a play area at the back of the church. Please feel free to use it with your children or bring the toys/books into the pews.

Alternatively, there is a group for pre-school and primary age children in the church hall during Communion Services, with fun Bible based stories and activities.



Toilets and baby changing facilities are in the church hall (through the panel door in the wooden war memorial)



Gluten free

If you require gluten free wafers or non- alcoholic wine please ask the people who greeted you at the door.



The hearing loop system is situated in the front section of pews, to the left of the central aisle facing the Altar.



If the fire alarm sounds please leave the church and gather in the driveway of the care home behind the church. Children in the Hall will be evacuated by the leaders.

**For a large print version of this leaflet please ask the person who greeted you.**

## **St John's News**

**Lent Groups** conclude in the Quiet Room on either Monday from 2-4pm or Thursday 6.30 to 8pm.

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> April 10am - 4pm.

### **Parish Quiet Day: Carisbrooke Priory:**

Spend a quiet day of prayer and reflection to prepare for the spiritual journey through Holy Week. The cost is £10 per person. This includes lunch and a contribution of £2.50 towards the cost of hiring the venue. Please check the list and arrange lifts if you need or can offer them

**Palm Sunday** is next week and everyone is welcome to our Family Service. The loose collection will help support the Bishop's Lent Appeal for Mental Health, and the support of people, especially children and young people, with mental health difficulties.

As part of our continuing 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebrations, we are organising a local **history exhibition** over the May Bank Holiday weekend. Details to follow.

**Prayer Stations** will be available again during Holy Week for everyone to use.

**Ryde Chorus** are holding a concert here at St John's on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> April at 7.30pm Tickets £12 (See poster in Hall for details)

If you would like to donate towards **flowers to decorate the church for Easter** please give donations to Pat Rees.

**Music and Cream Tea:** Big thanks to all the musicians, Angelina, JC, family and friends who gave their 'free' time to this enjoyable event. Also, to those who baked or helped in any way and everyone who came to watch, sing and eat, we raised £370 for church funds.

During **Holy Week** we will be offering **Evening Prayer** at 4pm on Mon 15<sup>th</sup>, Tues 16<sup>th</sup> and Wed 17<sup>th</sup>. Maundy Thursday (18<sup>th</sup>) Everyone is welcome to our **Dementia Friendly Easter Praise Service** at 2.30pm (Please take a poster if you have somewhere to display it.) At 6.30pm we will have a **Supper with Holy Communion** – please sign up now so that we know numbers to cater for, indicating if you can make a shepherd's pie to share - followed by a **vigil** in the Lady Chapel for those who want to stay. On **Good Friday** (19<sup>th</sup>) there will be a service at 1.30pm. On Easter Morning (21<sup>st</sup>) there will be no 8.30am Service but we will all worship together at 10am with **Holy Communion**. The Junior Church will meet in the Hall to explore the Easter Story.

**Oakfield School** will be in church for their Easter service on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April at 10.30am. You are all invited.

Our **Parish Lunch** is booked for Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April, 12.30 for 1pm at Appley Manor. Sign up in the South Transept then choose and pay on the day.

**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.

### **Philippians 3.4b–14**

<sup>4</sup> If anyone else has reason to be confident in the flesh, I have more: <sup>5</sup> circumcised on the eighth day, a member of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew born of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; <sup>6</sup> as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless. <sup>7</sup> Yet whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. <sup>8</sup> More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, <sup>9</sup> not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. <sup>10</sup> I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, <sup>11</sup> if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the

dead. <sup>12</sup> Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. <sup>13</sup> Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, <sup>14</sup> I press on towards the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

### **John 12.1–8**

<sup>1</sup> Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. <sup>2</sup> There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at the table with him. <sup>3</sup> Mary took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet, and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. <sup>4</sup> But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, <sup>5</sup> 'Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?' <sup>6</sup> (He said this not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.) <sup>7</sup> Jesus said, 'Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for the day of my burial. <sup>8</sup> You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me.'



**Post Communion:** Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us that what we do for the least of our brothers and sisters we do also for you: give us the will to be the servant of others as you were the servant of all, and gave up your life and died for us, but are alive and reign, now and for ever.

If you shop online please register with [easyfundraising.org.uk](http://easyfundraising.org.uk) to raise money for St John's. It costs you nothing and is simple to use- just choose St Johns Ryde as your chosen charity and most retailers will make a donation when you shop. See Bevaly for more details.

**This is love.**

Not that you spoke words of comfort,  
walked with the unclean and unloved,  
shared wisdom, bread and fish,  
brought healing into lives  
and challenged the status quo.

**This is love.**

That you spoke the word of God,  
walked a painful road to the Cross,  
shared living water, bread of life,  
brought Salvation to the world  
and died for the sake of all.

**This is love.**

It is a seed sown in the ground,  
which germinates, blossoms,  
and spreads its sweet perfume.

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**Prayer Lists:** Please add the names of those you would like us to pray for today to the list by the South Door.

**Please pray for** All IOW schools as they break up for Easter. The Barnabas Fund as they work with persecuted Christians around the world.

**RIP:** Frank Willett, Valerie Dwight, Rosemary Beales, Angela Rivers and Jean Frampton

**RIP Anniversaries:** Phillip Ireland (Mon), Harry Pymont, Paul Clarke, Derek Budden (Tue), Nancy Bean (Wed), Yvonne Posner, Barbara Cooke (Thu), Shamus Power (Fri), James Bond, Ronald Woods (Sat)

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