Hymns, Readings. and Notices

Processional Hymn;-

205: Jesus Christ is risen today

Collect

Lord of all life and power, through the mighty resurrection of your Son you 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.

First Reading

Read by jim Manning

A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles

Then Peter began to speak to them: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, ³⁵ but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. ³⁶ You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. 37 That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: 38 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. ³⁹ 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; 40 but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, 41 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. ⁴² 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.
⁴³ All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

This is the word of the Lord Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn:

197; Alleluia, alleluia, give thanks to the risen Lord

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia Celtic Alleluia Alleluia

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

On the first day of the week, at early dawn, they went to the tomb, taking the spices that they had prepared. ² They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, ³ but when they went in they did not find the body. ⁴While they were perplexed about this, suddenly two men in dazzling clothes stood beside them. ⁵ The women were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, "Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here but has risen. ⁶Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, ⁷ that the Son of Man must be handed over to the hands of sinners and be crucified and on the third day rise again." ⁸Then they remembered his words, ⁹ and returning from the tomb they told all this to the eleven and to all the rest. ¹⁰ Now it was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of lames, and the other women with them who told this to the apostles.

¹¹ But these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them.
 ¹² But Peter got up and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; then he went home, amazed at what had happened.
 Glory to You O Lord This is the Gospel of the Lord Praise to you O Christ *****

The Prayers

The prayers are led by Frankie Hawkins

Those for whom prayer has been asked:

For those on active service in places of danger. $\underset{\texttt{MARW}}{\texttt{MARW}}$

Dick and Caroline Seed our CMS Missionaries

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The Migrant and Refugee Crisis

Visitors to The Top Up Shop and Family First

Linda Best, Rosie & John Gray, Lesley Horrocks, Jeanette Budinger, Gavin Sonia Steggall, Sam, Debbie Shaves, Ervenette Harbord, Gill Earey Brian, Stephen Abbott, Jim Flemming, and those known privately to us. Those who have died recently Mike Hall Angela Parobij, Michael Chance We remember the anniversary of death of Gerald Marjoram 13 April 2020 Christine Luther 13 April 2013 15 April 2019 Marion Sowter Muriel Baker 23 April 2000 Frederick Fellingham 25 April 1990

Daphne Stephenson 25 April 2016 Lily Webb 25 April 2024

Please remember to pray for the following friends of our Parish who are not able to worship with us at this time Vera Emeny, Rita Appleton