



Church of King Charles the Martyr  
NOTICES  
Sunday 9 May 2021  
Sixth Sunday of Easter

## **Sunday 9 May –Sixth Sunday of Easter**

### **1030am Sung Eucharist**

During the peace we will swear in our Church Wardens,  
please do pray for them as they undertake this office.

Officiant: Revd Atalie  
Churchwarden: Phil T  
Reader: Nicola T  
Intercessions: Lynn J  
Musicians: Simon & choir  
Welcomers: Maggie B, Jean B  
AV: Nicola T

**Readings:** Acts 10. 44- end, Psalm 98, 1 John 5. 1-6, John 15. 9-17

**Music:** 137 Come down, O love divine, 310 We hail thy presence glorious, 364 (tune 408a) God is love, let heaven adore him

***Flowers this week have been donated in memory of Maureen Savage.***

### **Thursday 13 May, 8pm – Ascension Day Service**

**Readings:** Acts 1. 1-11, Psalm 47, Luke 24. 44-end

**Music:** 332 All hail the power of Jesu's name, Psalm 47, 296 Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour, 134 The head that once was crowned with thorns, Jesus shall reign

### **Online from church 1030 on a Sunday morning**

The PCC have agreed that we will stay with the pattern of one service on a Sunday and review this at future PCC meetings, as restrictions are eased. Sunday worship will be live streamed and recorded during the lock down and beyond.

**1030 each Sunday** alternating the style of worship

- 1st and 3rd Morning Worship Eucharist
- 2nd and 4th Sung Eucharist with the choir and organ
- 5th Sunday's will be a joint service of Holy communion

# Readings for Sunday 9 May – 6<sup>th</sup> after Easter

## Collect

God our redeemer,  
you have delivered us from the power of darkness  
and brought us into the kingdom of your Son:  
grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life,  
so by his continual presence in us he may raise us to eternal joy;  
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.

## Acts 10. 44- end

<sup>44</sup> While Peter was still speaking these words, the Holy Spirit came on all who heard the message. <sup>45</sup> The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astonished that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on Gentiles. <sup>46</sup> For they heard them speaking in tongues and praising God.  
Then Peter said, <sup>47</sup> “Surely no one can stand in the way of their being baptized with water. They have received the Holy Spirit just as we have.” <sup>48</sup> So he ordered that they be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they asked Peter to stay with them for a few days.

## Psalm 98

- 1 Sing to the Lord a new song, • for he has done marvellous things.
- 2 His own right hand and his holy arm • have won for him the victory.
- 3 The Lord has made known his salvation; • his deliverance has he openly shown in the sight of the nations.
- 4 He has remembered his mercy and faithfulness towards the house of Israel, • and all the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.
- 5 Sound praises to the Lord, all the earth; • break into singing and make music.
- 6 Make music to the Lord with the lyre, • with the lyre and the voice of melody.
- 7 With trumpets and the sound of the horn • sound praises before the Lord, the King.
- 8 Let the sea thunder and all that fills it, • the world and all that dwell upon it.
- 9 Let the rivers clap their hands • and let the hills ring out together before the Lord, for he comes to judge the earth.
- 10 In righteousness shall he judge the world • and the peoples with equity.

## 1 John 5.1–6

5 Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the parent loves the child. <sup>2</sup> By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. <sup>3</sup> For the love of God is this,

that we obey his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, <sup>4</sup> for whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is the victory that conquers the world, our faith. <sup>5</sup> Who is it that conquers the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

<sup>6</sup> This is the one who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ, not with the water only but with the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one that testifies, for the Spirit is the truth.

### **John 15.9–17**

<sup>9</sup> As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. <sup>10</sup> If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. <sup>11</sup> I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete.

<sup>12</sup> 'This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. <sup>13</sup> No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. <sup>14</sup> You are my friends if you do what I command you. <sup>15</sup> I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. <sup>16</sup> You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. <sup>17</sup> I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.

### **Post Communion**

God our Father,  
whose Son Jesus Christ gives the water of eternal life:  
may we thirst for you,  
the spring of life and source of goodness,  
through him who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

## **Prayer -Week beginning 9 May 2021**

We invite you to pray with our pastoral care group each week on a Wednesday morning. No matter where you are, you are encouraged to pray for our community, our town and the wellbeing of all.

**Please pray for ALL members of our community, especially:**

**Those who live in:** Neville Close, Oakfield Close, Ormesby Drive

**Those who are in need of our prayers:** Anne Throup, Dorothy Flude, Michael Nairn, Peter Turner.

**Those with longer term needs:** Sylvia Martin, Peter Sansom, Helen Brunning, Yvonne Bennett, Joan Palmer, Neo Notley, Janice Lacey, Stuart Edwards, Alex, Clara, Jamie, Gillian Fleury, Joshua French, Ginny McClellan, Margaret Bowers, Bev Nicholls, Ray Smith, Barbara Hale, Esther Wright, Evelyn and Jimmy Long, Marilyn Kelly.

**The recently departed:** Giles Taghavi, Vilma Dawson-Goodey, David Howell, and all those who have died in the past week.

**Anniversary of death:** Those who died in the Potters Bar Rail Crash of 2002, Maureen Savage, Yvonne Owen, Nora Hipgrave, Brian Hughes and all those whose anniversary falls at this time

*If you or someone you know is in need of prayer please contact Revd Atalie to have a chat and for your name to be added to her private prayers or to the list that is published each week. This list is regularly reviewed, and people added, moved or removed as required. If you are not on the list and would like to be added, or if you or a loved one are, but feel that this is no longer needed, please do let Revd Atalie know.*

**David Howell's funeral** will take place on Monday 10 May. We hold Stella, Geoff, Andrew and Peter in our prayers. The family invite you to join us online and to wear bright colours as a celebration.

**Please contact the office for details of how to join us online.**

Donations in lieu of flowers for Macmillan Cancer Support can be made at

<https://memorygiving.com/davidroberthowell>

**Vilma Dawson- Goodey** funeral will take place on Thursday 13 May. We pray for Peter, Andrew, Paul and Emma- Jane her children and their families.

**Please contact the office for details of how to join us online.**

Donations to: King Charles the Martyr Church of England. Donations can be left in cash on the plate in church, donated using our card reader or by bank transfer to with Vilma's name as the reference.

**My funeral plans.** This webpage from the Church of England offers guidance on how to plan for your wishes. If you would like to talk this through, please call Revd Atalie. <https://www.churchofengland.org/life-events/funerals/my-funeral-plans>

[www.ataloss.org](http://www.ataloss.org) is the Church of England's project to help sign post people to bereavement support. The Website contains information about what to do when someone is bereaved, how we can help support each other in times of loss.

If you can't be in church, why not light a candle at home or online.

[www.churchofengland.org/our-faith/light-candle](http://www.churchofengland.org/our-faith/light-candle)

## Potters Bar Food Bank

The food bank are especially in need of **toilet paper and pasta sauce**. Whilst other donations are appreciated, they are short of storage space at the moment, so please consider carefully what you can contribute.

The Foodbank is also in need of funds to help to pay for their storage space which costs £120 a month. Donations can be made through their webpage.

<https://pottersbar.foodbank.org.uk/>

**The collection boxes for the Potters Bar Food Bank are outside the vicarage, in the Link corridor and in the porch as you enter church.**

## Next Week on Facebook

**Sunday 16 May 7<sup>th</sup> of Easter 1030am Morning Worship Communion  
Alleluia, Christ is Risen. He is Risen Indeed, Alleluia!**

Officiant: Revd Atalie

Churchwarden: Phil T/ Bill S

Reader: Gary D

Intercessions: Gary D

Musicians: Simon

AV: Gary D

Welcomers: Ro A, Jenny D

**Readings: Acts 1. 15-17, 21- end, Psalm 1, 1 John 5. 9 – 13, John 17. 6-19**

**Music: 312 Led like a lamb (You're alive), 450 Shout for joy, 317 Let there be love, 29 As we are gathered, 246 I, the Lord of sea and sky, 51 Bind us together**

## Dates for your diary

**Tuesday** morning Eucharist – From May we will resume these quiet services of said Communion on a Tuesday morning. These will not be live streamed. If you are anxious about returning on a Sunday morning, do join us on a Tuesday for a quieter service with fewer people and get used to being in the building again. If you are concerned please call Revd Atalie for a chat.

**Wednesday morning** anytime please pray for our community.

**Sunday 9 May** during our worship we will swear in our new Church Wardens

**Thursday 13 May, 8pm Ascension Day Service** in church and online

**Sunday 23 May, 1030 Pentecost.** Please do wear flame colours to church.

**Tuesday 29 June, 730 Churches Together AGM** and listening evening

**Sunday 11 July 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Service** when we will be joined by Bishop Michael of Hertford

**Saturday 4 September Community Day** led by the Community Cafe

# Notices

## **Churches Together Holiday Club – postponed until 2022.**

Sadly, due to lack of volunteers we have decided to postpone the holiday club until 2022 so that we can run it safely and with the numbers of children that we would like to welcome. Please do continue to pray for all the families associated with the holiday club, all those who will be disappointed and those who have already put great effort into planning. Nothing will be lost the work that we have done this year can be used again next year.

**Help needed to support our young people.** Over the coming months we are going to run another Communion before confirmation class, and preparation for confirmation for those at secondary school. To enable us to do this safely and well, we need your support so that the Children and Families worker and Vicar are not solely tied up with this. We will run sessions after church on Sunday mornings for about 45mins. Could you help teach our young people? Could you pray with them and walk along side them as they make these steps on their faith journey? Training will be given and the material is all prepared. If you could like to support our youth in this way, please speak to Revd. Atalie

**Sunday mornings children's group.** For a trial period the children are invited to go straight to the hall on a Sunday morning for their group, and then return for communion. This will give them a longer session for teaching and learning, and we hope that they will come and tell us what they have been doing towards the end of the service.

**Baptism Welcomers.** I am looking to recruit a couple of people to be baptism welcomers. These will be people who will make contact with Baptism families before the service, will welcome them and their families on the day of their baptism and keep in touch with them afters to let them know about activities that are happening in the church. All you need is a friendly disposition and a love of children, and you will be making a really positive connection between our church family and theirs. Please to talk to me if you have a heart for this ministry. Revd Atalie

**Mothers Union Thy Kingdom Come service 14th May. The service will start at 2pm.** You can access a recording of the service on the Mothers' Union YouTube channel after the 14th if you wish to. Thy Kingdom Come runs from 13-23 May. See our website for more details: <https://www.mothersunion.org/get-involved/whats-on/thy-kingdom-come-2021>'

**Service Sheet Amnesty.** At the start of the pandemic we asked you to hang on to your orders of service and use them each week as you came to church. Revd Atalie has recently done an audit of all the orders of service that we have and we are

missing a lot! If you have any at home please do return them to the church so that we can reassess our stocks before we print more. Please do keep your Ordinary Time order of service, this has a green cover, but any others we would like returned. Many thanks.

**Sacristy.** The sacristy team is looking for new members to serve and to assist behind the scenes – could you do the washing and ironing once a month? Could you join the team to serve at the altar on a rota? Training will be given.

**Quiz and compline** have now stopped – we will look at restarting these if we enter into lock down again in the winter months.

## How to access services at KCM

**Sunday mornings at 1030** are usually streamed on Facebook Live.

If you go to the church website [www.kcm-church.org.uk](http://www.kcm-church.org.uk) and click on the link on that page it will take you to Facebook and once you are on the Facebook page you will be able to click on the LIVE streaming or watch the services from previous weeks.

Occasionally we will use Zoom and information on how to join us will be at top of this notice sheet/ email. Orders of Service can be found on our website in the **News and Notices** section on the home page.

### **Daily Hope Freephone Telephone Service 0800 804 8044**

It offers music, prayers and reflections as well as full worship services from the Church of England. The call is free & available 24 hours a day on 0800 804 8044

**Radio.** BBC Radio 4 Daily Service at 9.45 each day or Sunday worship at 8am on Sunday mornings.

**Premier Christian Radio** can be located online or at 1305, 1332, 1413 or 1566 MW or DAB and on Freeview on your TV on channel 725.

## Supporting the work and mission of this church

The Church of King Charles the Martyr provides a spiritual focus and outstanding facilities for the local community. It is **YOUR** church and like all charities, is dependent on the generosity of its members, the local community and others. If you would like to make a donation towards the work of the Church of King Charles the Martyr, either as a one off or would like to join our regular giving scheme these are the ways that you can donate

- by speaking to our Treasurer to set up **regular giving** to help us plan
- by tapping the **cashless giving machine in church**
- with a text message by texting **KCM 3** to **70085** to donate £3
- online via the **donate button** on our webpage.

- **Amazon Smile** will donate a small percentage of your purchase cost to us - just go to [www.smile.amazon.co.uk](http://www.smile.amazon.co.uk) to sign up
- **Old coins and notes** if you find old coins or notes as you clear out your homes please do let Steve have them as the banks will still accept them.
- **Remember us in your Will.** Legacies are a tax efficient way of giving to the church. Please do think about us when making or revising your Will.

## How to stay in touch

This notice sheet is emailed to all those on our mailing list and posted to those without email access *if you would like to receive a paper copy of this notice sheet please email the vicar.*

We have a **KCM Family WhatsApp** group for information about the church and a **KCM Jokes WhatsApp** group to share the more light hearted jokes– if you would like to join either of these groups please contact the wardens to be added.

### Keep an eye on our social media

YouTube <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCbHtNFKZaN7fHVIkIL2tYUQ>

Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/KCMChurchPottersBar/>

Twitter <https://twitter.com/home?lang=en-gb>

Please send information for this notice sheet to Revd Atalie by Wednesday midday.  
In case of pastoral emergency please call the Vicarage.

### Contact details:

<b>The Vicar</b>	The Reverend Atalie Gaines 01707 661266 / 07423 586915    vicar@	Rest Day: Friday
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*Please email the relevant person and we will get back to you as soon as we are able.*

All email addresses are xxx@kcm-church.org.uk

<b>Lay Minister</b>	David Thomson	
<b>Church Warden</b>	Phil Townsend	churchwarden1@
<b>Church Warden</b>	Bill Simpson	churchwarden2@
<b>Safeguarding Officer</b>	Helen Schmitz	safeguarding@
<b>Halls Administrator</b>	Lynn Jones	halls@
<b>PCC Secretary</b>	Emma Kidd	pccsecretary@
<b>Treasurer</b>	Steve Jones	treasurer@
<b>Children and Families Worker</b>	Claire Driscoll	families@

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