

*The Calendar: 17th-22nd April—Easter Week*

**PARISH AGM  
IN CHURCH  
TUES 25TH APRIL @ 7.30 PM**



**Test your brains!!!**

Friends of St Andrew's  
**QUIZ NIGHT with Viv &  
Phil Redeyoff. THURSDAY 27th  
APRIL** 6 pm in the Church Hall.  
Tickets £5 adults, £3 under 16s to  
include Ploughman's supper - if you  
would like to come, please sign up on  
the board at the back of Church.

'Would you consider becoming a **Sides-  
person**? The main duties are assisting  
the Churchwardens and I can supply  
a 'job description'. If you are interested,  
please have a word with Daphne.

Memorial Service for **John Lloyd**  
here @ St. A @ 2 pm on **Thurs 27th  
April.**

Thank you so much for all your loving  
good wishes & prayers. We are over-  
whelmed by the beautiful cards we have  
received. I am making good progress &  
hope to be worshipping with you again  
very soon. Much love, **Margaret &  
Kenneth Gubbins.**

**Sat 29th April**, In Church, 7.30 pm.  
The Lions Concert with Chippenham  
Male Voice Choir.

Bishop's Visitation to be held in Malm-  
esbury Abbey on **Mon 8th May**  
**@ 7.30 pm:** Commissioning of Church-

Time2Live @ Pewsham Community  
Centre; **Tue 9th May 2-4 pm.** No regu-  
lar commitment, but more helpers re-  
quired to serve (very) light refreshments,  
and if able, just listen with Christian in-  
tent.

Items for inclusion in Pewsheets to be with  
Ros Harford 01249-812190  
[rosharf31@btinternet.com](mailto:rosharf31@btinternet.com) By Weds evg.



**Weds 19th April  
COFFEE SHOP  
9.30 AM—12 NOON**

**Foundations of Faith Course**—next  
meeting will be on **Thurs 4th May** in  
the Club Room 7.30 pm, and then  
fortnightly.

### **Confirmation**

We are pleased that St  
Andrew's will be hosting  
the next Confirmation Ser-  
vice for churches in our  
area on **Wednesday 24th May at  
7.30pm.** If you are not confirmed and  
would like consider making that step  
of faith, do please talk to Rod or Eryl.



### **Children's Society Collection**

**Boxes**— if you are a  
boxholder, please can  
hand your box into Muriel Morris  
(654920) asap, or give box to Ros  
Harford. There will be a Coffee  
Morning in aid of Children's Soc on  
**Sat 12th August** in Church.

**Christian Aid Week 14th-20th May:**  
More House-to-House collectors ur-  
gently required.

**From Bristol Cathedral: Weds  
17th May 7 pm @ The Chapter  
House.** Homelessness, Housing &  
Hope—special discussion panel with  
representatives from key service  
providers across city of Bristol. Tick-  
ets £3; Book via Bristol Cathedral  
website.

**Mid-Week H.C service:** Holy Commu-  
nion 8.30 am Thursday: **Morning Prayer**  
8.30 am Mondays, Tues, & Sat: Morning  
Prayer 8 am Wednesdays. Please note  
that Rod's day off is a Friday



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### **SUNDAY 16th APRIL EASTER DAY**

**8 am**—Said Eucharist—Traditional language

**10 am**— **ALL AGE EUCHARIST**

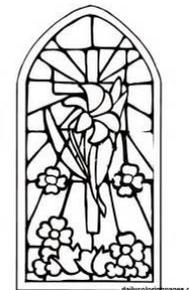
Reading: Acts 10. 34-43

Gospel: St John 20. 1-16

HYMNS: "Darkness Like a Shroud" (see overleaf);  
348, 667, 680, 637, 8, 672



**This Evening 16th April, Easter Day @ 6.30 pm TAIZE Service  
Informal Service of Prayer & Singing**



### **NEXT SUNDAY 23rd APRIL EASTER 2 (Year A)**

**8 am**—Said Eucharist—Traditional language

**10 am**— **PARISH EUCHARIST**

Reading: 1 Peter 1. 3-9

St John 20. 19-end

HYMNS: 96, 475, 380, 573

### **NO Andy's Tots 18th & 25th April**

**ANDY'S TOTS: 1.30 pm EVERY Tuesday** in church.

Songs, stories, craft and play for children  
aged 0-4. Everyone welcome!



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**From May, Family Worship will be the 3RD Sunday and All Age  
Eucharist on the 1ST Sunday of the month.**

If you would like to receive this weekly notice sheet by email, please sign the list and give  
your email details at the back of church.

## 16th April 2017: EASTER DAY (Year A)

### Collect

God of glory, by the raising of your Son you have broken the chains of death and hell: fill your Church with faith and hope; for a new day has dawned and the way to life stands open in our Saviour Jesus Christ.

### Post Communion

God of Life, who for our redemption gave your only-begotten Son to the death of the cross, and by his glorious resurrection have delivered us from the power of our enemy: grant us so to die daily to sin, that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his risen life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### Hymn: Darkness like a shroud, covers the earth

Darkness like a shroud, covers the earth.  
Evil like a cloud, covers the people.  
But the Lord will rise upon you,  
and his glory will appear on you.  
Nations will come to his light.

**Arise, shine your light has come,  
the glory of the Lord has risen on  
you.**

**Arise, shine your light has come  
Jesus the light of the world has come.**

2 Children of the light, be clean and pure.  
Rise you sleepers, Christ will shine on you  
Take the Spirit's flashing two-edged sword,  
and with faith declare God's mighty word.  
Stand up and in his faith be strong.

3 Here among us now, Christ the light  
kindles brighter flames in our trembling  
hearts.

Living Word our lamp, come guide our  
feet

as we walk as one in light and peace  
'til justice and truth shine like the sun.

4 Like a city bright so let us blaze.  
Lights in every street, turning night to  
day.

And the darkness shall not overcome,  
'til the fullness of Christ's kingdom comes  
dawning to God's eternal day

### 1st Reading: Acts 10. 34-43

Peter began to speak to them: 'I truly understand that God shows no partiality, <sup>35</sup>but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. <sup>36</sup>You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. <sup>37</sup>That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: <sup>38</sup>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. <sup>39</sup>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; <sup>40</sup>but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, <sup>41</sup>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. <sup>42</sup>He commanded us to

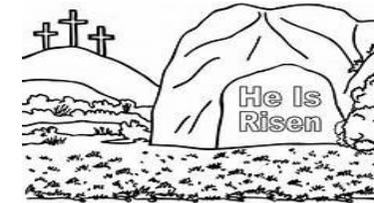
preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead.

<sup>43</sup>All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.'

### Gospel: St John 20. 1-16

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. <sup>2</sup>So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.' <sup>3</sup>Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went towards the tomb. <sup>4</sup>The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. <sup>5</sup>He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. <sup>6</sup>Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, <sup>7</sup>and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. <sup>8</sup>Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; <sup>9</sup>for as yet they did not understand the

scripture, that he must rise from the dead. <sup>10</sup>Then the disciples returned to their homes. <sup>11</sup>But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; <sup>12</sup>and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. <sup>13</sup>They said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping?' She said to them, 'They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.' <sup>14</sup>When she had said this, she turned round and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. <sup>15</sup>Jesus said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping? For whom are you looking?' Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, 'Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.' <sup>16</sup>Jesus said to her, 'Mary!' She turned and said to him in Hebrew, 'Rabbouni!' (which means Teacher).



### Remembering those who have asked for our prayers:

**Anne Baker, Mary Beint, Stanley Blake, Tony Bollen, Pauline Buckley, Lisa Cliff, Margaret Gubbins, Ken Harrison, Josie Harrison, Richard Holtham, Carol Iles, Diane Mansfield, Mary & Barbara Neate, Jan Sheppard, Andrew Spencer, Laura, Debby Whitby, Gwen Williams.** From our visitors: **David; Emma Bevan's family & friends; 6 y.o. James Little, very unwell & being tested for a "mystery illness"; a father in a depressed state; Rowena who had surgery on 23/3.**

**Communion of Saints & the Departed: John Lloyd, David Haines, Phyllis Payne**