

Benefice Noticeboard

~ **Polite Notice** – Please note that intinction, (dipping of wafers into wine) is not permitted. Please refrain from this practice. Thank you, Revd Neil.

~**St Peter's Spring Lunch** – this will be held in St Peter's Church, Raunds on **Sunday 19th April at 1pm**. Please let Keith Gubbins know if you would like to attend for catering purposes. Everyone welcome.

~ **May Market** – Keith and the team will be on the market square in Raunds on **Saturday May 9th from 10am-2pm**, selling an array of bargains. Please do pop along to support him if you are able.

~ **Mayors Show** – Keith and the team will have a stall at the Mayors Show on **Saturday 16th May**. Why not pop along and say hi.



Readings for Sunday 19th April The Third Sunday of Easter

Psalm 116: 1-3, 10-end
Acts 2: 14, 36-41
1 Peter 1: 17-23
Luke 24: 13-35



Sunday 12th April 2026 The Second Sunday of Easter John 20: 19-31

Jesus Appears to His Disciples

¹⁹ On the evening of that first day of the week, when the disciples were together, with the doors locked for fear of the Jewish leaders, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you!" ²⁰ After he said this, he showed them his hands and side. The disciples were overjoyed when they saw the Lord. ²¹ Again Jesus said, "Peace be with you! As the Father has sent me, I am sending you." ²² And with that he breathed on them and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³ If you forgive anyone's sins, their sins are forgiven; if you do not forgive them, they are not forgiven."

Jesus Appears to Thomas

²⁴ Now Thomas (also known as Didymus), one of the Twelve, was not with the disciples when Jesus came. ²⁵ So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord!" But he said to them, "Unless I see the nail marks in his hands and put my finger where the nails were, and put my hand into his side, I will not believe." ²⁶ A week later his disciples were in the house again, and Thomas was with them. Though the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you!" ²⁷ Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here; see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it into my side. Stop doubting and believe." ²⁸ Thomas said to him, "My Lord and my God!" ²⁹ Then Jesus told him, "Because you have seen me, you have believed; blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed."

The Purpose of John's Gospel

³⁰ Jesus performed many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not recorded in this book. ³¹ But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

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St Peter, Raunds

Churchwardens

Mike Turner Tel. 623289, Andrea Haseldine Tel. 07837 619823

Today: 9am Holy Communion

1:15pm APCM in Enterprise Centre

3pm Civic Service

This week

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday 8:50am Collective Worship in St Peter's Academy

Friday

Saturday

Sunday 11am Sunday Service

1pm Spring Lunch

All Hallows, Hargrave

Churchwardens

Savitri Pollard Tel. 626960, Paul Birch Tel. 07885 768763

Today: 6pm Holy Communion

This Week

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday 7pm PCC Meeting

Friday

Saturday

Sunday 9am Holy Communion

Nativity of Blessed Virgin Mary, Ringstead

Churchwardens

Rosemarie Coles Tel. 624262

Today: 11am Holy Communion

This week

Monday 1:30pm Little Angels

Tuesday

Wednesday 10am Holy Communion

Thursday 10:30am Collective Worship in church

Friday Funeral – Rosemary Hills

Saturday

Sunday 11am Sunday Service

St Laurence, Stanwick

Churchwardens

Sam Chambers Tel. 623855

Today: 9:30am Family Service

This Week

Monday

Tuesday 4pm- 5:30pm Bell Ringing Practice

Wednesday

Thursday 9:30am Little Treasures

Friday

Saturday

Sunday 11am Holy Communion