

## Easter Sunday

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### Entrance antiphon:

I have risen, and I am with you still, Alleluia.  
You have laid your hand upon me, Alleluia.  
Too wonderful for me, this knowledge, Alleluia, Alleluia.

### Psalm response:

This day was made by the Lord; we rejoice and are glad.

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### Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia! Christ our Passover has been sacrificed; let us celebrate the feast then in the Lord. Alleluia!

The **Apostles Creed** is on page 8.

**Remember**, O most loving Virgin Mary,  
that it is a thing unheard of,  
that anyone ever had recourse to your protection,  
implored your help, or sought your intercession,  
and was left forsaken.  
Filled, therefore, with confidence in your goodness,  
I fly to you, O Mother, Virgin of Virgins.  
To you I come, before you I stand, a sorrowful sinner.  
Despise not my poor words. O Mother of the Word of God,  
but graciously hear and grant my prayer. Amen.

### To conclude the Bidding Prayers:

We give you thanks, Lord Jesus Christ,  
for all the benefits you have gained for us,  
for all the pains and insults you have borne for us.  
Most merciful Redeemer, friend and brother,  
may we know you more clearly, love you more dearly  
and follow you more nearly. Amen.

### Communion Antiphon:

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed; therefore let us keep  
the feast with the unleavened bread of purity and truth,  
Alleluia, Alleluia.



## Roman Catholic Parish of St Michael Sonning Common

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21st April 2019

Easter Sunday



Mary of Magdala said to Simon Peter,  
“They have taken the Lord out of the tomb and  
we don’t know where they have put him.”

**Welcome:** If you are a visitor or new to the parish, we welcome you warmly.

Thank you for last week's **offertory collection:** Standing orders: **£377**; Non-Gift Aid : **£201.30** Gift Aid : **£134.00** Total : **£712.30**



**Due to changing personal circumstances we are in need of a Volunteer to mow the Church lawns**—twice a month in the Summer and once a month in the Winter — mower provided — please contact the church office 01189723418 or email [stmichaels.rc@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:stmichaels.rc@hotmail.co.uk)

**Volunteers are also needed** - for the Children's Liturgy, for Welcoming and for Reading at the 10.30am mass—if you might be able to help even if only occasionally, please contact ([katyokonta@hotmail.com](mailto:katyokonta@hotmail.com) / 07951 641 661).

**St Martin's Primary School seeks applications for the role of Clerk to the Governors.** Please see our advert at [www.stmartinscaversham.co.uk](http://www.stmartinscaversham.co.uk)

**Easter Offerings.** In this diocese priests are primarily paid by people's offerings at Christmas and Easter. These are not covered by Standing Orders. If you would like to give an Easter offering, envelopes are available at the back of Church.

**Parish visit to St Michael's Abbey, Farnborough** - Saturday, 29th June. We would like to assess the interest in a parish day out to the Benedictine monastery in Farnborough. The day would include a tour of the site, joining the monks for prayer, eating a packed lunch. Farnborough is about 26 miles away and we would share lifts. If interested please sign the sheet and indicate if you need or can offer a lift.

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**Sunday 12th May 10.30am , Confirmation Mass**

**Friday, 17th May, 6.30pm Ecumenical Safari Supper** — This is a free event. - please see sign up sheet at the back of church.

**Tuesday 21st May, Snack and Chat Lunch** after 12.00pm mass—free event

**Sunday 23rd June, 10.30am First Communion Mass**

### **THIS WEEK'S MASSES**

#### **Easter Sunday**

**21st April 2019**

Vigil	8.00 pm	People of the Parish
Sunday	9.00 am	Vocations to the priesthood
	10.30 am	Children of the parish
Monday	10.00 am	(Followed by refreshments)
Tuesday	12.00 pm	Syria
Wednesday	9.30 am	Yemen
Thursday	12.00 pm	South Sudan
Friday	9.30 am	Ukraine

#### **2nd Sunday of Easter**

**28th April 2019**

Vigil	5.30 pm	Gibbons family intentions
Sunday	9.00 am	South Sudan
	10.30 am	People of the Parish

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)**

Saturday 10.00 -10.30am and 4.45 - 5.15pm Or at any time on request.

#### **Please remember the sick in your prayers**

Sandra Antão, Michael Coulehan, Christopher Hicks, Veronica Parker, Clarina Rodrigues, Maddy Sharman, Ron van Bree (Brother of Eveline Dodd), Helen Williams.

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