

The Parish of St Nicholas, Sandhurst

Our Worship Sunday 14th April

Palm Sunday

Collect: Almighty and everlasting God, who in your tender love towards the human race sent your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ to take upon him our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross: grant that we may follow the example of his patience and humility, and also be made partakers of his resurrection; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

8.00 am 1662 BCP HOLY COMMUNION
AT ST GEORGE'S, BENENDEN
 led by Revd David Commander
followed by breakfast at the Memorial Hall

Bible Readings:
Psalm 118.1-2 & 19-end
Luke 19.28-40

9.50 am Palm Sunday procession to St Nicholas
from the lower car park

10.00 am EUCHARIST
 led by Revd Rosemary Kobus van Wengen & Vicki Young

HYMNS	
435	Ride on, ride on in majesty
11	All glory, laud and honour
148	From heaven you came (The Servant King)
329	Make way, make way

Organist: Michael Tester

5.00 pm EVENING PRAYER AT THE MISSION CHURCH
 led by David Harmsworth
Psalm 69.1-20. Bible readings: Isaiah 5.1-7m Luke 20.9-19

The Week Ahead - Holy Week

Monday 15 th	8.00 am	Morning Prayer at St George's
	5.00 pm	Reflective Service at the Mission Church led by Revd David Commander
Tuesday 16 th	8.00 am	Morning Prayer at the Mission Church
	10.00 am	Holy Communion at the Mission Church led by Revd David Commander
	5.00 pm	Reflective Service at the Mission Church led by Revd David Commander
Wednesday 17 th	8.00 am	Morning Prayer at the Mission Church
	5.00 pm	Reflective Service at the Mission Church led by Revd David Commander
Maundy Thursday	8.00 am	Morning Prayer at St George's
	7.30 pm	Maundy Thursday Service & Holy Communion at St George's led by Revd David Commander & Revd Rosemary Kobus van Wengen
Good Friday	8.00 am	Morning Prayer at St George's
	10.00 am	An Hour at the Cross at St Nicholas led by Revd Rosemary Kobus van Wengen & Lyn Hayes

Easter Eve 7.30 pm Reflective Service at St George's
led by Revd David Commander

Sunday Next: 21st April – Easter Sunday

5.30 am Sunrise Service at St Nicholas led by Lyn Hayes
Bible Readings: Romans 6.3-11, Matthew 28.1-10

followed by breakfast at the Mission Church

8.00 am Holy Communion at St George's led by Revd David Commander
Bible Readings: Acts 10.34-43, John 20.1-18

10.00 am Eucharist led by Revd David Commander
Bible Readings: Acts 10.34-43, John 20.1-18

READINGS: SUNDAY 14TH APRIL

Psalm 118

- ¹ O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; •
his mercy endures for ever.
- ² Let Israel now proclaim, •
'His mercy endures for ever.'
- ¹⁹ Open to me the gates of righteousness, •
that I may enter and give thanks to the Lord.
- ²⁰ This is the gate of the Lord; •
the righteous shall enter through it.
- ²¹ I will give thanks to you, for you have answered me •
and have become my salvation.
- ²² The stone which the builders rejected •
has become the chief cornerstone.
- ²³ This is the Lord's doing, •
and it is marvellous in our eyes.
- ²⁴ This is the day that the Lord has made; •
we will rejoice and be glad in it.
- ²⁵ Come, O Lord, and save us we pray. •
Come, Lord, send us now prosperity.
- ²⁶ Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord; •
we bless you from the house of the Lord.
- ²⁷ The Lord is God; he has given us light; •
link the pilgrims with cords
right to the horns of the altar.
- ²⁸ You are my God and I will thank you; •
you are my God and I will exalt you.
- ²⁹ O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; •
his mercy endures for ever.

Luke 19.28-40

Jesus' Triumphal Entry into Jerusalem

- ²⁸ After he had said this, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem.
- ²⁹ When he had come near Bethphage and Bethany, at the place called the Mount of Olives, he sent two of the disciples, ³⁰saying, 'Go into the village ahead of you, and as you enter it you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden. Untie it and bring it here. ³¹If anyone asks you, "Why are you untying it?" just say this: "The Lord needs it."' ³²So those who were sent departed and found it as he had told them. ³³As they were

untying the colt, its owners asked them, 'Why are you untying the colt?' ³⁴They said, 'The Lord needs it.' ³⁵Then they brought it to Jesus; and after throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it. ³⁶As he rode along, people kept spreading their cloaks on the road. ³⁷As he was now approaching the path down from the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to praise God joyfully with a loud voice for all the deeds of power that they had seen, ³⁸saying,

'Blessed is the king

who comes in the name of the Lord!

Peace in heaven,

and glory in the highest heaven!

³⁹Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, 'Teacher, order your disciples to stop.'

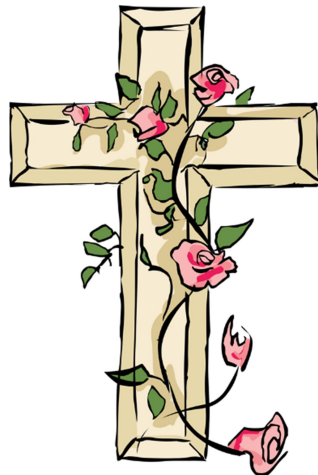
⁴⁰He answered, 'I tell you, if these were silent, the stones would shout out.'

Home Groups: The Tuesday Home Group meets at 8pm, usually at David and Julia Collard's. The Wednesday Home Group meets at 7.30pm at Sandhurst Mission Church. All are welcome to both Home Groups. During Holy Week both groups will be attending the Reflective Services in Sandhurst and Benenden.

Lent 2019 - "Dust that dreams of glory". Throughout Holy Week there is a service every day, leading us to the celebrations of Easter Sunday.

Mothering Sunday: A big thank you to Sandhurst Primary School for the big box of daffodils left in St Nicholas for Mothering Sunday they were received with much pleasure.

Easter Sunday Services - 21st April





**5:30am - Sunrise service at St Nicholas,
followed by Breakfast at the Mission Church**

8am - Holy Communion at St George's

10am - Eucharist at St Nicholas



Holy Week Services		
	8am	1662 BCP Holy Communion at St George's, Benenden <i>followed by breakfast at the Memorial Hall – all welcome</i>
	9.50am	Lancelot leaves the lower car park for Palm Sunday procession to St Nicholas
	10am	Eucharist at St Nicholas
	5pm	Evening Prayer at the Mission Church
Monday 15th	5pm	Reflective Service at the Mission Church
Tuesday 16th	5pm	Reflective Service at the Mission Church
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	10am	An Hour at the Cross at St Nicholas
Easter Eve	7.30pm	Reflective Service at St George's, Benenden

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