

The Calendar:

23rd April—George, martyr, patron of England c 304; 24th—Melitus, bishop, 624;
Seven Martyrs of the Melanesian Brotherhood, 2003;
25th—Mark the Evangelist; 27th—Christine Rossetti, poet, 1894;
28th—Peter Chanel, missionary, martyr, 1841

Coffee Shop
Weds 25th April
9.30 am—12 noon



CHILDREN'S SOCIETY BOXES:

Now due in for collection. Please return them to Muriel Morris or to Ros Harford.

Date for your Diary:
Children's Society Coffee Morning
will be held Sat 11th August.

A big thank you to all those who kindly donated "Lilies in Remembrance" at Easter. It enabled the Flower Teams to create some beautiful arrangements for our Easter Celebrations. **Dorryta.**

Date for 2019 DIARY:

A Parish Retreat has been booked for the weekend **22nd March— 24th March 2019.** It will be held at the Marist Sisters Retreat Centre in Nympsfield, Gloucestershire.

Sat 12th May, 7.30 pm in Bath Abbey: Howard Goodall's "Eternal Light" a Requiem, with the Lucis Choir and guests.
Tickets: www.bathoffice.org.uk
01225-463362

Mid-Week H.C service : Holy Communion 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**

Forthcoming Concerts @ St. Andrew's

Sat 28th April: 7.30 pm Calne Choral Concert with the 2001 New Novello Edition of Haydn's The Seasons : Tickets £10.

Sunday 29th April

6.30 pm: Wilts Young Musicians Concert in Church.



And on:

Sat 12th May: 7.30 pm @ St Andrew's, Wellboring Concert: 4 Choirs Sing out!! Tickets £5 on the door. Info poster in Church Porch.

Friday 18th May: The Splitsecond Production of The Importance of Being Ernest (The same Company who came for "A Christmas Carol" back in December). Sue Hollands has tickets on sale on Wednesdays @ Coffee Shop £15 Adults, £10 under 18's.



"Foundations of Faith"

- A fortnightly discussion course getting to grips with some of the challenging questions of our faith, begins again in

May. Please let Rod know if you are interested, and whether Sunday, Monday or Wednesday evenings, or Saturday mornings, are preferred.

Items for inclusion in Pewsheets to be with Ros Harford 01249-812190 rosharf31@btinternet.com By Weds evening.



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TODAY: SUNDAY: 22nd April

(Easter 4: Year b)
8 am—Holy Communion (Traditional Language)
10 am—PARISH EUCHARIST
Reading: Acts 2. 42-47
Gospel: St John 10. 1-10
HYMNS: 754; 658; 354 17; 81; 305



Sunday Club meets in the Club Room @ 9.50 am

WARDEN ON DUTY TODAY : GEORGE SILK



NEXT SUNDAY: 29th April

(Easter 5: Year b)

8 am—Holy Communion (Traditional Language)
10 am—PARISH EUCHARIST
Reading: 1 Peter 2. 2-6
PSALM 31. 1-5
Gospel: St John 14. 1-7

HYMNS: 676; Walk with me Oh My Lord (on separate sheet) ; 716; 38; 408

PARISH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING WILL BE HELD ON TUES 24th APRIL, in Church @ 7.30 pm

Please take a copy of the church Annual Report to read before the meeting. Nomination forms for Churchwardens and members of the PCC are available today.

Contributions for the JUNE Parish Magazine need to be with Editor, Jenny Norris, by Sunday 29th June st.andrewschurch@zen.co.uk

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22nd April 2018: Easter 4 (Year B)

Collect

Risen Christ, faithful shepherd of your Father's sheep: teach us to hear your voice and to follow your command, that all your people may be gathered into one flock, to the glory of God the Father.

Post Communion

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

1st Reading: Acts 2. 42-47

⁴²They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. ⁴³Awe came upon everyone, because many wonders and signs were being done by the apostles. ⁴⁴All who believed were together and had all things in common; ⁴⁵they would sell their possessions and goods and distribute the proceeds to all, as any had

need. ⁴⁶Day by day, as they spent much time together in the temple, they broke bread at home and ate their food with glad and generous hearts, ⁴⁷praising God and having the goodwill of all the people. And day by day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved.

GOSPEL: St John 10. 1-10

Jesus said: 'Very truly, I tell you, anyone who does not enter the sheepfold by the gate but climbs in by another way is a thief and a bandit. ²The one who enters by the gate is the shepherd of the sheep. ³The gatekeeper opens the gate for him, and the sheep hear his voice. He calls his own sheep

by name and leads them out. ⁴When he has brought out all his own, he goes ahead of them, and the sheep follow him because they know his voice. ⁵They will not follow a stranger, but they will run from him because they do not know the voice of strangers.' ⁶Jesus used this figure of speech with

them, but they did not understand what he was saying to them. ⁷So again Jesus said to them, 'Very truly, I tell you, I am the gate for the sheep. ⁸All who came before me are thieves and bandits; but the sheep did not listen to them. ⁹I

am the gate. Whoever enters by me will be saved, and will come in and go out and find pasture. ¹⁰The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly.



Remembering those who have asked for our prayers:

Anne Baker, Mary Beint, Stan Bebbington, Stanley Blake, Tony Bollen, Pauline Buckley, Lisa Clift, Peggy, Michael & Warren Clark, Heather Deverell, Mary Fallon, Steve Goodman, Malcolm Hodges, Richard Holtham, Audrey Love, Nicole Lucuta, Diane Mansfield, Mary Neate, Liz Nelson, Mary Norris, Richard Rosser, Jan Sheppard, Jeanette Silk, Sue Stearn, Debby Whitby, Judy Winchester, Bob Williams; Sharon., 6 yo James Little;

From the Candle Stand: David; Charlie (not long to live); Mervyn; Shaun with a brain aneurysm; Paul; Lahari (for healing); Jennifer; For little Edward Collins whose brain tumour has returned, and for his parents Vicki & Alex; Mr & Mrs Lee; Kevin awaiting a lung transplant; Derek; Anon person mourning their mother,

Communion of Saints & the Departed: Carol Iles

Jennifer Metcalfe: We hold Jennifer, and her family in our prayers.

At St Nicholas, Tytherton Lucas—Our very popular Sunday Lunch will be held on **Sunday 20th May** in Bosmere Barn @ **12.30 pm** by kind permission of Ian & Jane James. Tickets £7.50 each with soft drink included. Please bring your own alcoholic beverage. Contact Sheila Laurence 01249-740687 if you would like to come: sheila.a.laurence@gmail.com

Rod has arranged for a Parish Quiet Day at Nympsfield, Glos, which will be on Saturday 12th July 10 am—3.30 pm: Details later

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