



Church of King Charles the Martyr
NOTICES
Sunday 15 May 2022
Easter 5

0930 Sung Eucharist

Officiant: Revd Phillip Green
Churchwarden: Bill S
Musicians: Simon & Choir
Readers: Nicola T
Intercessor: Sue T
Welcomers: Marion P, Maggie B

Readings: Acts 11.1-18, Psalm 148.1-6, Revelation 21.1-6, John 13.31-35

Music: 103 Alleluia, alleluia! Hearts to heaven, 296 Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour, 401 Light's abode, celestial Salem

Anthem: The Lord Loveth - Novello

1100 Morning Worship with Church Parade

Officiant: Revd Atalie
Churchwarden: Bill S
Musicians: Simon & Singers
Readers: KCM Childrens group
Intercessor: KCM Childrens group
Welcomers: David H, Steve J

Readings: Acts 11.1-18, Psalm 148.1-6, Revelation 21.1-6, John 13.31-35

Music: My God is so big, My Lighthouse, He's got the whole world in his hands, 33 At the name of Jesus, 431 Peace to you, 408 Only by grace, I danced in the morning, 438 Rejoice, Rejoice.

Covid Requirements. The PCC recently agreed to lift all Covid restrictions. Please do be aware that others may still wish to wear a face covering or keep social distance, but there is no legal requirement to do so.

Entrance to the church will revert to the main door and up the Link Corridor.

Communion in two kinds. We will offer the chalice at communion services – please only take it if you feel comfortable sharing from the common cup and please no intinction (dipping) as this causes unnecessary contamination.

Giving Sermon

A fortnight ago, Revd Atalie preached on giving and invited us all to review what we give to support KCM. You should have received a letter and a response form. Please do be encouraged to return those to the basket at the back of the church or speak to Steve Jones our treasurer if you need assistance. Thank you for all that you give to KCM.

Readings for Sunday 15 May Easter 5

Collect

Almighty God,
who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ
have overcome death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life:
grant that, as by your grace going before us you put into our minds good
desires,
so by your continual help
we may bring them to good effect;
through Jesus Christ our risen Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Acts 11.1–18

11 Now the apostles and the believers who were in Judea heard that the Gentiles had also accepted the word of God. ² So when Peter went up to Jerusalem, the circumcised believers criticized him, ³ saying, ‘Why did you go to uncircumcised men and eat with them?’ ⁴ Then Peter began to explain it to them, step by step, saying, ⁵ ‘I was in the city of Joppa praying, and in a trance I saw a vision. There was something like a large sheet coming down from heaven, being lowered by its four corners; and it came close to me. ⁶ As I looked at it closely I saw four-footed animals, beasts of prey, reptiles, and birds of the air. ⁷ I also heard a voice saying to me, ‘Get up, Peter; kill and eat.’ ⁸ But I replied, ‘By no means, Lord; for nothing profane or unclean has ever entered my mouth.’ ⁹ But a second time the voice answered from heaven, ‘What God has made clean, you must not call profane.’ ¹⁰ This happened three times; then everything was pulled up again to heaven. ¹¹ At that very moment three men, sent to me from Caesarea, arrived at the house where we were. ¹² The Spirit told me to go

with them and not to make a distinction between them and us. These six brothers also accompanied me, and we entered the man's house. ¹³ He told us how he had seen the angel standing in his house and saying, "Send to Joppa and bring Simon, who is called Peter; ¹⁴ he will give you a message by which you and your entire household will be saved." ¹⁵ And as I began to speak, the Holy Spirit fell upon them just as it had upon us at the beginning. ¹⁶ And I remembered the word of the Lord, how he had said, "John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit." ¹⁷ If then God gave them the same gift that he gave us when we believed in the Lord Jesus Christ, who was I that I could hinder God? ¹⁸ When they heard this, they were silenced. And they praised God, saying, 'Then God has given even to the Gentiles the repentance that leads to life.'

Psalm 148.1-6

1 Alleluia.

Praise the Lord from the heavens;
praise him in the heights.

2 Praise him, all you his angels;
praise him, all his host.

3 Praise him, sun and moon;
praise him, all you stars of light.

4 Praise him, heaven of heavens,
and you waters above the heavens.

5 Let them praise the name of the Lord,
for he commanded and they were created.

6 He made them fast for ever and ever;
he gave them a law which shall not pass away.

Revelation 21.1-6

21 Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. ² And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. ³ And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, 'See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them; ⁴ he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away.'

⁵ And the one who was seated on the throne said, 'See, I am making all things new.' Also he said, 'Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true.' ⁶ Then he said to me, 'It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning

and the end. To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life.'

John 13.31–35

³¹ When he had gone out, Jesus said, 'Now the Son of Man has been glorified, and God has been glorified in him. ³² If God has been glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself and will glorify him at once. ³³ Little children, I am with you only a little longer. You will look for me; and as I said to the Jews so now I say to you, "Where I am going, you cannot come." ³⁴ I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. ³⁵ By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.'

Post Communion

Eternal God,
whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life:
grant us to walk in his way,
to rejoice in his truth,
and to share his risen life;
who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Praying for Growth

We, as a church, have committed to praying for growth in our private devotions and, as a church community, in our intercessions in our worship. Please do join us as we pray.

God of Mission
Who alone brings growth to your
Church,
Send your Holy Spirit to give
Vision to our planning,
Wisdom to our actions,
And power to our witness.
Help our church to grow in numbers,
In spiritual commitment to you,
And in service to our local community,
Through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen



Leading your Church
into Growth

Potters Bar Food Bank

The food bank is in need of

Long life milk, laundry detergent, Pasta Sauces.

Whilst other donations are appreciated, they are short of storage space, 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 and in the Link corridor outside the office.

Dates for your diary

Tuesday morning Eucharist 1000

Wednesday morning please take a few minutes to pray for our community.

Saturday 14 May Prayer for Growth breakfast at 08.30

Sunday 15 May Church Parade Service

Tuesday 17 May Church Ministers meeting at 12.30 at Our Lady and St. Vincent.

Saturday 21 May Brookmans Park Rotary Club sponsored swim. Keep an eye out for details of who are on our teams and how you can sponsor them.

Sunday 22 May service at 1700 to learn and share some new songs for Morning Worship services.

Thursday 26 May Ascension Day Service at St Mary's

Sunday 5 June Churches Together Picnic in the Park from 12.30. More details to follow.

Saturday 11 June Prayer for Growth breakfast at 08.30

Sunday 12 June Potters Bar Carnival – see Notices for details of KCM stall.

Tuesday 12 July Churches Together AGM 19.30 at KCM

Sunday 31 July KCM family picnic at 12 noon

Prayer – Week beginning 15 May

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: for all children and students preparing for exams or assessments.

Those who live in: Mimms Hall Road, Mutton Lane, Neville Close.

The recently departed: all those who have died in the past week.

Anniversary of death: Dorothy Flude, Frances Lewis, 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.

My funeral plans and bereavement. The Church of England has lots of resources for planning your funeral or coping with bereavement. 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

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

www.churchofengland.org/our-faith/light-candle

Next week in church and on Facebook **Sunday 22 May 2022** **Easter 6**

0930 Sung Eucharist

Officiant: Father Ayooob

Churchwarden: Bill S

Musicians: Simon & Choir

Readers: Lauren T

Intercessor: Jean B

Welcomers: Jean B, [I more needed please](#)

Readings: Acts 16.9-15, Psalm 67, Revelation 21.10,22-22.5, John 14.23-29 or John 5.1-9

Music: 140 Holy Spirit, come confirm us, 381 Jerusalem the golden, 346 City of God, how broad and far

Anthem: If ye love me - Tallis

1100 Morning Worship

Officiant: Father Ayoob
Churchwarden: Phil T
Musicians: Simon & Singers
Readers: Elaine H
Intercessor: Father Ayoob
Welcomers: Sue T, Ro A

Readings: Acts 16.9-15, Psalm 67, Revelation 21.10,22-22.5, John 14.23-29 or John 5.1-9

Music: 330 Lord I lift your name on high, 300 Jesus we enthrone you, 297 Jesus take me as I am, Quiet my mind, 368 My life is in you Lord, 503 These are the days.

1700 Evening Worship

Morning Worship Songs

Officiant: Revd Atalie and Simon

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Sponsored Swim We plan to enter two teams of five for the event with Atalie, Nicola T, Debbie R, Hannah O, Claire D and Imogen in one, and a youth team with their children. The participants have to swim as many full lengths of Furzefield pool (33m) in 20 mins. The sponsorship monies raised will be split between KCM church and Save the Children Ukraine Appeal. Please let them know if you can sponsor them – they are in the process of setting up Just Giving pages for this.

New Worship Songs. Sunday 22 May at 1700 we are going to have a service to learn some new songs for Morning Worship. Maybe there is a song that is in the books that you love, but we never sing or perhaps you've heard something new that you wish we would sing. Please do let Simon know so that we can learn it and share it with you.

This was originally planned for February, but unfortunately had to be postponed.

Charlie's Angels Toddler Group is in need of volunteers. Could you spare a couple of hours on a Wednesday afternoon from 1pm – 3pm to help set up the toys, make refreshments, chat to families and pack away after? If so, Nikki would love to hear from you! Please contact Nikki on families@kcm-church.org.uk.

Potters Bar Carnival on Sunday 12 June. KCM are having a stall, and need volunteers to help set up the gazebos, sell cakes and hot drinks, and help with children's activities. If you are able to help in any way please contact Nikki on families@kcm-church.org.uk.

Ascension Day Service (Thursday 26 May) at St Mary's 8pm. We have been invited to join with St Mary's church on The Walk to celebrate Christ's ascension. Do join us as we hear again the next step in our salvation story.



Jubilee Celebrations

Jubilee Pulpit Drape. Dear crafters, could everyone who has knitted or crocheted flowers for our Jubilee Pulpit Drape please leave them at the back of the church or give them to Jenny Dakin so that we can get an idea of how many we have. If you are still making flowers could we please have them by Sunday 22nd May at the latest.

The flowers we have received so far are lovely. Thank you very much for being part of this project.

Cafe Jubilee Lunch on Thursday 2 June. There will be a thanksgiving service at 11.45 followed by a 3 course lunch with wine and entertainment at 12.30. The cost is £15 per head with tickets available on a first come first served basis from the café or from Steve J, Gary D, Jenny or David T in church. Please note the lunch is restricted to 80 people.

Queen's Platinum Jubilee Churches Together Picnic in the Park

Join with other's from across the churches in Potters Bar as we meet together for a picnic on Sunday 5 June from 1230.

Platinum Jubilee Events at St Albans Cathedral

Platinum Jubilee Service

Sunday 22 May, 6pm

All are welcome to join the celebration of Her Majesty the Queen's 70 year service to the country, Commonwealth, and the Church of England. Sung by the Cathedral Choirs.

Royal Family Tour

Monday 30 May - Friday 3 June, 9am - 5pm

Follow a wonderful trail around the Cathedral and learn about all the kings and queens who have visited the Cathedral or had an influence in its history over the last 1,700 years.

Trails are £2 and available from our Welcome Centre.

Royal Connections Tour

Selected Dates, 2pm

Celebrate HM the Queen's Platinum Jubilee by exploring the relationship between the Cathedral and Monarchy, from the founding of the Monastery in AD 793 to the four visits by Queen Elizabeth II. Learn about the royal gifts, endowments, images, and anecdotes from over 1,200 years.

May | Thursday 19, Tuesday 24, Sunday 29

June | Sunday 5, Wednesday 8, Tuesday 14

Tickets £7, available from our website.

How to access services at KCM

Sunday mornings are usually streamed on Facebook Live.

If you go to the church website www.kcm-church.org.uk and click on the link on that page it will take you to Facebook where you will be able to click on the LIVE streaming or watch the services from previous weeks.

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

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 **OUR** 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 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 contact the office.***

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 Imogen St Pierre
office@kcm-church.org.uk by **5pm Wednesday evening.**
Revd Atalie will be on leave until 14 May and Phil T until 22 May.

In case of pastoral emergency please contact Fr Ayoob, or the Vicarage after 15 May.

Contact details:

The Vicar	The Reverend Atalie Gaines 01707 661266 / 07423 586915	vicar@	Rest Day: Friday
Curate	Fr Ayoob Adwar 01707 658651	curate@stgiles- stmargarets.co.uk	Rest Day: Thursday

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

Lay Minister / Reader	David Thomson	reader@
Church Warden	Phil Townsend	churchwarden1@
Church Warden	Bill Simpson	churchwarden2@
Safeguarding Officer	Helen Schmitz	safeguarding@
Halls Administrator	Lynn Jones	halls@
Admin Assistant	Imogen St Pierre	office@
PCC Secretary	Nicola Thrussell	pccsecretary@
Treasurer	Steve Jones	treasurer@
Children and Families Worker	Nikki Edwards	families@
Youth Worker	Claire Driscoll	youth@
Music	Simon Worley	music@

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Churches Together Potters Bar

**invites you to join us
as we celebrate the
Jubilee and Pentecost
with a Picnic
in Oakmere Park
from 1230
Sunday 5 June 2022**

No need to book.

Just turn up, bring a picnic and
whatever you would like to sit on for
an afternoon of fellowship.

www.ctpb.org.uk