

SERVICES DURING THE WEEK

Holy Monday

7.30am Morning Prayer St John's
 8.30am Morning Prayer St Margaret's
 9.15am Morning Prayer St. Peter's Lapal
 4pm Evening Prayer at St Kenelm's Church
 6.15pm Evening Prayer St John's
 6.30pm Evening Prayer St Margaret's
7.30pm Halas Eucharist at St Peter's Lapal

Holy Tuesday

8.30am Morning Prayer St John's
 4pm Evening Prayer at St Kenelm's Church
7.30pm Halas Eucharist St Margaret's

Spy Wednesday

7.30am Morning Prayer St John's
 8.30am Morning Prayer St Margaret's
 9.15am Morning Prayer St Peter's Lapal
10.00am Communion St Peter's Lapal
1.15pm Funeral of Peter Everton at St John's
 4.00pm Evening Prayer St Kenelm's Church
 6.30pm Evening Prayer St Margaret's
7.30pm Team Eucharist at St John's

Easter Eve

6.00pm Easter Vigil St Peter's Cradley
8.00pm Service of Light & Renewal of Baptism Vows St Margaret's
9.00pm Easter Fire, Service of Light & Renewal of Baptism Vows St John's

Maundy Thursday

9.15am Morning Prayer St Peter's Lapal
10.15am Communion St Peter's Cradley
6.15pm Eucharist St Kenelm's
7.00pm Agapé Supper St Pet's Lapal
7.00pm Passover Supper, Eucharist & Watch St John's
7.30pm Communion & Watch St Peter's Cradley
8.00pm Solemn Eucharist & Watch St Margaret's

Good Friday

8.15am Morning Prayer St John's
 8.30am Morning Prayer St Margaret's
10.00am Easter Journey for Children St Peter's Cradley
10.00am Worship & Children's Activities St Kenelm's Church Hall
12 noon Service for Whole Church Family St John's
12.30pm Stations of the Cross St Margaret's
1.00pm Stations of the Cross St John's
2.00pm Before the Cross St Peter's Cradley
2.00pm Last hour at the cross with Communion St John's
2.00pm An Hour at the Cross St Peter's Lapal
2.00pm Liturgy of the Cross St Margaret's
7.30pm Good Friday Reflection with St John's at St Kenelm's

Sunday 21st April 2019

Easter Day (Year C)

St Margaret's, Hasbury B63 4QD

11.00am Solemn Family Eucharist

St John's, Halesowen B63 4AF

8.00am Early Eucharist
 9.30am Festival Eucharist
 6.30pm Festival Halas Evensong

St Kenelm's, Romsley B62 0NG

8.00am Easter Ceremonies & Eucharist
 11.15am Church family Eucharist

St Peter's, Cradley B63 2UL

8.00am Easter Ceremonies
 9.00am Breakfast
 9.30am All Age Holy Communion

St Peter's, Lapal B62 0BH

9.30am All Age Parish Communion



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Sunday 14th

April 2019

Palm Sunday

A Warm Welcome

to all who worship with us today.

If you are visiting us for the first time and would like more information about the church or a home visit, please introduce yourself to the minister or welcomers.

All are welcome to receive the Bread and Wine of Holy Communion. If you would rather receive a Prayer of Blessing bring the service booklet with you so the priest knows what you need.

This morning's Readings

Isaiah 50.4-9

Isaiah pictures a faithful servant of God who is deeply and unjustly humiliated, but remains dignified in suffering. words which take on a profound meaning for us in the Passion of Jesus.

Philippians 2.2-11

It is our faith that 'Jesus Christ is Lord', because he came from God in total self-giving, and overcame the humiliation of death on the cross by rising and ascending. We offer to him our adoration and worship



The Passion of Jesus

as told to us by St Luke in his Gospel

The services for Holy Week and Easter can be found on the insert in your Pew Sheet.



Prayers for this week

Almighty and everlasting God, who in your tender love towards the human race sent your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ to take upon him our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross: grant that we may follow the example of his patience and humility, and also be made partakers of his resurrection; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,

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.



After 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.

Services later today

1.15pm **Baptism** at St Peter's Lapal
 6.00pm **Stations of the Cross** at St Margaret's
 6.30pm **Taizé Service** at St John's

Events in April

Holy Week

Mon 15th 11am **Chrism Service** in Cathedral.

Mon 15th 7.30pm **Eucharist** St Peter's Lopal.

Tue 16th 7.30pm **Eucharist** St Margaret of Antioch

Wed 17th 7.30pm **Eucharist** St John the Baptist.

Thu 18th 10.30am **Communion** Yew Tree Home.

Good Friday 19th 11.00am **Churches Together Ecumenical Witness** in Somers Square.

Mon 22nd 10.30am Church open for St John's Easter Garden (*Eucharist at 12 noon*)

Wed 24th 1.30pm **Tea & Cakes** Romsley Church Hall.

Thu 25th 10am **Quilting Group** St Margaret's.

Sat 27th Halas **Day trip to Ironbridge.**

Mon 29th 11.30am **International Workers' Day Memorial Service** St John's Churchyard.

Tue 30th 8.00pm **Halas Annual Parochial Church Meeting** following 7pm Eucharist in St Margaret's.

Events in May

Wed 1st 10.00am **MU** St Peter's Cradley

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Fri 3rd 10am **Tots Group** St Peter's Cradley

Sat 4th 10.00am **Greencare** St Peter's Cradley

Mon 5th 12.30pm **Whist** St Peter's Lopal

Tue 7th 2.00pm **Craft & Natter** St Peter's Lopal

Thu 9th 10.00am **Quilting Group** St Margaret's

Fri 10th 10.00am **Tots Group** St Peter's Cradley

Sat 11th 10.15am **Coffee Concert** St John's.

Sat 11th 1.00pm **Organ Recital** St Peter's Cradley

Mon 13th 11.00am **Worship** Two Gates Home.

Mon 13th 12.00am **Kenelm's Café** in Romsley Hall

Mon 13th 12.30am **Whist** St Peter's Lopal.

Mon 13th 3.30pm **Saints & Dragons** St Margaret's.

**Traidpoint will be closed
Good Friday - Easter Sunday**

Classic Bus & Blists Hill Museum,

Ironbridge 27th April 2019 Departure times

First departure time 7.50 St Peter's Lopal, on the corner of Hiplands Road and Cavendish Road (depending on resident parking)

Second departure time 8.10 St John's Halesowen, Church Croft (by the cemetery)

Third departure time 8.30 by St Peter's Cradley, Blue Ball Lane, opposite Jay Lawley Garages. It is your responsibility to arrive on time at the pickup points ready for departure at the start of the day and throughout the day. We look forward to spending this lovely day with you.

St. John's Spring Fair has changed to **18th May** If you can help please contact Sue Harding hardingsusan9@gmail.com



Halas High 5's meeting dates
for eight to twelve year olds

Sat 11th May St Kenelm's Church Hall

Tue 11th June St John's

Thu 11th July St Margaret's

All at 6.00pm-7.45pm except Sat 11th May when it will be 10.00am-11.45am



Petitions are available in our churches concerning Christian Aid's campaign with HSBC for **Ethical Investment**, and opposing plans for a National Service of **Thanksgiving for 50 years of the Nuclear Deterrent** at Westminster Abbey. Please take a look and consider signing!

Please pray for the families of **Peter Everton** and **Ernest Rose** as they prepare for their funeral.s



We welcome and pray for **Rocco James Douglas-Moore** as he comes for baptism today



Donations towards Easter flowers will be welcome in any of our churches. **Easter Lilies at St John's** are given in memory of those who have died, £2 each. Please pay Margaret Harper, Sue or Ivor, or any member of the Flower Guild



Thank you to all who, attended, helped or played at Cradley's Cinema Organ Concert which raised £400.00 for the clock fund. Cradley's next free organ concert is Saturday 18th May 2.30pm with Jean Holloway from St Margaret's and the Choir. Look forward to seeing you!

St John's Choir Reunion Weekend is 28th-30th June, when any former choir members are being asked back for singing and eating and special events! If you have contact details of anyone who was in the choir could you let Margaret Pickford know on 0121 501 2443 / text 07779 101753.

Parish Camp to Fownhope 7th-9th June for details contact Sally Spencer on 0121 602 6058

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Normal Office Hours

Mon -Thurs 9:30am-4pm

Friday: 9:30am- 1pm

Wedding & Christening bookings

Thursdays from 6pm -7pm