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**Intercessions**

**Please pray for these and their families**

John & Diana Caley	Jean Williamson
Cyril & Sheila Findlay	Revd Kes Grant
Ken & Stella Bridges	Vera Alflatt
Clive & Andrea Lever	Millie Moss
Derek & Sue Parker	Audrey Little
Albert Daniels	John Bull
Ray Stephens & Family	Trish Weston
Daphne Holland	Dawn Gamble
Johnjoe Flood	
Alan Gupwell	

**The Departed**

**Notices**

**Lent Course - Post Script.** We continue our discussions by exploring issues in the Ken Loach film 'Daniel Blake'. Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> April, St Philip's Coffee lounge at 7.30pm. The DVD's should be returned ASAP to Clive Lever.

**All Saints Pastoral Care** – There is a list by the coffee area with names and explains the purpose of this list. Please familiarise yourself with this and contact Mary Shaw should you like your name to be added or removed. Thank you.

**Quiz Night** – The restoration is holding a Quiz Night at All Saints on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> April at 7pm. Tickets are £5 each and there will be a raffle. Please bring your own drinks and nibbles and book your place or table with Mary Shaw by the 31<sup>st</sup> March. 01622 631368 or shaw12cornflower@btinternet.com.

**A Wholeness & Healing Service** – This will be held at All Saints on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> April at 7.30pm. For more information please contact Mary Shaw.

**The Willington Players-** Next production is Hi-de-Hi, a stage adaptation of the famous TV sitcom from the 1980's. We hope that people will enjoy this one and it will certainly be very different from Sense & Sensibility. Diane Daniels will be getting tickets for Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2018-£14 each.

**Deanery Prayer for April** - Please see *Community* and the notice boards for further details.

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**01<sup>st</sup> April 2018**

**Easter Sunday**

**At All Saints**

**Readings at the 8.00am Said Eucharist** begin on page 128 and the service starts on page 237.

**Music for the 9.30am Choral Eucharist Service:** Wilshire (Shepherd)  
**Please follow the Special Order Of Service**

*Communion Motets:*

***This joyful Eastertide - Wood***

***Up from the grave he arose – Lowry***

***Psalm after the Dismissal: Psalm 111***

*We invite all children to join us for an Easter Egg Hunt following the service*

**11.00am Parish Eucharist at St Philips Followed by coffee & Easter biscuits**

**3.15pm Choral Evensong at All Saints**

**Please join us for refreshments after the 9.30am & 11.00am Service**

**What's on this Week**

<b>Tuesday</b>		<b>3<sup>rd</sup> April</b>
10.00am-12noon	Coffee & Chat at St Philips	
<b>Wednesday</b>		<b>4<sup>th</sup> April</b>
	<b>No St Philips Toddlers at St Philips Half Term</b>	
<b>Thursday</b>		<b>5<sup>th</sup> April</b>
10.00am	Restoration Meeting All Saints Vestry	
12.00noon	Said Eucharist at All Saints	
7.30pm	Lent Course discussion at St Philips	
<b>Saturday</b>		<b>7<sup>th</sup> April</b>
7pm	All Saints Quiz Night at All Saints	
<b>Sunday</b>		<b>8<sup>th</sup> April</b>
	<b>The Second Sunday of Easter</b>	
	<b>8.00am</b> BCP Said Eucharist at All Saints	
	<b>9.30am</b> Choral Eucharist at All Saints	
	<b>11.00am</b> Family Service of the Word at St Philips	
	<b>11.00am</b> Parish Eucharist at St Stephen's	
	<b>Readings for the main Eucharist next week</b>	
	Acts 4.32-35 1 John 1.1-22 John 20.19-end	



**PLEASE TAKE THIS LEAFLET AWAY WITH YOU**

## **CW Eucharistic Readings & Prayers today**

### **COLLECT**

Lord of all life and power, who through the mighty resurrection of your Son overcame the old order of sin and death to make all things new in him: grant that we, being dead to sin and alive to you in Jesus Christ, may reign with him in glory to whom with you and the Holy Spirit be praise and honour, glory and might, now and in all eternity.

### **Reading Acts 10.34-43**

Then Peter began to speak to them 'I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: 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. 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; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, 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. 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. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.'

### **Reading 1 Corinthians 15.1-11**

Now I should remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you unless you have come to believe in vain.

For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to someone untimely born, he appeared unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace towards me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it

was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

### **Gospel John 20.1-18**

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. 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.' Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went towards the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples returned to their homes. But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; 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. 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.' When she had said this, she turned round and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. 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.' Jesus said to her, 'Mary!' She turned and said to him in Hebrew, 'Rabbouni!' (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, 'Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, "I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God."' Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, 'I have seen the Lord'; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

### **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.