

Prayer and Thanksgiving this week

People

- Pray for Camilla Walton, Jay & Don Stanley, Adrienne & Rod Welling, Brian Collins, Sid Dixon, Margaret Parsons, Carina Boddy, Vera Fillary, Margaret Baker and Charlie Cameron - we remember all those who care for them.
- We remember with love Elizabeth Roberts who died recently - may she rest in peace and rise in glory. The funeral service will be held next Wednesday at Cadmore End.
- For our church family members: Helen Poyser, Sean, Noah & Gabriella Mason, Ilse Rankin, Peter Read and Dilys Reeves

Community

- Pray that we may build together God's living Community, bound together by love, hope and joy.
- For everyone at St Thomas' as they face change and open themselves to God's will and direction.
- Paul Cornelius as he leads us to the Next Phase with the Steering Group – Andrew, Chris, Fiona, Trevor, Tony, Ruth and Narinder
- For our new DCC and Church Wardens - Peter Honiball, Paul Cornelius, Chris Jones, Frank Dardis, Trevor Sharkey, Fiona Collins, Ruth Moores, Catherine Davidson, Helen Buchanan, Keith Smith and Jennifer Lewis.
- The Ambulance and Police Services
- Thank God for our witness and opportunities in this Community.

Church

- For strengthening relationships between all the Beaconsfield Churches as we seek to serve our community together.
- For Peace and Justice

World

Lord of life - we pray for all who bring your word of life as a light to those in darkness - For those who bring your word of peace.

To those enslaved by fear - For those who bring your word of love - to those in need of comfort. Lord of love and Lord of peace - Lord of resurrection life - be known through our lives and through your power. Christ the Lord is risen today Alleluia Amen

Mission – Wycombe Homeless Connection is celebrating its 10th year this year. They are an organisation dedicated to helping the homeless by providing a safe place to sleep in their night shelter and helping to progress the homeless to lead independent lives by developing personalised plans and leasing with other agencies. Please pray for individuals and families that are now feeling the effect of the Benefit Cap reduction introduced in November last year. For rough sleepers as they face the cold-please pray that they are guided to the support centre so that they can be helped move on. That their 10th year may be a productive and successful year for the charity.



ST THOMAS CHURCH
HOLTSPUR BEACONSFIELD



To transform lives through faith in Jesus

16th April 2017

Easter Sunday



9.00am

**Celebrate with Easter Breakfast
in St Thomas Hall**

10.00am

**All-Age Communion
Celebrant & Preacher:
Narinder & Cathy**

- **1 Peter 1: 3-9 (Page 1217)**
- **John 20: 1-18 (Page 1089)**

Easter Sunday

God of glory,
by the raising of your Son
you have broken the chains of death and hell:
fill your Church with faith and hope;
for a new day has dawned
and the way to life stands open
in our Saviour Jesus Christ.

Services and Events for Next Week

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| Tuesday 18th | 8.30am | Morning Prayer |
| Wednesday 19th | 8.30am | Morning Prayer at St Mary's |
| | 9am | Holy Communion at St Mary's |
| | 10am | House Group meets at Jennifer Lewis' House |
| Thursday 20th | 8.30am | NO Morning Prayer |
| Friday 21st | 8.45-11am | Hope Café Drop-In |
| | 9.00am | Holtspur School Assembly |
| | 3pm | Oasis Team Tea at St Thomas House |
| | 7pm | Holtspur Youth Club |
| Saturday 22nd | 9am-12pm | "Walking with HOPE" in St Thomas Church |
| Sunday 23rd | | The Second Sunday of Easter: Alleluia Christ is Risen Narinder's Final Service |
| | 9.30am | Church Prayer |
| | 10.30am | Holy Communion Celebrant & Preacher: Narinder |
| | 12.30pm | Followed by Lunch in St Thomas Hall (Please do speak to Julie or Andrew by 16th April if you would like to attend) |

Please e-mail your notices to cadali.stthomas@gmail.com
by **Thursday 1pm** next week



Save the date:

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| April | 30 th | APCM at St Michael's Church at 6.30pm |
| May | 25 th | Bishop of Oxford at the Maidenhead Synagogue |
| June | 17 th | RAF Halton Area Band concert for Mission Aviation |

Adele, Frank & family

We would like to create a mixed hamper for their new baby. If you would like to donate any baby items - from baby wipes to clothes, please give them to Michelle who will create the hamper. Thank you Narinder

Narinder & Oosman's Farewell Service and Lunch on Sunday 23rd April.

You are all invited to a Celebration Service at 10.30am followed by lunch and games. There will be an opportunity of sharing stories and memories of our time together and give thanks for the many blessings.

For catering purposes- Please sign the list at the back of the church or email Andrew & Julie Snelling julie.snelling3@gmail.com.

Quiz night in aid of Newham RAMP day out to Odds Farm. Saturday 29th

April 7pm in the FWC. £15 per head - includes hot supper. There's a sign up sheet at the back of church for registering teams - payment to the parish office. If you want to be there but can't get a team together please register & we'll put you into teams of 8. Cash bar & raffle.

Great Missenden Choral Society - Saturday 29th April 7.30pm

at St Mary's Church, Old Amersham. A Concert featuring the magnificent Bach B minor Mass. For tickets contact Ken Darvill (01494 713217) or go to <http://www.gmcsonline.co.uk/concerts-and-tickets> to book.



Contacts at St Thomas'

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