



# St Bartholomew's Church, Binley



'To Know God better, to be wholly filled with His love and share this love with others'

## The Fourth Sunday Of Easter – 21<sup>st</sup> April 2024

### Welcome

We welcome all visitors to St. Bartholomew's Church and especially those who are visiting us and our Facebook site for the first time.

Live services are streamed on Facebook whenever possible for those who are not able to join us in the church.

### Collect For Sunday

Risen Christ, faithful shepherd of your Father's sheep: teach us to hear your voice and to follow your command, that all your people may be gathered into one flock, to the glory of God the Father.

### Post Communion

Merciful Father, you gave your son Jesus Christ to be the good shepherd, and in his love for us to lay down his life and rise again: keep us always under his protection, and give us grace to follow in his steps; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

<u>Readings</u>	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Intercessions</u>	<u>Stewards</u>
Acts 4: 5-12 John 10: 11-18	Paul Michelle	Chris	Rose Ian

### Praise & Prayer

Jesus said: *I am the Good Shepherd. I know my sheep & my sheep know me... I lay down my life for the sheep.*

John 10:14-15

Praise God for His love & provision & that we have salvation in Christ, the Good Shepherd. Pray that we will be faithful witnesses to His saving love through our words & actions.

Pray for:

- next Sunday's APCM & that God will guide those considering standing for election.
- our Connect Groups as they meet around God's Word.
- our young people to grow in their faith.
- all who are suffering to experience God's presence & care.
- peace throughout this troubled world.
- all who face devastating climate changes.

### "Thy Kingdom Come"

9<sup>th</sup> -19<sup>th</sup> May: Ascension - Pentecost

Light up the world with prayer

Pray for 5 friends/neighbours to become Christians

Join us in Church for an hour of

### Praise & Prayer

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May at 7.00pm

"Come Holy Spirit"

### APCM

The APCM will be held next Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> April at 11.30am in the church hall. Agenda and reports will be emailed out and paper copies will be available at the back of church. Please consider whether you might stand for churchwarden, PCC, or deanery synod. To stand for election, or to vote at the APCM, you will need to be on the electoral roll, which will closed on 12<sup>th</sup> April. Nomination forms are available at the back of church.

### Afternoon Tea – 18<sup>th</sup> May

The children's team are holding the (very) long awaited afternoon tea on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May (15.00-17.00) in the church hall. Join us for a traditional afternoon tea, music, raffle, and standing bingo. Tickets are £10, available in the hall after the service. If you bought a ticket in 2020, it will still be valid, just come and give us your name. If you bought a ticket but cannot make it on the 18<sup>th</sup> we will refund your money. All profits will go to the church hall. Please see Ali for more details.

### Fundraising Concert - Peter Knight's Gigspanner - 7<sup>th</sup> May

I have a few tickets left for our first fundraising concert of the year. If you would like tickets, or for more information, see John (email - [jowen6@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:jowen6@yahoo.co.uk) mobile – 07872-580450). This will probably be the last time that I'll be able to book Gigspanner, so an opportunity not to be missed! Please help us make a great start to this year's fundraising!

### Prayer Requests

If you would like us to pray for anyone or anything, please email: [prayer@stbartsbinley.org](mailto:prayer@stbartsbinley.org)

If you'd like to be part of the group which prays for others, please let us know using this email.

### This Week's Services

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April - 09.30 Holy Communion

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> April - 10.00 Holy Communion

Registered Charity 1127406

### News Sheet Items

By email please to John by 7.00pm on Wednesday

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