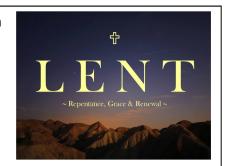
Wed 22nd March 12.30pm Lent Lunch at Christ Church, Orton Goldhay Thu 30th March 12.30pm Lent Lunch at St. Andrew's, Alwalton Fri 7th April 12.30pm Lent Lunch at St. Michael's, Chesterton Sat 8th April 2.00pmEaster Craft Afternoon at St. Andrew's



Sun 9th April Palm Sunday

Monday 10th April 7.30pm Holy Week Reflection at St. Andrew's Tuesday 11th April 7.30pm Film: "Risen" at St. Andrew's Wed 12th April Holy Week Reflection at St. Andrew's Thu 13th April Maundy Thursday 7.30pm The joyful God Fri 14th April Good Friday:

9.00am Breakfast

9.30am Service and Walk of Witness.

12.00pm 3 Hours at the Cross

Sun 16th Apr Easter Day: 9.00am Chesterton & 10.30am Alwalton

St. Michael's 5.00pm Evening Prayer

A&M 234 Thine for ever! Psalm 40 Old Testament Reading: Hosea 10:5-8, 12 A&M 194 King of glory, King of peace Epistle Reading: James 3:13-18

Sermon: Despair 'V' righteousness A&M 231 O for a closer walk with God A&M 131 Love divine, all loves

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Annual Parochial Church Meetings

St. Michael's April 6th 10.00am at St. Michael's church Please submit reports for St. Michael's to Helen McKee

St. Andrew's April 26th 7.30pm at St. Andrew's church Please submit reports for St. Andrew's to David Neate dn198r4@aol.com no later than 2nd April

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St. Andrew's & St. Michael's

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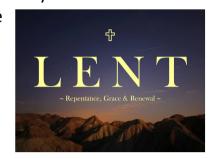
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19th March 2017 • The Third Sunday of Lent

Morning Service

Malcolm Ingham Writes,

Lent is a time of repentance, but also therefore of grace and renewal in our Christian lives, have you had the opportunity to spend time with God yet and enjoy that refreshment? If not, make some time this week, it doesn't matter how short.



Today Mon 20 th	5.00pm 9.30am	Chesterton Evening Prayer Tiddlywinks 0-5's at St. Andrew's
	7.30pm	Fellowship Group at 9 Oundle Road
	7.30pm	Joint PCC meeting at St. Andrew's
Tue 21 st		
Wed 22 nd	12.30pm	Lent Lunch at Christ Church Orton Goldhay
Thu 23 rd Fri 24 th Sat 25 th	7.30pm	Life Explored at St. Andrew's, Alwalton
Sun 26 th	9.00am 10.30am	Chesterton Morning Prayer (BCP) Alwalton Holy Communion (CW)

Our Verse for the Year 2017

"For in the gospel the righteousness of God is revealed – a righteousness that is by faith from first to last, just as it is written:

'The righteous will live by faith.'."

Romans 1:17 (NIV)

Please take home, read and recycle

ST. ANDREW'S SERVICE WELCOME & NOTICES

WE SING: O how good it is

MISSION UPDATE

CONFESSION

God our Father, full of grace and truth, you create us from nothing and give us life.

You give your faithful people new life in the water of baptism. You do not turn your face from us, nor cast us aside.

We confess that we have sinned against you and our neighbour. We have wounded your love and marred your image in us. Restore us for the sake of your Son, and bring us to heavenly joy,

in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ABSOLUTION

May God who loved the world so much that he sent his Son to be our Saviour forgive *us our* sins and make *us* holy to serve him in the world, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER BEFORE GOD'S WORD

READING Hosea 10:5-8, 12 At the end:

This is the Word of the Lord **Thanks be to God.**

WE SING: Facing a task unfinished

READING James 3:13-18

At the end:
This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God.

TALK Despair 'V' righteousness

WE SING: Seek ye first the kingdom of God

CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried: he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

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.

COLLECT

Eternal God, give us insight to discern your will for us, to give up what harms us, and to seek the perfection we are promised in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

WE SING: Strength will rise
The Collection for God's
work is taken during this hymn

FINAL PRAYER AND BLESSING

After the service...
Please do stay and join us
for coffee, tea, squash and
biscuits which are served at
the back of church.

Help setting the church up for Tiddlywinks (our preschool group) is also hugely appreciated.

PRAY if you would like to pray with someone after the service please approach any member of the Prayer Ministry team who can be identified by their large green badges.

LISTEN again to today's talk at www.alwaltonchurch.org.uk

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