



News from Pip and Jim's & St Stephen's

Sunday 4th April Easter Day

See the attached Order of Service

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10am All Age Communion joint P&J and St Stephen's in person service held at St. Stephen's Tivoli. Led by Rev. Nick Davies. Preacher Rev. Nick Davies.

Please note that this service is now fully booked.

Also Available

10am Holy Communion service Livestreamed from St Peter's via Facebook for those not able to attend one of the in person services taking place on Easter Day.

The orders of service is attached with this email. You can watch the services online on this link:
www.facebook.com/pipandjims

Cheltenham Network Church are also offering a contemporary worship service via Zoom which is available on the link below. Do contact sarah@cnc.church for more information.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89024634091?pwd=OUZ0RUdkT3NZUngyT3hEZVpENGcrdz09>
Password: cheltnet20.

Prayer for the Week:

Gracious and loving God,
we pray you, bless this Easter Garden
that it may be a sign of new life and hope to all.
May it remind us that Jesus shares with us
his victory over death, and his new and risen life.
Amen.

Please see the order of service for readings & hymns

Please note the P&J office will be closed from Thursday 2 April and re-open on Monday 12 April 2021.

Upcoming Sunday Services

All livestreamed Team services can be watched (live or on catch-up) on www.facebook.com/pipandjims. You do not need a Facebook account to watch these.

Sunday 11 April Low Sunday

10am Holy Communion (incense)

In person service held at St. Stephen's Tivoli. Led by Rev. John Horan. Preacher Rev. John Horan.

Also Available

10am Holy Communion service Livestreamed from St Peter's via Facebook for those not able to attend one of the in person services taking place across the team.

Sunday 18th April

10am Holy Communion

In person service held at St. Stephen's Tivoli. Led by Rev. Nick Davies. Preacher Rev. John Horan. Livestreamed via Facebook.

Weekday Services

Private Prayer

Emmanuel: Tuesday, 10am-12noon
St. Christopher's: Wednesday, 2-4pm
St. Peter's: Wednesday, 11.00am-12noon
St. Stephen's: Wednesday, 10.00am – 12noon

Morning Prayer

Weekdays at 9.00am, livestreamed on Facebook at www.facebook.com/pipandjims



Events, News & Notices

Easter day Service

Dear friends

I wanted to write to you to let you know that we have now reached our capacity for the service at St Stephens on Easter Day. I'm afraid this means that, in order to keep everybody safe and to ensure that the event is COVID-compliant, we will not be able to admit anyone else to the service.

If you have not already booked, please do not turn up on the day but do tune in to the service from St Peters, Leckhampton which will be live streamed on Facebook here:
<https://www.facebook.com/pipandjims/timeline>.

With many thanks for your understanding!

Rev. Nick Davies

News from St. Stephen's

Rev. Nick writes...

I wanted to let the St Stephens congregation know that I am in conversations with the churchwardens and a priest in the diocese with regard to having pastoral care for St Stephen's, once Pip and Jim's reopens in May. It is my hope that this will enable St Stephen's services to continue as usual and for a consistency of priestly ministry. Those conversations are ongoing and I hope to be able to make an announcement in the coming weeks.

News from CNC and Emmanuel

Rev. Nick writes...

I wanted to let you know that for the next few months Cheltenham Network Church and Emmanuel, Naunton Park will be worshipping together on Sunday mornings at Emmanuel church. The leadership of both churches recently decided that this would be a good way to share resources over the coming months and to enable each congregation to support one another as each discerns their sense of calling. During this time, Sarah will continue to lead CNC and Nick will continue to chair the PCC at Emmanuel and work with them and the wider team as we look towards advertising for a new Team Vicar in the autumn.

Foodbank Donations

Donations can be taken to the Sunday 10am service at in St. Stephen's or left in the P&J Rectory porch. Items needed this week include sponge puddings, tinned fruit, tinned cold meat, UHT milk, jam, coffee, ketchup, tinned fish, toothbrushes and toothpaste and deodorant.

Resuming Public Worship

We will be holding joint in person 10am Sunday services at St Stephen's until the 2nd May 2021.

As we do so, we will continue to follow the current Government COVID guidance to ensure that we maintain safe numbers in Church and appropriate social distancing in order to keep everyone safe.

All those attending services are asked to provide contact information to comply with the government's Test and Trace programme.

Please bring a slip of paper with the name and two methods of contact details (e.g. landline telephone number, mobile phone number, email address or home address) for each person attending the service. Details will be stored securely, and deleted 21 days after the service.

Music Group songs for Easter

Maundy Thursday - *Broken for me, broken for you*
A & M 433

Good Friday - *Oh to see the Dawn/The power of the Cross*
A & M 182

Holy Saturday/Easter Eve: *In Christ alone*
A & M 678

Easter Day: *See what a morning*
A & M 215 and *Christ was raised*

Recordings (and a copy of words for the songs not in A & M) can be obtained from:

colindickinson2212@gmail.com.

A reflective Holy Week and a joyful and blessed Easter to everyone!

Linda Sucksmith & the Music Group

Diocese of Gloucester: Experience Easter



Experience Easter is an initiative bringing people together to share the story of Holy Week and Easter. A wide range of other resources are also available, aimed at engaging children, adults, families, teenagers, older people and those in residential homes with the Easter story. Information [here](#)

Gloucester Cathedral



Has a range of online activities for all ages and tastes including art, photography and the environment. [Information here](#)

There is also new content from the music department [information here](#)

Ken Shill

Dear all

As you may have heard, our brother, friend and colleague Ken Shill died. Please find below a link for the live broadcast of the funeral which will take place on Thursday 8th April at 12:30. We will begin to broadcast at 12 noon, so please click on the link any time after that and you will be able to take part in the service. https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCOL_Oq_Sulwc3SW7-5ch3kw/featured?app=desktop

May the light of Christ, rising in glory, dispel the darkness of our hearts and minds.

Rev. Nick Davies

Doreen Jewell

Members of P&J congregation will be sorry to hear of the death of Doreen Jewell. Doreen was a regular member of our 10am congregation and often brought the grandchildren along with her! Nick will be conducting her funeral at Cheltenham crematorium at 12:30 on Wednesday the 14th of April.

Nancy Hillman's Thanksgiving

Will be at St Christophers Warden Hill on Wednesday April 14th at 12 noon. As we are limited to 30, it would help us to hear from those who would like to attend. It is not possible to live-stream this Service. Please contact John and Rachael Willard 01242530051. john.willard2@btinternet.com

For Your Prayers

- For all who work in the NHS, and essential workers
- For all residents in care homes including Dot Cook, Jean Haigh and Gary Hiscock
- For all who are unwell including, Kay Quinnell, Shirley, Joy and Mary Jackson
- For all those who have died: may they rest in peace and rise in glory

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