

A Community enriched by Christian faith, worship and values.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, COOKHAM

IN THE BENEFICE OF THE
COOKHAMS.

SERVING AT THE HEART
OF THE COMMUNITY

Second Sunday of Easter
11th April 2021



Our weekly pattern of services and church opening are as follows:

Mondays

Daily prayers on YouTube

Tuesdays

10.00am - 12.00noon

Holy Trinity church is open for private prayer

Wednesdays

10:00am

Eucharist at St John the Baptist Church

Thursdays

7:30am

Eucharist at Holy Trinity Church

Fridays

Daily prayers on YouTube

Sundays

9:15am

Eucharist at St John the Baptist Church

11:00am

Eucharist at Holy Trinity Church

6.30pm

Evening music on YouTube



A Tribute to Prince Philip 6.30pm YouTube

A short musical tribute to HRH The Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh will premiere at 6.30pm on YouTube on Sunday 11th April.



Charles Elly RIP

The funeral will be on Weds 14th April 11.00am at Saint John the Baptist. Due to Covid restrictions, it will be by invitation only, but it will be livestreamed for people to watch. If anyone wishes to have the link for livestream sent to them could they please send their email address to Lorna Sykes at:

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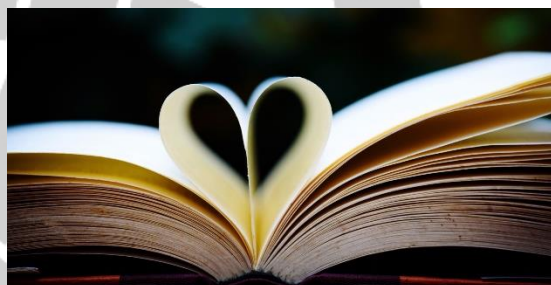
Please pray for

Those who are ill...

Tom Copas, Lesley Fulker, Bryan Lewis, David Ashwanden.

Those who have died:

Charles Elly RIP, Sue Downey RIP, Harman Dean RIP, Richard Brown RIP



Readings and Prayers Sunday 11th April 2021

The Collect

Almighty Father,
you have given your only Son to die for our sins
and to rise again for our justification:
grant us so to put away the leaven of malice and
wickedness
that we may always serve you
in pureness of living and truth;
through the merits of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.



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First Reading: Acts 4:32-35

The whole group of those who believed were of one heart and soul, and no one claimed private ownership of any possessions, but everything they owned was held in common. With great power the apostles gave their testimony to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and great grace was upon them all. There was not a needy person among them, for as many as owned lands or houses sold them and brought the proceeds of what was sold. They laid it at the apostles' feet, and it was distributed to each as any had need.

Gospel Reading: John 20:19-31

When it was evening on the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.' When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, 'We have seen the Lord.' But he said to them, 'Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.'

A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.' Thomas answered him, 'My Lord and my God!' Jesus said to him, 'Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.'

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

Prayer after Communion

Lord God our Father,
through our Saviour Jesus Christ
you have assured your children of eternal life
and in baptism have made us one with him:
deliver us from the death of sin
and raise us to new life in your love,
in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,
by the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ.
Amen.



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