

# Holy Week at a glance



## Full details of Holy Week events.

### Sunday April 14<sup>th</sup> Palm Sunday

◇◇ The Triumphal Entry ◇◇



7.20am Morning prayer in Church

8.00am Holy Communion, Palms and Passion

**9.30am** *The service starts in church hall*

**Act 1**

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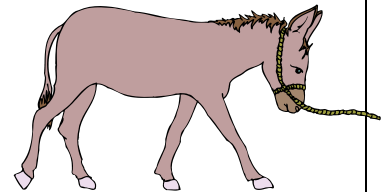


Receive a palm cross and remember Jesus entering Jerusalem as king of peace, process to Church for:

**Parish Communion,**

*A service around the dramatic retelling of the last week of Jesus' life before he was crucified.*

**and hot cross buns -**



**6.00pm** Choral act of devotion for Holy Week  
**Bach on Palm Sunday**

*Two cantatas and organ music appropriate to Holy Week, all by J.S.Bach (1685 – 1750)*



*Cantata 182 'Himmelskönig, sei willkommen'*

*Cantata 131 'Aus der Tiefe rufe ich, Herr, zu dir'*



7.30pm (or thereabouts!) Evening Prayer

**Lord Jesus,  
as we worship you today,  
save us from empty praise;  
save us from superficiality;  
save us from following the crowd;  
save us from being fickle;  
save us from pride;  
save us from ourselves;  
save us NOW, we pray.  
Amen.**

# HOLY WEEK BEGINS

Mon April 15<sup>th</sup>

## Monday of Holy Week

8.40am Morning prayer

4.45pm Evening prayer

7.00pm **Silent Prayer in Bygrave Church**

8.00pm **Compline (St Margaret of Antioch, Bygrave)**

*lifts available – please ask*



Tues April 16<sup>th</sup>

## Tuesday of Holy Week

8.40am Morning prayer

4.30pm Evening prayer

7.30pm **Tuesday Lent Group at 9 Pond Lane**

Wed April 17<sup>th</sup>

## Wednesday of Holy Week

8.40am Morning prayer

9.30am **Communion followed by coffee**

10.30am Tiny Tots

5.00pm Evening prayer

6.15pm – 7pm **Fr. Andrew will be in church to help people prepare spiritually for Easter.**

7.30pm **Wednesday Lent Group at Mill Cottage, Manor Farm, Bygrave**

Thurs April 18<sup>th</sup> **Maundy Thursday**

8.40am Morning prayer

11.00am **Chrism Mass at St. Albans Abbey**

4.30pm Evening prayer

7.00pm **Communion of the Last Supper**

Act 2

**Shared meal in hall,**

**with singing, readings, and communion**

8.15pm ish **Procession to church to commemorate the journey to the Garden of Gethsemane**

*service ends about 8.30pm*

**Watch with Jesus at the Altar of Repose**

**SIGN UP FOR A 20 MINUTE SLOT**



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9.55pm

Compline before the altar of repose in church

# Fri April 19<sup>th</sup> Good Friday

9.00am Morning prayer

## 11.00am **Act of Witness**

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### Meet outside Tesco main entrance

Make a powerful statement of living Christianity

Well known Christian hymns and songs

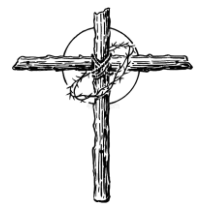


**Children and toddlers' Easter crafts and activities**

Hand out hot cross buns and invitations to Easter Services

12pm

**Walk to St Mary's Church Hall for  
a simple soup lunch (serving from 12.30pm)**



## 1.30pm The Glory of the Cross

**dramatic retelling of the Gospel story,  
prayers and sermon, kneel before the cross  
and imagine the scene, share in  
communion. Take away a token of the  
crucifixion**

Act 3

5.00pm Evening Prayer



## Sat April 20<sup>th</sup> Holy Saturday

9.30am

Morning prayer

5.00pm

Evening Prayer (in Baldock)

### 7.00pm Service of Light at Bygrave



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**Retelling the story of God saving his people, (in a darkened church). Setting fire to a hay bale, lighting the Easter Candle and bringing light back into a dark world. Renewing our baptism vows, Easter egg hunt and party!**

*Lifts available – please ask*

## Sun April 21<sup>st</sup> Easter Day

7.20am

Morning prayer

8.00am

Communion



### 9.30am Easter Communion

Act 4

**with blessing of Easter Garden, and Easter Eggs and baptism**

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### 11.00am Easter Communion at Bygrave

6.00pm

Evening prayer

