

SERVICES AND EVENTS FOR TUESDAY 30th APRIL

11.00AM

HOLY COMMUNION

Leader: Ian Sawyer

Speaker: Rev Tim Day

Reading

John 21:1-14

SERVICES AND EVENTS FOR SUNDAY 5th MAY

10.30AM

MORNING PRAISE

Leader: Andrea Day

Speaker: Andrea Day

Reading

John 21:15-25

With Children's Groups in the Link

6.00PM

ENCOUNTER— FIRM FOUNDATIONS

PRAYERS

Monday: For the Emergency Services

Tuesday: For Exario

Wednesday: For the residents of Old Ashby Road & Hermitage Road

Thursday: For Japan

Friday: For all students preparing for their exams

Saturday: For the sick & bereaved in our church.

The Collect for the Fifth Sunday of Easter

Risen Christ,
your wounds declare your love for the world
and the wonder of your risen life:
give us compassion and courage
to risk ourselves for those we serve,
to the glory of God the Father.



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diverse community,
bringing the love, hope and
transformation of Jesus!”**

28th APRIL

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

A VERY WARM WELCOME

to all who join with us for worship today. If you would like to make yourselves known to us please talk to a Warden or Sidesperson. A welcome to take bread at communion to all those who normally do so in their own churches.

Our morning service lasts about 60 minutes and is followed by refreshments in the church centre. You are warmly invited to join us. There are toilets through the door at the left hand side at the front of the church.

To find out more about us visit our website or email our office.

admin@astad.org

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NOTICES

DRAINS UPDATE

All the work has now been approved by the insurers. The drains will be repaired this week.

BIRTHDAYS

On the first Sunday of the month we will take the opportunity to celebrate people's birthdays in that month in the hall during the refreshments and our fellowship time together.

MEN'S BREAKFAST

Join us for a Full English Breakfast (or vegetarian by request).
Followed by our speaker: Wes Erpen of The Birmingham City Mission
Saturday 4th May | 8.30am | Hall

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING

Reports and Accounts now available.

Sunday 12th May | After the Service | Hall

FIRST AID TRAINING

There are 3 spaces available on the training. Please speak with Chris Milner if you are interested.

Saturday 18th May | 9.00am– 4.00pm | Hall

QUIZ NIGHT

The event will be £2 a head and no more than 6 people to a team.

Sunday 18th May | 7.00pm | Hall

ECO TIP

Why not turn back the clock and use handkerchiefs instead of disposable tissues? Also, old sheets can be used as dustsheets or turned into hankies, and old towels turned into rags, napkins, and cloth bags. For more ideas see:

<https://www.goingzerowaste.com/blog/101-easy-eco-friendly-zero-waste-tips/>.

SPOTLIGHT

ENCOUNTER

A SERVICE OF REFLECTION, WORSHIP AND PRAYER.

We are excited to announce that ENCOUNTER our monthly evening service is going to become our weekly evening service.

As from May 5th ENCOUNTER will be every Sunday at 6pm
ENCOUNTER with its more reflective style and extended periods of worship and prayer adds an important element to the different acts of worship and service that we offer to our church family and our community. We pray that we will see it grow and develop over the coming months and years.

ENCOUNTER during May and June will be focussing on "Firm Foundations".
Please join us if you can.

EVENTS AT THORPE ACRE CHURCH WEEK BEGINNING 29th APRIL

Mon 29th April	9.00am	Church Cleaning
Tues 30th April	11.00am 5.45pm	Holy Communion in Church Charnwood Concert Band in Church
Weds 1st May	2.00pm	Craft Club in the Hall
Thurs 2nd May		ELECTIONS
Fri 3rd May	10.00am 12noon	TACA Coffee Morning in the Hall Lunch Club in the Hall
Sat 4th May	10.00am	Men's Breakfast in the Hall
Sunday 5th May	10.30am 6.00pm 7.00pm	Morning Praise in Church with Children's Groups in the Link Encounter in Church Way of the Wyrld in the Hall