



**St Luke's with St Augustine's**  
**Resources for Holy Week & Easter Services 2020**

May Christ dwell in your hearts through faith,  
 That you may be rooted and grounded in love  
 And bring forth the fruit of the Spirit.

**Amen.**

**The Peace**

The risen Christ came and stood among his disciples  
 and said, 'Peace be with you.'  
 Then they were glad when they saw the Lord. Alleluia.

Alleluia.

The peace of the risen Christ be always with you.

**And also with you. Alleluia.**

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

**Prayers**

**Hymn**

**Conclusion**

All our problems  
**we send to the cross of Christ.**

All our difficulties  
**we send to the cross of Christ.**

All the devil's works  
**we send to the cross of Christ.**

All our hopes  
**we set on the risen Christ**

And the blessing of God Almighty,  
 The Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit,  
 Be among you and remain with you always.  
**Amen.**

<b>Palm Sunday</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Maundy Thursday</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Good Friday</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>Easter Day</b>	<b>12</b>

**Online Service Times**

<b>Palm Sunday</b>	<b>10:30 am</b>	<b>Zoom</b>
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We hope to be using Zoom for this.

Please check our website [stlanorwich.org.uk](http://stlanorwich.org.uk) (latest news) or our Facebook page [facebook.com/stlukesnorwich](https://facebook.com/stlukesnorwich) for more information about how to do this.

<b>Compline for Holy Week</b> <b>(Mon-Wed 8:00 pm + reflection)</b> (Using the liturgy in our existing booklet (on our website)	<b>Facebook</b>
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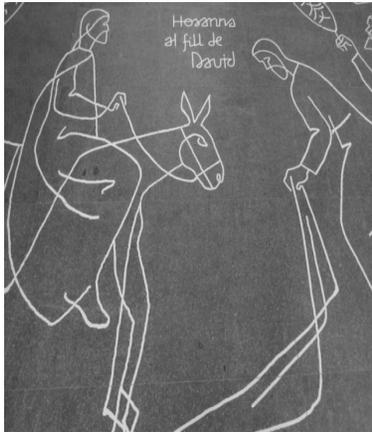
<b>Maundy Thursday 8:30 pm</b> (this will replace Compline for this evening only)	<b>Facebook</b>
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<b>Good Friday 10:30 am</b> Sam & Martin will be leading this service	<b>Facebook</b>
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<b>Easter Day 10:30 am</b>	<b>Zoom</b>
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# Palm Sunday



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Barcelona.*

*You will need: a Cross, and a Bible*

## Introduction

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, during Lent we have been preparing by works of love and self-sacrifice for the celebration of our Lord's death and resurrection. Today we come together to begin this solemn celebration in union with the Church throughout the world. Christ enters his own city to complete his work as our Saviour, to suffer, to die, and to rise again. Let us go with him in faith and love, so that, united with him in his sufferings, we may share his risen life.

*Hold your Cross as we say together:*

## Profession of Faith

Let us affirm our common faith in Jesus Christ.

Do you believe and trust in God the Father;

Source of all being and life,

The one for whom we exist?

**I believe and trust in him.**

Do you believe and trust in God the Son,

Who took our human nature,

Died for us and rose again?

**I believe and trust in him.**

Do you believe and trust in God the Holy Spirit,

Who gives life to the people of God,

And makes Christ known in the world?

**I believe and trust in him.**

**This is the faith of the Church.**

**This is our faith.**

**We believe and trust in one God,**

**Father, Son and Holy Spirit.**

Almighty God,

We thank you for our fellowship in the household of faith with all who have been baptised in your name.

Keep us faithful to our baptism

and so make us ready for that day

when the whole creation shall be made perfect in your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ.

**Amen.**

**First reading: Acts 10:34-43**

**Second reading: Matthew 28:1-10**

*After each reading*

This is the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God**

**Sermon**

**Hymn**

**Re-affirmation of Baptismal Vows**

In baptism, God calls us out of darkness into his marvellous light. To follow Christ means dying to sin and rising to new life with him.

Therefore I ask:

Do you turn to Christ?      **I turn to Christ**

Do you repent of your sins?      **I repent of my sins.**

Do you renounce evil?      **I renounce evil.**

May almighty God who has given you the desire to follow Christ give you strength to continue in the way.

**Prayer over the Water**

**God our Saviour,  
whose Son Jesus Christ entered Jerusalem as  
Messiah to suffer and to die;  
let this Cross be for us a sign of his victory  
and grant that we who bear them in his name  
may ever hail him as our King,  
and follow him in the way that leads to eternal life.  
Through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**Hymn**

**Collect**

Let us pray for a closer union with Christ in his suffering and in his glory:  
True and humble king,  
hailed by the crowd as Messiah:  
grant us the faith to know you and love you,  
that we may be found beside you  
on the way of the cross,  
which is the path of glory. **Amen.**

**First Reading: Psalm 118, 1-2, 19-end**

**The Gospel: Matthew 21:1-11**

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

**Glory to you, O Lord**

*At the end*

This is the Gospel of the Lord  
**Praise to you, O Christ.**

## Sermon

## Creed

Let us declare our faith in God:

**We believe in God the Father;  
from whom every family in heaven and on earth is  
named.**

**We believe in God the Son,  
who lives in our hearts through faith,  
and fills us with his love.**

**We believe in God the Holy Spirit,  
who strengthens us  
with power from on high.**

**We believe in one God;  
Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.**

## Prayers of Intercession

Let us pray:

In a world of change and hope, of fear and adventure;  
Generous God, **pour out your love.**

In human rebellion and obedience, in our seeking and  
our finding:

Generous God, **pour out your love.**

In the common life of our society, in prosperity and  
need;

Generous God, **pour out your love.**

Throughout the world Christians celebrate the  
awesome power of God.

As we hear his word and proclaim all that God has  
done,  
we can be confident that we shall share his victory  
over death and live with him forever.

*The minister lights the Easter candle, saying*

May the light of Christ, rising in glory,  
Banish all darkness from our hearts and minds.

*The minister raises the Easter candle, saying*

The light of Christ  
**Thanks be to God.**

*If you have a candle, light it now.*

## Hymn

Alleluia. Christ is risen.

**He is risen indeed. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

## The Collect

Let us pray that we may walk the risen life of Christ in  
glory.

God of glory,

by the raising of your Son

you have broken the chains of death and hell:

fill your Church with faith and hope;

For a new day has dawned

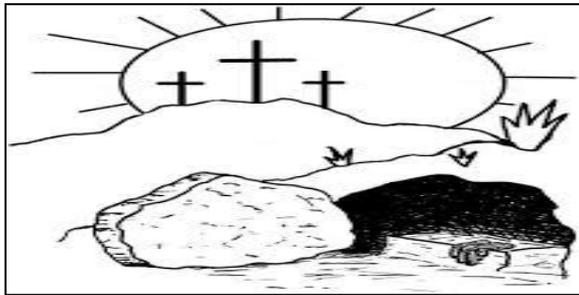
And the way to life stands open

To our Saviour Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

## Good Friday

*Sam & Martin will be bringing us a reflective service via our Facebook page.*

## Easter Day



*Image from clipart.com*

*You will need: a Bible and a candle, and something to light it with.*

### The Service of Light

Christ yesterday and today

**The beginning and the end**

Alpha and Omega,

All time belongs to him, and all ages;

**To him be glory and power,**

**Through every age and for ever. Amen.**

This is the day when our Lord Jesus Christ passed from

As your Church proclaims your goodness in words and action

Generous God, **pour out your love.**

Among our friends and in our homes;

Generous God, **pour out your love.**

In our times of joy, in our days of sorrow,

Generous God, **pour out your love.**

In our strengths and triumphs, in our weakness and at our death;

Generous God, **pour out your love.**

Merciful Father,

**Accept these prayers, for the sake of your Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.**

**Hymn**

### Spiritual Communion

Jesus said, 'I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.' John 6.35

### The Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray:

**Our Father in heaven,**  
**hallowed be your name,**

**your kingdom come,**

**your will be done,**

**on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Lead us not into temptation  
but deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours  
now and for ever.  
Amen**

*We give thanks for the saving death and resurrection of Jesus and ask him to be with us now.*

**Thanks be to you, Lord Jesus Christ,  
for all the benefits you have given me,  
for all the pains and insults you have borne for me.  
Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally,  
I ask you to come spiritually into my heart.  
O most merciful redeemer, friend and brother,  
may I know you more clearly,  
love you more dearly,  
and follow you more nearly, day by day.  
Amen.**

*after the Prayer of St Richard of Chichester*

**Lord,  
In these days of mercy, make us quiet and prayerful;  
in these days of challenge, make us stronger in you;  
in these days of emptiness, take possession of us;  
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Lord Jesus Christ,  
we thank you that in this wonderful sacrament  
you have given us the memorial of your passion:  
grant us so to reverence the sacred mysteries  
of your body and blood  
that we may know within ourselves  
and show forth in our lives  
the fruit of your redemption,  
for you are alive and reign, now and for ever.  
**Amen.**

### **The Gospel of the Watch**

When the disciples had sung a hymn they went out to the Mount of Olives. Jesus prayed to the Father, 'If it is possible, take this cup of suffering from me.' He said to his disciples, 'How is it that you were not able to keep watch with me for one hour? The hour has come for the Son of Man to be handed over to the power of sinners.'

Christ was obedient unto death. Go in his peace.

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## Prayer after Spiritual Communion

Lord Jesus Christ,  
you humbled yourself in taking the form of a servant,  
and in obedience died on the cross for our salvation:  
give us the mind to follow you  
and to proclaim you as Lord and King,  
to the glory of God the Father.

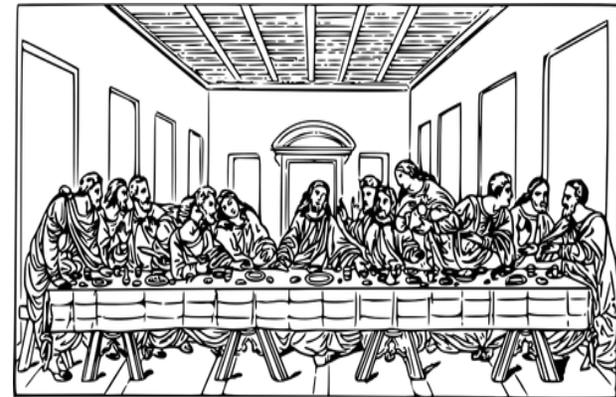
**Amen.**

### Hymn

The Lord bless us, and preserve us from all evil, and keep us in eternal life.

**Amen.**

## Maundy Thursday



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*You will need: a Bible.*

*You may also wish to light a candle*

## The Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
the love of God,  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit  
be with you  
**and also with you.**

## Prayers of Penitence

Our Lord Jesus Christ says:  
'If you love me, keep my commandments.'  
'Unless I wash you, you have no part in me.'  
Let us confess to almighty God  
our sins against his love,  
and ask him to cleanse us.

In a dark and disfigured world  
we have not held out the light of life  
Lord, have mercy, **Lord, have mercy.**

In a hungry and despairing world  
we have failed to share our bread:  
Christ, have mercy, **Christ, have mercy.**

In a cold and loveless world  
we have kept the love of God to ourselves:  
Lord, have mercy, **Lord, have mercy.**

May the Father forgive us  
by the death of his Son  
and strengthen us  
to live in the power of the Spirit all our days.  
**Amen.**

## Collect

Let us pray that we may love one another  
as Christ has loved us.

*Keep a few moments of silence.*

God our Father,  
your Son Jesus Christ was obedient to the end  
and drank the cup prepared for him:  
may we who share his table  
watch with him through the night of suffering  
and be faithful. **Amen.**

**First Reading: 1 Corinthians 11.23-26.**

**Gospel Reading: John 13:1-17, 31b-35**

Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory.  
I give you a new commandment, says the Lord:  
Love one another as I have loved you.  
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Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to  
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## Reflection

**Time of Silent Prayer**