

DAILY PRAYER IN APRIL

- 1st MAUNDY THURSDAY – thanksgiving for Holy Communion
- 2nd GOOD FRIDAY – innocent victims of violence
- 3rd EASTER EVE – those in mourning for the victims of Covid
- 4th EASTER DAY – courage to tell others the Good News of Easter
- 5th The work of The National Trust and English Heritage
- 6th Those working towards more sustainable living
- 7th NHS staff continuing the fight against Covid
- 8th Our PCC meeting tonight
- 9th Those who live in Culverlands Crescent
- 10th The work of the Children’s Society
- 11th Our Bishops Andrew and Jo
- 12th Businesses hoping to reopen today
- 13th The work of the RSPCA
- 14th People caring for sufferers of Parkinson’s Disease
- 15th The work of the Mission to Seafarers
- 16th Citizens Advice in Ash
- 17th Families struggling with their finances
- 18th Our Cathedral – clergy and congregation
- 19th Schools returning today
- 20th The PCC accounts meeting this evening
- 21st Those who live the Old Cross Tree Way area
- 22nd Connor and Ocean getting married in church today

- 23rd ST GEORGE – Churches in England
- 24th Our Pastoral Assistants
- 25th Churches in our Deanery of Aldershot
- 26th ST MARK – those who teach the Gospel story
- 27th Mary’s ministry in the parish
- 28th Those who live in Ewins Close
- 29th Ashbourne Court – staff and residents
- 30th The long-term unemployed

We praise you and we bless you, our risen Lord Jesus, King of glory, for you are with us, even when our eyes are closed to your companionship. Walk this day alongside the disconsolate and the despairing, open their eyes to your gentle illumination, and let their hearts burn within them at your invisible presence. To you, Lord Jesus, walking by our side, be honour and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

We praise you and we bless you, our risen Lord Jesus, King of glory, for in your birth you were proclaimed the Prince of Peace, and in your resurrection you breathe into your people peace beyond this world’s understanding. Be present, Lord, this day with those whose lives are disfigured by conflict and those whose hearts know no peace. To you, Lord Jesus, true bringer of the peace of heaven, be honour and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

We praise you and we bless you, our risen Lord Jesus, King of glory, for you promised that the same power that was at work when you were raised from the dead would also be alive in us. Show your power to those who are powerless; reveal your love to those who feel unlovely and through your Spirit enable all your people to be witnesses of your amazing grace. To you, Lord Jesus, daily renewing your people and your creation, be honour and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

Dying you destroyed our death, rising you restored our life:
Lord Jesus, come in glory.