

# The Parishes of Kingsclere and Ashford Hill with Headley

**Sunday 21st April 2019**

**Easter Day**

*A warm welcome to all worshipping with us today. Please take this sheet home for your prayers and information.*

## Today's Services

**8am Easter Communion (Headley)**

**9.15am Easter Communion (Kingsclere)**

**11am Easter Communion (Ashford Hill)**

## **Collect**

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 in our Saviour Jesus Christ.

## **Reading - Luke 24:1-12**

On the first day of the week, very early in the morning, the women took the spices they had prepared and went to the tomb. <sup>2</sup> They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, <sup>3</sup> but when they entered, they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus. <sup>4</sup> While they were wondering about this, suddenly two men in clothes that gleamed like lightning stood beside them. <sup>5</sup> In their fright the women bowed down with their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, 'Why do you look for the living among the dead? <sup>6</sup> He is not here; he has risen! Remember how he told you, while he was still with you in Galilee: <sup>7</sup> "The Son of Man must be delivered over to the hands of sinners, be crucified and on the third day be raised again.'" <sup>8</sup> Then they remembered his words.

<sup>9</sup> When they came back from the tomb, they told all these things to the Eleven and to all the others. <sup>10</sup> It was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the others with them who told this to the apostles. <sup>11</sup> But they did not believe the women, because their words seemed to them like nonsense. <sup>12</sup> Peter, however, got up and ran to the tomb. Bending over, he saw the strips of linen lying by themselves, and he went away, wondering to himself what had happened.

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## **This Week:**

Wed 24 Toast for Tots (*Km)	9.30am
Thur 25 Youth Bible Study (*Km)	7.30pm
Fri 26 Prayer Group (Km)	9.30am
Sat 27 Concert (*AH)	7pm
Sun 28 Holy Communion (*K)	8am
Morning Worship & Baptism (*K)	9.15am
Holy Communion & Thanksgiving for the birth of a child (*AH) 11am	

K= St Mary's Kingsclere; H = St Peter's Headley  
AH = St Paul's, Ashford Hill; Km = Kingsmill Rm;  
RHC = Rose Hodson Court; KPS = Kingsclere School

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## Notices

We'd like to invite all those on the electoral roll in Ashford Hill and Headley to say a big thank you for your all you have done over the year, and celebrate everything that has happened in our benefice. We'll also have an opportunity to elect churchwardens, PCC members and Synod Representatives. The meeting will be on 29th April at St Peters Church, Headley. 7pm for refreshments with a 7.30 start Please do keep the meeting in your prayers and consider if you might like to stand for election to the PCC. Please speak to Ben if you would like to know more about what is involved. The finances and statutory report is available in both Headley and Ashford Hill churches, as well as being on the church website, where you will also find Kingsclere's report.

<https://www.clerewoodlands.org.uk/news/annual-reports-and-finances/>

All are invited to the Warham Morning of Encouragement on Saturday 27th April, from 9.30am at The Malshanger Clubhouse, Malshanger, Basingstoke, RG23 7EY. Revd Tim Humphrey will be the speaker. Cost £15 which will include the cost of the day, lunch and refreshments. If you would like to book please speak to Emma Rivers for more information.

"Choirs and Angels" special concert with dual harpists Anne Denholm and Angela Moore and Watership Cantabile at St Pauls Church, Ashford Hill, Saturday 27th April 2019 7pm - 9pm. Early bird tickets £8 from Kingsclere Butchers and Headley Community Shop and Eventbrite.co.uk. On the door tickets £10, children free. Tickets include delicious refreshments (excl. alcohol). Vanessa Martin 01635 299227

Thank you to those who have donated towards the cost of the Easter Flowers in St Mary's. If anyone else would like to make a donation towards them please contact Pam Kitch - 299743 or email [pamkitch16@gmail.com](mailto:pamkitch16@gmail.com)

A reminder that anyone who would like to be involved the small groups looking at the Benefice Action Plan should get in touch with Emma Rivers as soon as possible. From the Vision Day the 4 areas that are being looked at are: Discipleship, Welcome, Youth & Families and Buildings (although there is already a group looking at buildings). This is across the whole benefice and can be done over email or via phone calls not necessarily having to meet up. The ideas will need to be gathered in by the end of April.

Lesh and Sam have moved house but are in need of furniture and other items. If you think you might be able to help please speak to her directly or to Emma who has a list of the things that she needs.

On Tuesday, 14th May a women's morning: entitled "Why is it so hard?" will look at handling tough times with God's help. It will be held at Oakley Hall Hotel, Oakley. Coffee at 9.30, starting promptly at 10.00. Suggested donation £10.00. To book a place please email [timehampshire@gmail.com](mailto:timehampshire@gmail.com).

The Tuesday bible study group (who usually meet 9.15am in the Kingsmill Room on Tuesdays) are having a break over Easter and during May and will return on June 4th when we will begin a 6-week study over the summer term entitled "Boldly I Approach" - all about prayer. Please do join us!

Large, furnished Double room available in a charming character property, in the wonderful village of Kingsclere,. It would be living with myself and my young daughter but you would be made to feel very welcome and 'at home'. Unlimited WiFi, allocated off road parking. £400 including bills. I am *ideally* seeking a fellow, Christian Female. If you are interested, or know someone who might be, please contact Susie Rees on 07912 356007 or email [reesusie@gmail.com](mailto:reesusie@gmail.com) for more information / photos.

Please note that the incorrect telephone number for Care Group Transport has been printed in the April Tower. The correct number is 07388 539730

### For your prayers:

- Those who are ill or suffering: Freda Savin, Doug Webb and Ruth Leah
- The family and friends of Alice Meads, Iris & John Isles, Mary (Nan) McBay, Eric Browning and Chris Earl as they grieve for the loss of their loved ones.