



Easter 3 Sunday 19 April

Theme for today

Today we hear Jesus' parting words to his followers in Galilee giving them his great commission to go into the world and make disciples of all nations.

9.00am Matins BCP Isaiah 40 v 1-11
Matthew 28 v 11-20
Rev Tim Ward

10.30am Holy **Communion CW with children's group**
John 20 v 1-18 video
Matthew 28 v 11-20
Rev Tim Ward

6.00pm Evening Prayer BCP Zephaniah 3 v 14-end
Luke 24 v 13-35
John Roberts

Set Prayer for Today

Risen Christ, you filled your disciples with boldness and fresh hope: strengthen us to proclaim your risen life and fill us with your peace, to the glory of God the Father. Amen

Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers:
Please pray for the Richards' family, especially for Levi,
along with, Fliss Davies for strength & healing.

Pray for our Community:

London Road, Orchard Way and Deans Close, Fontwell

ST MARYS EVENTS

Tuesday 21 April

8.15am Zoom Parish Prayer Meeting. Please email Tim Ward vicar@stmaryswalberton.org.uk if you need a link which stays the same throughout the month.

9.00am Churchyard Working Party. Churchyard working group working on today. Contact Peter Brown 551829.

9.15am Outreach Action Group at 10 Collins Close.

7.00pm Women's pub night at the Holly Tree. All are very welcome. We are setting up a WhatsApp group for St Mary's women, please let Caroline Sewell know on 07711 679315 if you'd like to be added. It is a great way of keeping up-to-date with what's going on.

Wednesday 22 April

10.30am Morning Home Group. We are looking at the questions that Jesus asked. If you are attending, please can you email Vanessa who is hosting this term. vchurch@btopenworld.com 07717 075848.

Thursday 23 April

6.00pm Binsted PCC at the Old Rectory.

Friday 24 April

10.30am Coffee Stop. Come and enjoy tea and coffees and a chat in the Pavilion. Any profits go to charity. Post Office is open from 9am –12 noon.

Tuesday 28 April

7.00pm Walberton PCC in the Church office.

Tuesday 5 May

Binsted ACPM at the Old Rectory.

Sunday 10 May

5.30pm Rogation Sunday Prayer walk to Binsted Church. Starting at the Vicarage. We stop along the way, pray for the farms and golf course and the horticulture of our parishes.

Evening prayer at 6.00pm.

Thursday 14 May

10.00am Ascension Day Holy Communion.

12.00pm Mother's Union at Church will have a talk by Caroline Wilson who is a PCSO. All welcome. If you would like to join, please contact Mary on 07946 523969 or lewismaryp@hotmail.com

Tuesday 19 May

7.00pm Walberton ACPM in Church.

Thursday 21 May

10.00am Little Lambs in the Church for pre-school children, babes and their carers. Come and enjoy songs, crafts, story, coffee and chat.

CHURCH AND COMMUNITY NEWS

~ Electoral Roll opened for revision Sunday 22 March - Anyone who is baptised and living in the Parish or who has been attending for six months can join the roll. The roll will close on 26 April until the ACPM on 19 May. If you joined last year you **don't have to do anything**. Forms available at the back of the church or from Julie Allday 544615.

~ New Wine 2026 - 28 July to 2 August. (option to pack and go the morning of 3 August which many of us do).

Do come to Somerset with us for a time of fun, friends and family as we encounter Jesus in new and wonderful ways and have quality time together. Camp or stay off site in a B and B. Children love it, young people love it, adults love it, we all love it. You'll come back refreshed and yes maybe exhausted, but you won't regret going. Please talk to Caroline Sewell who is intending to go for costs and logistics or to Sandra Cooke for an idea of what it is like. The Support Fund is able to offer help with costs (upto one third) see Tim. This is a New Wine Event.

Our Vision

"We aim to be a growing church: growing in the love of God as we grow in prayer, in understanding of our faith, and in the use of the gifts each has been given; growing in love for our community as we grow in service, in sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ"

Services for Next Week

26 April Easter 4

9.00am Holy Communion BCP Julie Allday

10.30am Ising Morning Praise with children's group
Julie Allday

6.00pm Evening Prayer CW Rev Tim Ward

CW = Common Worship BCP = Book of Common Prayer

Parish News Deadline for the May 2026 issue is Apr 10
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Newsheet deadline:
Thursdays 9.30am

Office Open:
Weds, Thurs & Fri
9.00am - 11.00am

Out of Office Hours:
Rev. Tim Ward
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LARGE-PRINT COPIES OF HYMN, SERVICE BOOKS ARE AVAILABLE;
PLEASE ASK A SIDESMAN.
A WHEELCHAIR IS ALSO AVAILABLE.