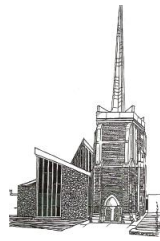


# All Saints, Clifton

Third Sunday of Easter

15<sup>th</sup> April 2018



**8.00 am MASS**

**Collect, Readings & Psalm** – *see below*

**Address** Fr Paul Roberts

**9.30 am FAMILY MASS**

**Presentation** Revd. Wendy Bray

*Refreshments after in the atrium.*

*Family Mass is 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday .*

**Greetings to everyone.**

**Please stay for coffee in the atrium**

*Hymns from New English Hymnal &  
New English Praise. Page numbers are  
from the cream Parish Mass Book*

**11.00 am PARISH MASS** *How*  
*Pages 9 -13 in the Parish Mass Book*

**Entrance Hymn NEH 443**

**Introduction**

**Collect**

Almighty Father, who in your great mercy gladdened the disciples with the sight of the risen Lord: give us such knowledge of his presence with us, that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life and serve you continually in righteousness and truth; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

## First Reading

Acts 3.12-19

Peter addressed the people, 'You Israelites, why do you wonder at this, or why do you stare at us, as though by our own power or piety we had made him walk? The God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, the God of our ancestors has glorified his servant Jesus, whom you handed over and rejected in the presence of Pilate, though he had decided to release him. But you rejected the Holy and Righteous One and asked to have a murderer given to you, <sup>15</sup>and you killed the Author of life, whom God raised from the dead. To this we are witnesses. And by faith in his name, his name itself has made this man strong, whom you see and know; and the faith that is through Jesus has given him this perfect health in the presence of all of you. 'And now, friends, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did also your rulers. In this way God fulfilled what he had foretold through all the prophets, that his Messiah would suffer. Repent therefore, and turn to God so that your sins may be wiped out.'

## Psalm 4

Tone ii 1

LORD LIFT thou up \* the light of thy countenance upon us.  
Hear me when I call O God of my righteousness; \* thou hast set me at liberty when I was in trouble.  
Have mercy upon me \* and hearken unto my prayer.  
Know this also, \* that the Lord hath chosen to himself the man that is godly.

When I call upon the Lord, \* he will hear me.

There be many that say, \* "Who will show us a=ny good?"

Lord lift thou up \* the light of thy countenance upon us.

I will lay me down in peace \* and take my rest.

For it is thou Lord only \* that makest me dwell in safety.

Lord lift thou up \* the light of thy countenance upon us.

## Second Reading

1 John 3.1-7

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure. Everyone who commits sin is guilty of lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. You know that he was revealed to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. No one who abides in him sins; no one who sins has either seen him or known him. Little children, let no one deceive you. Everyone who does what is right is righteous, just as he is righteous.

## Gospel Acclamation

Sermon Fr Paul Roberts

*'Lord Jesus, open to us the Scriptures'*

## Gospel

*Luke 24.36b-48*

While the eleven and their companions were talking about what they had heard, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.' They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost. He said to them, 'Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself. Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have.' And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, 'Have you anything here to eat?' They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate in their presence. Then he said to them, 'These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you - that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled.' Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, 'Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things.'

## The Creed

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## Intercessions and Peace

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## Offertory Hymn NEH 609

*To God be the Glory*

## Eucharistic Prayer

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## Lord's Prayer & Preparation for Communion

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## Anthem

*Surrexit Christus Hodie - Scheidt*

## Communion Hymn NEH 274

## Post Communion

Living God, your Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread: open the eyes of our faith, that we may see him in all his redeeming work; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

**Amen.**

## Blessing & Angelus

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## Thanksgiving Hymn NEH 486

### Organ

*Rhapsody No 1 - Howells*

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**6.00 pm** Evening Prayer

Fr Charles Sutton

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### Your prayers are requested for :

**Sunday** Verity Clark Ruth Harding  
Marjorie Polyblanc Jill Morgan  
Tom Sheridan Cynthia Ashford  
Catherine Bradley Annette Young  
Nancy Kwasnicki Christopher Gower  
Roger Durbin (Pr) Chris Verity  
Caroline Semon Robert Pyne (Pr)

**Monday** John Bradley Chris Barnard  
Megan Lloyd-Davies Luke Sapsed  
Bernice McCabe Robert Paul

**Tuesday** Chris Callow Elizabeth  
Judy Torrens Margaret Swindale  
Diana Verity Peter Martin

**Wednesday** Derek Jay Felicity Firth  
Kate Thomas Molly Florey

**Thursday** Tom Hawkins Brenda Fortin  
Stephen Watts Su Prothero

**Friday** Jill Masfield Sylvia Shore  
John Lewis Charlotte Hopkins

**Saturday** All those who come into our church to find the comfort of our Sacred Space. The Ministry Team- Ordained and Licenced

### The Departed

Alwyn Jones (Pr)  
Jeremy Cooper (Pr)  
Debbie Furlong  
David Perkins  
Eric Roberts  
Anita Paul  
Rebecca Barrell  
Rob Davis  
Sharon Forsyth  
Joyce Cooper

### Years' Minds - this week we remember:

Betty Carpenter  
Tom Hodge  
Charles Clarke  
Beryl Dean  
Marguerite Walker