

## HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, TAUNTON



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### Sunday 15 March



#### Services today: Lent 4 - Mothering Sunday

8.00am Mass

10.00am Parish Mass \*

4.00pm Evening Prayer and Benediction\*

#### Services this week:

Tuesday 10.00am Mass \*

Wednesday 7.00pm Mass \*

Thursday 10.00am Mass \*

Friday 12.30pm Mass \* and soup lunch

6.00pm Stations of the Cross

Saturday 6.00pm Vigil Mass

All weekday services will be held in the Vestry

#### Services next Sunday: Lent 5 – Passion Sunday

8.00am Mass

10.00am Parish Mass \*

4.00pm Evening Prayer and Benediction\*

All services marked \* are live streamed via FB

Morning Prayer is said at 9.00am via Zoom,

Tuesday - Saturday

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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



**PCC** The Parochial Church Council meets on Wednesday (18th), following mass in the Vestry at 7.00pm (please note the change of time of mass).



**Easter Lilies** Please complete and return your forms to the Parish Office by **TODAY** please. The cost is, still, £5 per bloom, Cash or BACS, please. Thank you.



**Seder Meal** There will be a traditional Jewish Passover meal on Saturday 28 March at 7.00pm in the church hall, in preparation for Holy week. Please sign the list at the back of church if you'd like to come. There is no charge, but donations are welcome.



**Sunday March 29** Being the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month, we are joining to worship with the Good Shepherd. There will Solemn Evensong and Benediction at the Good Shepherd at **6.00pm** that day.



**Posies** Thank you all who helped with the Mothering Sunday posies in any way.



**Chrism Mass** this year will be at Exeter Cathedral on Thursday 26 March at 11.00am. The Bishop of Exeter will celebrate the Chrism Mass with his clergy and people. Refreshments after! Do please come along.



**Monday Coffee Morning** 16<sup>th</sup> March at 32 Holway Rd 10.30am-12 noon. Raffle, produce stall all welcome. Cake donations very gratefully received!

#### Lent at Holy Trinity



**Stations of the Cross** As usual, there will be Stations of the Cross on every Friday in Lent, from this week, at 6.00pm. This is a simple devotion following the Lord from condemnation to resurrection, using the stations in the window splays. It will last just over 35 minutes.

#### Lent Group



There will be a Lent group meeting at the Vicarage at 7.30pm. The theme will be around 'discipleship':

19 March: Resourcing Discipleship

26 March: Living as Disciples

As well as 'giving up' please think about 'taking on' using the opportunities afforded elsewhere.



**Intercessors** If you would be interested in becoming or perhaps returning to reading our prayers at Sung Mass on Sundays and weekdays, please contact Lindsay on 07836619545 who will be very pleased to hear from you.

**Any notices for next week's notice sheet to be received at the Office by Thursday morning, please.**

## TODAY'S 10.00am PARISH MASS

Please follow the service in the purple service books;  
this sheet has this week's variations.

**Setting:** Warrell new Folk Mass

**Introit Hymn:** 394

### Introductory Sentence:

Rejoice, Jerusalem, and all who love her. Be joyful, all who were in mourning; exult and be satisfied at her consoling breast.

### Collect of the Day:

God of compassion, whose Son Jesus Christ, the child of Mary, shared the life of a home in Nazareth, and on the cross drew the whole human family to himself: strengthen us in our daily living that in joy and sorrow we may know the power of your presence to bind together and to heal; 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. **Amen.**

**1st Reading:** Exodus 2. 1-10

*The daughter of Pharaoh, finding a baby in a basket, took pity on him; she took him as her son and named him Moses.*

(Read by Margaret Jordan)

**Responsorial Psalm:** 127

Choir The Lord bestows honour on those whom he loves.

**All The Lord bestows honour on those whom he loves.**

Choir Unless the Lord builds the house, their labour is but lost that build it. Unless the Lord keeps the city, the watchmen watch in vain.

**All The Lord bestows honour ...**

Choir It is in vain that you rise up early and go so late to rest eating the bread of toil for the Lord bestows honour, and on those whom he loves. Behold the children are a heritage from the Lord: and the fruit of the womb is his gift.

**All The Lord bestows honour ...**

Choir Like arrows in the hand of a warrior are the sons of a man's youth. Happy the man who has his quiver full of them: he will not be put to shame when he confronts his enemies at his gate.

**All The Lord bestows honour ...**

**2nd Reading:** Colossians 3. 12-17

*Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts.*

(Read by Jenni Llewellyn)

**Gospel Acclamation:** (Please stand)

Choir Praise to you O Christ, King of eternal glory.

**All Praise to you O Christ, King of eternal glory.**  
I am the light of the world, says the Lord; whoever follows me will have the light of life.

**All Praise to you O Christ, King of eternal glory.**

**Gospel Reading:** Luke 2. 33-35

*This child is destined for the falling and the rising of many.*

**Offertory Hymn:** 336

### Prayer over the Offerings:

We place before you with joy these offerings, which bring eternal remedy, O Lord, praying that we may both faithfully revere them and present them to you, as is fitting, for the salvation of all the world. Through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**Anthem:** God beyond all names (Farrell)

**Communion Hymn:** 275

### Post-Communion Sentence:

The Lord anointed my eyes: I went, I washed, I saw and I believed in God.

### Post-Communion Prayer:

Loving God, as a mother feeds her children at the breast you feed us in this sacrament with the food and drink of eternal life: help us who have tasted your goodness to grow in grace within the household of faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**Post-Communion Hymn:** 413

**Organ Voluntary:** Nun danket alle Gott (Kaufmann)

### 'On duty' next Sunday:

**Readers:** Cheryl Grindle, Wendy Burge

**Intercessor:** Wendy Burge



Thank God  
for Mums!

## EVENING PRAYER TODAY

**Psalm:** 31. 1-8

**Readings:** Micah 7; James 5

**Hymns:** 60 (t. 244), 369, 70 (t. i)