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HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, COOKHAM IN THE BENEFICE OF THE COOKHAMS SERVING AT THE HEART OF THE COMMUNITY

> 7th April 2024 Second Sunday of Easter



Electoral Roll is Now Open

The Electoral Roll is open for applications until Monday 8th April. It is open to anyone who is baptised and will be over 16 years of age during the coming year. If you are already on the 2023 Electoral Roll you DO NOT need to complete a form. The forms are available in church on the table by the entrance door, completed forms can be left in the adjacent posting box during services or put through the letterbox at the Parish Office. The Electoral Roll is a list of all regular worshipers at Holy Trinity (and those unable to attend for health reasons). Being on the Electoral Roll enables you vote at the Annual Parochial Church Meeting on Sunday 28th April and serve on our Parochial Church Council. If you have any questions please contact Malcolm Sturges telephone 07710557015 or email malcolm81f@qmail.com



Thursday Morning

Just a reminder that the time of our Thursday morning Holy Communion service has changed to 8.00am.



Head Chorister

We are delighted to have awarded Jennie, a member of our Girls' & Boys' Choir, a Head Chorister medal. She has already racked up many years of membership and she is a committed and valuable voice amongst our choristers. Jennie is wearing her medal for the first time today. Well done Jennie. And why not tune in to our online 'Easter in Cookham' to hear a beautiful reading from her great grandmother, Wendy Craig?



Coffee Helper Needed

Are you able to spare just one Sunday every six weeks to help with coffee? We would love for you to join our lovely team. Please speak to Sheila Draper if you can help. Thank you





Walk of Witness

A huge thank you to everyone that came along to our traditional Stations of the Cross Walk of Witness through the Cookhams on Good Friday. We were blessed with good weather and there was a great turnout - I lost count at 80 people! Thank you also to everyone who helped to make the coffee and prepare the hot cross buns at the start and finish of the walk. It was much appreciated! The paintings will be in place for about 10 days after Easter, after which they will go on show in the Holy Trinity Parish Centre in Cookham.



Please pray for those who are ill... Graham Soul, Hugh Gallagher, Valerie Hamer, Philip Stacey, Lucy Hull, Sylvia James **We pray for those who have died...** Mr Nickolas RIP, Sheila Norstrom RIP, Penelope Gingell RIP, Marguerite Allen RIP, Maureen Meads RIP

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Easter Vigil

Thank you to David for this lovely picture of the Dawn Vigil. It was a beautiful service. Thank you too to everyone who helped with the breakfast afterwards.



Saving New Brainstorm School It is with sadness that we inform you that Mr Nickolas passed away earlier this year. He was the inspirational teacher at New Brainstorm School in Kampala, Uganda. A gentle and humble man who helped to build strong and resilient pupils. He will be missed. Lisa Peters is visiting New Brainstorm School and sent this message: As always, my trip is full of moments of great happiness followed by painful lows, but always love. I could not be more proud of our wonderful teachers Madam Julie, Emma Kintu and our amazing pupils. It is hard to witness the deep grief so many people feel with the passing of Mr Nickolas but together we will get through this painful time. If you feel you could support us with a small donation it will be life changing for these children.

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Fellowship Lunch Cookham Churches Together

Our next lunch will be on **14th April in Holy Trinity Parish Centre.** Please ring Bernadette Clark on 01628 530047 to reserve your place by Wednesday 10th April. Future dates are as follows:-12th May St John the Baptist Vestry

9th June Cookham Methodist Church



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