

# HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, TAUNTON



Tel: 01823 354800  
Email: [holytrinity01@outlook.com](mailto:holytrinity01@outlook.com)  
Visit us: [www.holytrinitytaunton.org](http://www.holytrinitytaunton.org)  
or at [www.achurchnearyou.com](http://www.achurchnearyou.com)  
Find us on Facebook @HolyTrinityTaunton

## Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> May



### The Good Shepherd

#### Services today: Fourth of Easter

8.00am Mass  
10.00am The Parish Mass #  
6.30pm Evening Prayer & Benediction #

# [www.youtube.com/@holytrinitytaunton](http://www.youtube.com/@holytrinitytaunton)

#### Services this Week:

Tuesday 10.00am Mass\*  
Wednesday No Mass  
Thursday 10.00am Mass\*  
Friday 12.30pm Mass\* followed by soup lunch  
Saturday 10.00am Mass\*  
6.00pm Vigil Mass  
\* FB: [holytrinitytaunton.org](http://holytrinitytaunton.org)

ALL SERVICES WILL BE IN THE CHURCH

#### Services next Sunday: Fifth of Easter

8.00am Mass  
10.00am The Parish Mass #  
6.30pm Evening Prayer & Benediction #

Morning Prayer is said at 9.00am via Zoom,  
Tuesday - Saturday

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84397209450?pwd=UXNURiN1UDhNSHpodUrEdUwyRnIrQT09>  
Meeting ID: 843 9720 9450

#### Please remember in your prayers:

#### Those with long-term sickness or disability:

*Names are remembered privately*

#### Those currently poorly or convalescing:

#### Those who have died recently:

#### Those whose anniversaries of death fall this week:

## NOTICES



**Annual Meetings** - thank you all who attended. John and Jenni continue as Wardens, we welcome Lindsay and Melanie to the PCC, and were grateful to Wendy for her work on the PCC as she didn't seek re-election. We will be seeking volunteers to assist on the committees: mission, social and buildings, especially. Please don't wait to be asked!



**Gardening** - Now that Spring really has arrived, help is needed to tidy the church grounds. The first session will be this Saturday, 17 May, between 2pm and 4pm. Please bring gloves and any tools (some will be available). Tea and cake available afterwards ...



**PCC Meeting** The first meeting of the new PCC will be on Wednesday week in the hall following mass in the church at 7.00pm.



**Ascension Day** There will be a Sung Mass on Thursday 29 May at 7.30pm, to celebrate the Ascension. Volunteers are needed to do the readings; copies are available at the back of church if you can offer to help. Thank you.



**Readers Rota** Thank you for those who agreed to be included on the new rota. Copies are available for you at the back



**Fr Peter Matin's funeral** will take place at St Michael's, Alcombe (Minehead) on Thursday this week at 2.00pm. May he rest in peace.

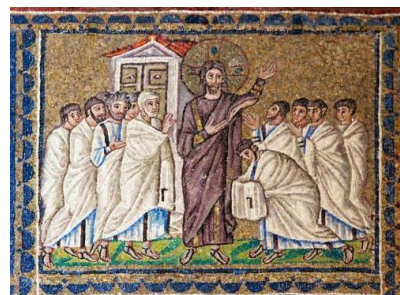


**Garden of Remembrance** the PCC has asked for permission to extend the area available for ashes. Details can be viewed at the back of the church.



**Outlook** If you wish to contribute an article for June's parish magazine, please let Jane Laurence have it by Wednesday week, 21st. Thank you.

*Any items for inclusion on the notice sheet to be received at the Parish Office by Thursday morning, please.*



# TODAY'S PARISH MASS

**Setting:** Tambling

**Introit Hymn:** 104

## **Introductory Sentence:**

The merciful love of the Lord fills the earth; by the word of the Lord the heavens were made, alleluia.

## **Collect of the Day:**

Almighty God,  
whose Son Jesus Christ is the resurrection and the life:  
raise us, who trust in him, from the death of sin  
to the life of righteousness,  
that we may seek those things which are above,  
where he reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## **1st Reading:** Acts 9 vv 36-43

*Peter continuing the work of Christ, sees the church  
growing with the comfort of the Spirit.*  
(Read by Andrew Puckett)

## **Responsorial Psalm:** 23

Choir The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

**All The Lord is my shepherd...**

Choir The Lord is my shepherd;  
There is nothing I shall want.  
Fresh and green are the pastures  
where he gives me repose.  
Near restful waters he leads me,  
to revive my drooping spirit.

**All The Lord is my shepherd...**

Choir He guides me along the right path;  
he is true to his name.  
If I should walk in the valley of darkness  
no evil would I fear.  
You are there with your crook and your staff;  
with these you give me comfort.

**All The Lord is my shepherd...**

Choir You have prepared a banquet for me  
in the sight of my foes.  
My head you have anointed with oil;  
my cup is overflowing.

**All The Lord is my shepherd...**

Choir Surely goodness and kindness shall follow me  
all the days of my life.  
In the Lord's own house I shall dwell  
for ever and ever.

**All The Lord is my shepherd...**

## **2nd Reading:** Revelation 7 vv 9-11

*The Lamb will be their shepherd and will  
lead them to springs of living water.*  
(Read by Bryony Puckett)

## **Gospel Acclamation:** (Please stand)

**All Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;  
I know my own sheep and my own know me.

**All Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

## **Gospel Reading:** John 10.22-30

*I give eternal life to the sheep that belong to me.*

## **Offertory Hymn:** 302

Prayer over the Offerings:

Grant, we pray, O Lord,  
that we may always find delight  
in these paschal mysteries,  
so that the renewal constantly at work within us  
may be the cause of our unending joy.  
Through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**Anthem:** The Lord, my shepherd, feed me.  
(arr. Edwards)

## **Communion Hymn:** 282

## **Post-Communion Sentence:**

The Good Shepherd has risen, who laid down his life for his sheep and willingly died for his flock, alleluia.

## **Post-Communion Prayer:**

Merciful Father,  
you gave your Son Jesus Christ to be the good shepherd,  
and in his love for us to lay down his life and rise again:  
keep us always under his protection,  
and give us grace to follow in his steps;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## **Post-Communion Hymn:** 272

## **Organ Voluntary:** Christ lag in Todesbanden (Scheidt)

*After the service, please come to the hall alongside the  
church for coffee and a chance to chat together (turn to  
the right as you leave by the main door). There's usually  
a raffle for a Sunday Treat!*

# EVENING PRAYER

**Readings:** Isaiah 63 vv7-14, Luke24 vv 36-49

**Psalm:** 113, 114

**Hymns:** 116, 282, 457

## **On duty next Sunday:**

Readers: Liz Hathway

Intercessor: Clergy

Sunday Treat: Margaret Jordan