

# SMMC Services April 2021

## **ST. HIERITHA'S - SERVICE INFORMATION**

St. Hieritha's will be open for Sunday Services at 10.00 am (please note that this time as it has been altered from the usual service time), for March the services will be as follows:

**April 4th 10.00 am - Easter Sunday Service with (bread only) Communion**

**April 11th 10.00 am**

**April 18th 10.00 am**

**April 25th 10.00 am - St. Hieritha's**

There will be limited capacity in order to adhere to the Covid-19 guidelines for gatherings inside buildings, if you wish to attend a service please contact Averil on [averilcayster@gmail.com](mailto:averilcayster@gmail.com) or by phoning 01271 831461 **before the Saturday prior to the Sunday service each week** and she will tell you if there are spaces. Our services will be open to all of those in our the mission community and our friends in the Methodists. You will need to bring your face mask, fill in a test and trace form and be shown to your seat. Also please let Averil know the number of seats you require and if you're in a bubble with anyone. If you are taking part in the service it is **still imperative that you contact Averil** to confirm your seat etc as above.

Please bear with us patiently during this difficult period as we arrange services in line with Government guidelines.

**April 2nd - Good Friday**

**St. Hieritha's church will be open from 10.00 am until 18.00 with Stations of The Cross set up for you to follow in your own time. This will also be available to watch virtually on YouTube.**

## **CHITTLEHAMHOLT - SERVICE INFORMATION**

**Wonderful news! Chittlehamholt Church will be open on April 4th 11.00 am - for an Easter Sunday Communion Service led by Rev. Mike Miller**

**Every precaution will be taken to insure the safety of everyone and Government guidance will be followed. Numbers will have to be limited to allow adequate room for social distancing. It is important that anyone wishing to come to the service contacts Barbara Kilvington, (01769 540216) by Friday April 2nd to book a place and give contact details for "track and Trace"**

**Everyone attending the service will have to wear a mask and Communion will be bread only. Regrettably, due to Government restrictions, refreshments after the service cannot be offered and people are asked not to mingle after the service in, or outside the church. A receptacle for offerings will be placed near the door instead of the usual bag collection.**

## **CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD - SERVICE INFORMATION**

**April 18th 18.30 - Evening Service**

**3rd Sunday, Evening Service is being held. Covid restrictions still apply and the contact details, should you wish to attend, are the same as those for St. Hieritha's**

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## Prayers....

† We thank God for the lives of those who have been called by name and ask that He is with those who mourn.

† Alleluia. Christ is risen.  
He is risen indeed. Alleluia.  
Praise the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.  
He has given us new life and hope.  
He has raised Jesus from the dead.  
Alleluia. Christ is risen.  
He is risen indeed. Alleluia.

† Faithful one, whose word is life:  
come with saving power  
to free our praise,  
inspire our prayer  
and shape our lives  
for the kingdom of your Son,  
Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

† Dear Lord, may we realise afresh today what Your death and resurrection mean for us. Forgiveness, Freedom and the ability to walk with You through this fallen world into eternity. May we always find our satisfaction in You and Your willingness to offer Yourself to us. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

† Wishing you Christ's many blessings throughout this joyful season.

- May the Lord lift up your heart, at Easter and always.
- May the miracle of Easter bring you perfect peace.
- May you always feel Gods love shining in your life.
- Praying that you feel Christ's peace all year.
- God bless you at Easter and always.