

Events & Services this week

Saturday 6th 3.30pm Winnall Messy Church – Winnall Primary School
 Sunday 7th 9am Holy Communion – St Andrew’s Chilcomb
 10am Holy Communion – St John’s
 10am All In All Saints
 4pm All Saints@4 - informal contemporary worship
 6pm All Saints is hosting the monthly meeting of
 ‘Belong’ – the Burn 24/7 non-denominational
 worship prayer and ministry meeting

Wednesday 10.30am Midweek Communion followed by coffee

10.30am-Noon: Coffee All Saints' every Saturday

Prayers

For Baptism: Clara Gilliland & her father, David Gilliland [13th April]

For Healing: Cath McMaster; Claire & Family; Andrew Parker

Send all prayer requests to Wendy in the office: office@eastwinchester.org

Coming up

Weds 10th 7.15pm Lent Course Week 4 – The Mancy Room
 Becoming a sabbath-shaped church
 Readings: Exodus 16.2-3, 11-30 & Hebrews 4.1-11

Sunday 14th 9.45am Meet at St John’s Street for the Liturgy of the
 Palms and procession to St John’s for:

10am Holy Communion – St John’s & APCM

Palm 10am Holy Communion – All Saints

Sunday 4pm All Saints@4 - informal contemporary worship

Readings for next week 14th April : Palm Sunday

Isaiah 50.4-9a | Philippians 2.5-11 | Luke 23.1-49

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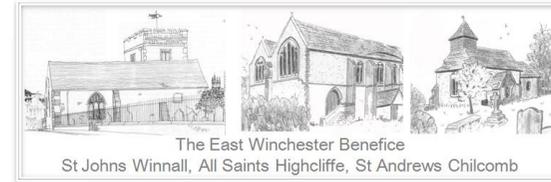
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**7th April 2019
 Passion Sunday**



Collect

Gracious Father, you gave up your Son out of love for the world: lead us to ponder the mysteries of his passion, that we may know eternal peace through the shedding of our Saviour’s blood, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Isaiah 43.16-21

Thus says the Lord, who makes a way in the sea, a path in the mighty waters, who brings out chariot and horse, army and warrior; they lie down, they cannot rise, they are extinguished, quenched like a wick:

Do not remember the former things, or consider the things of old. I am about to do a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert. The wild animals will honour me, the jackals and the ostriches; for I give water in the wilderness, rivers in the desert, to give drink to my chosen people, the people whom I formed for myself so that they might declare my praise.

Philippians 3.4b-14

...even though I, too, have reason for confidence in the flesh.

If anyone else has reason to be confident in the flesh, I have more: circumcised on the eighth day, a member of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew born of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless.

Yet whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on towards the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

John 12.1-8

Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at the table with him. Mary took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet, and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, 'Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?' (He said this not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.) Jesus said, 'Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for the day of my burial. You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me.'

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EASTER WEEK SERVICES & EVENTS

Maundy Thursday

7.30pm Last supper & communion - All Saints

Good Friday

10-11.30am Highcliffe Messy Easter - All Saints

2pm An Hour at the foot of the Cross - St John's

Easter Eve 'From Darkness into Light' Celebration [Saturday] - All Saints

7.30pm Meal, lighting the beacon & contemporary worship

Easter Sunday

9am Holy Communion St Andrew's

10am Holy Communion All Saints

10am Holy Communion St John's