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30<sup>th</sup> April, 2017

Third Sunday of Easter

*A warm welcome to you all and please take this pewsheet away with you.  
Please join us after the service in the Church Hall for tea and coffee.*

### Today's Services

**08:00 Eucharist**

**10:30 Parish Eucharist**

**15:00 Baptism** - Bobby Jack Trent

**15:30 Baptism** - Mohammed Hussein

### Parish Eucharist

*Please refer to the Service Booklet.*

### Introit Hymn - In Christ alone

In Christ alone my hope is found,  
He is my light, my strength, my song;  
This Cornerstone, this solid Ground,  
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.  
What heights of love, what depths of peace,  
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!  
My Comforter, my All in All,  
Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone! - who took on flesh,  
Fullness of God in helpless babe.  
This gift of love and righteousness,  
Scorned by the ones He came to save:  
Till on that cross as Jesus died,  
The wrath of God was satisfied -  
For every sin on Him was laid;  
Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay,  
Light of the world by darkness slain;  
Then bursting forth in glorious day  
Up from the grave He rose again!  
And as He stands in victory  
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me,  
For I am His and He is mine -  
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death,  
This is the power of Christ in me;  
From life's first cry to final breath,  
Jesus commands my destiny.  
No power of hell, no scheme of man,  
Can ever pluck me from His hand:  
Till He returns or calls me home,  
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

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### Collect/Readings/Psalm (see separate sheet)

Acts 2.14a, 36-41

Psalm 116.1-3,10-end [or 116.1-7]

1 Peter 1.17-23

## Gospel Acclamation

**Alleluia, Alleluia, alleluia.**

Lord Jesus, explain the Scriptures to us.

Make our hearts burn within us as you talk to us.

**Alleluia, Alleluia, alleluia**

**Gospel: Luke 24.13–35**

### Offertory Hymn

**495 - The strife is o'er**

**Communion Hymn**

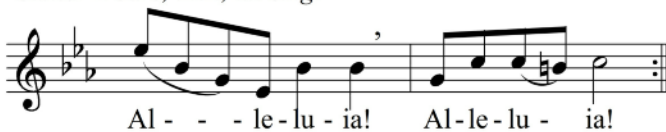
### Christus Resurrexit!

Christ is Risen!

*Cantor 2 bars, then, all sing:*



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## Relentless lover, God in Christ

Relentless lover, God in Christ  
who died to set us free,  
unswerving as your love for us  
may our commitment be:  
to come and learn what courage means,  
and take the challenge up  
to walk with Christ through death to life,  
to drink his bitter cup.

So let the Spirit draw us near  
to find, in hope and trust,  
his broken body risen here,  
his life renewed in us.  
Life given, life renewed again  
in thousand fold increase;  
he lives, and sends us out to be  
his living gift of peace.

And when we come, may that fierce love  
be tasted, touched and known,  
as we who gather round the Cross  
meet in Christ's death our own.  
God grant we shall not fear to drink  
his cup, the blood he shed,  
nor let our hands, unwounded, shrink  
from taking up his bread.

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## Recessional Hymn

**80 - Christ the Lord is risen again - (with alleluias omit vv.3, 4)**

### Voluntaries:

Freu dich sehr, O meine Seele (Rejoice greatly, O my soul) - Carl Piutti  
Ein feste Burg is unser gott (A mighty fortress is our God) - Carl Piutti

*Please do join us for coffee in the Church Hall after the service*

### Please Pray for:

**The Sick:** Christine (Neil) Harris, Oliver Baxter-Smith, Joanna Holley, John Crompton, Shirley Johnson, Peter Herzog, Rita Thompson, Jason, Brendan Soul, Christine (Robert) Harris, Malcolm Nixon, Clive Blackman, Neil Stanaway, Margaret Richards, Ruth Bryant, Andrew Johnson.

**The Departed:** Ruby Horner, Vivian Chaplin, Chris Wildes, Richard Ford.

## DIARY

### May 2017

#### **BOOK STALL IN CHURCH ON SUNDAY MORNINGS IN MAY FOR CHRISTIAN AID**

Good quality books urgently required – a box is available in the porch.

27th **60s Night with the RAFA Skiffle Band.** 7pm Tickets £12 to include Fish & Chip Supper & first drink. Tickets from the Parish Office.

### June 2017

1st **Churches Together Prayer Concert** ‘Thy Kingdom Come’ hosted by St. Wilfrid’s Church 7:15- 9:15 pm; doors open 6:45pm. Special guest Rev Victoria Lawrence who is an Ambassador for the Cinnamon Network.

22<sup>nd</sup> **Regis School Concert** at St. Wilfrid’s church NOTE DATE CHANGED.

25<sup>th</sup> **‘Pimms and Hymns’** 16:30 – 18:00 in the vicarage garden. Tickets £7 from the Church Office.

### July 2017

22nd **Vintage Tea Party** with Stalls - further details shortly.

### Men's Breakfast

Every 2nd Saturday 08:30 Aldwick Hotel. Bookings:  
Roger Hollingshead ☎ 07860 794295 or Keith Richards ☎ 01243  
822808

### House Groups

**The Monday Afternoon House Group** reconvened on 24<sup>th</sup> April and meet in  
the Committee Room at Church  
14:30 - 16:30.

☎ Gill Hutchison 01243 827990

**The Thursday Evening House Group** will reconvene at 19:15 Furse Field on 4<sup>th</sup>  
May.

☎ Linda Beckley 01243 840772

### Gift Aid Envelopes

If you pay Income Tax please use one of the gift aid envelopes as this  
will increase your donation by 25%.



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## 60s Night with the R.A.F.A. Skiffle Band



**and Fish & Chip Supper**

**Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> May**

6:45pm for 7pm

Tickets from the Parish Office:

£12 inc Supper & First Drink