

# The Church in Warden Hill



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(Anglican & URC)

# Welcome



**BAPTISM ANNIVERSARIES** Please pray for all those Baptised in Warden Hill over the years as they travel on their journey of faith

**SPRING LIVE STREAM SERVICES** The South Cheltenham Team have produced a schedule of services for the coming month. This can also be found on our website under 'Services' and is as follows:

## South Cheltenham Team Spring Live-stream Services

Date	Calendar	Time	Service Type	Presiding
03-May	Easter 4	10am	Holy Communion	Revd Gary Grady
10-May	Easter 5	10am	Holy Communion	Revd Nick Davies
17-May	Easter 6	10am	Holy Communion	Revd Gary Grady
		4pm	Teatime Church	Revd Nick Davies
21-May	Ascension Day	9am	Holy Communion	Revd Peter Quinnell
24-May	Sunday after Ascension	8am	BCP Holy Communion	Revd Gary Grady
		10am	Prayer & Praise	Revd Ken Shill
31-May	Pentecost	10am	Holy Communion	Revd Nick Davies
7-June	Trinity Sunday	10am	Holy Communion	Revd Gary Grady

*The First Sunday Holy Communion services will be themed with just one reading*

**All services can be accessed from one of the following:**

TCIWH website: [www.tciwh.org.uk](http://www.tciwh.org.uk)

St. Peter's website: [www.stpetersleck.org](http://www.stpetersleck.org)

Facebook: [www.facebook.com/pipandjims](https://www.facebook.com/pipandjims)

Arrangements for Thanksgiving for the Birth of a Child, Baptism, Confirmation, Banns of Marriage, etc., should be made with any one of the Clergy.

If you are aware of anyone who is ill, in hospital, or in need of a pastoral visit please contact Clergy, Elders or Readers.

Without your information we are unable to provide pastoral care.

Safeguarding Officer: Debbie Cypher

If you have anything for the Grapevine please send it to

Edna Willox ([grapevine@tciwh.org.uk](mailto:grapevine@tciwh.org.uk) Tel 510773) by early Wednesday evening

**THE GRAPEVINE 3rd MAY 2020  
FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

### A Message from Revd Gary

This Sunday's service will focus on the themes of 'new life and growth'. There is a lot to be thankful for at this time of year, as new life bursts forth around us and we see things starting to take form and take shape. We are truly fortunate to live in such a beautiful place and the weather has been kind recently. There is a lot, therefore, to reflect on as we 'look out', but also much to reflect on as we 'look in' and notice how our lives are being shaped and formed differently too.

### This week

This Sunday there will be a 10am 'New Life & Growth' Service live-streamed on our social media pages and website: [www.tciwh.org.uk](http://www.tciwh.org.uk) (follow the links)

### This Sunday's reading:

*Matthew 13.31-32, 17.20*

### Devotional Bible readings for the coming week

*A good way to stay connected is to read the Bible and see what scripture is saying to you each day, and what you might want to pray about.*

*There is also a live-stream service of Morning Prayer, led by Revd Gary or Revd Nick, weekdays at 9am here: [www.stpetersleck.org](http://www.stpetersleck.org) (scroll to the bottom of the page)*

#### Monday

Psalm 103  
Exodus 32.1-14

#### Tuesday

Psalm 139  
Exodus 32.15-34  
Luke 3.1-14

#### Wednesday

Psalm 135  
Exodus 33  
Luke 3.15-22

#### Thursday

Psalm 118  
Exodus 34.1-10, 27-end  
Luke 4.1-13

#### Friday

Psalm 33  
Exodus 35.20 - 36.7  
Luke 4.14-30

#### Saturday

Psalm 34  
Exodus 40.17-end  
Luke 4.31-37

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Alleluia! Christ is risen. **He is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

**DAILY HOPE** The C of E have launched a new free national phone line for those unable to join on-line services; it is a 24 hour number and will enable callers to listen into prayer and worship. The number is **0800 804 8044**. Please do share this with any friends or neighbours who might benefit. Revd Gary.

**LIVING ROOM FEST** Christian Arts Festival are delighted to offer an online celebration, LIVING ROOM FEST! going out LIVE on Sat 2 May from 2pm. There will be 2 streams through the Christian Arts Festival YouTube channel; one for adults (12yrs+) and one for children (5 - 12yrs). Find out more details at [www.christianartsfestival.org](http://www.christianartsfestival.org)

**THE LANTERN** This will be shortly available from our website: [www.tciwh.org.uk](http://www.tciwh.org.uk), however, there will be no paper copies available this month.

**VIRTUAL CHRISTIAN AID WEEK** This is from 10-16 May this year. Please remember and pray for the needs of the poorest global communities that Christian Aid supports. You can help via this link: <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/ChristianAidCheltenham> or you can give £5 by texting BIBLE to 70460.

**MORNING PRAYER** This is being led by either Revd Gary or Revd Nick each weekday at 9am. Do join in and post your prayers on-line each day as we gather together to read, reflect and pray. You can join in via: [www.stpetersleck.org](http://www.stpetersleck.org) or on Facebook: [www.facebook.com/pipandjims](https://www.facebook.com/pipandjims)

**SILVERDENE SNIPPETS: PINK JOY** This year my 50 year old apple tree, after two consecutive years of poor yields, looks more promising. The abundant blossom gives me hope. My gnarled tree is covered in fresh green leaves and splashes of pink - the darker buds cluster tightly together; while the open flowers, in more delicate shades, look skywards as if welcoming the sun and the brilliant blue cloudless sky. Regardless of what the harvest to come might or might not be, the tree is giving me hope and joy in this difficult time. Pam Dainton.

Website for The Church in Warden Hill is [www.tciwh.org.uk](http://www.tciwh.org.uk)

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**PLEASE PRAY THIS WEEK FOR** 8th May, and the commemorations for VE Day, giving thanks for peace in Europe since 1945

**PLEASE ALSO PRAY FOR** those who are troubled at this time, those who are sick, and those who mourn.

## Weekly Prayer Focus

3rd	Winchester Way & Hazlewood	7th	Lincoln Avenue & Durham
4th	Canterbury Walk & Norwich	8th	Lichfield Drive & Rochester
5th	Oxford Way & St. David's Close	9th	Hawkswood Road & Abbots Close
6th	St. Michael's Road & Wells Close	10th	Hampton Close & St. Alban's Close

## A PRAYER ABOUT THE OUTBREAK

Keep us, good Lord,  
Under the shadow of your mercy  
In this time of uncertainty and distress.  
Sustain and support the anxious and fearful,  
and lift up all who are brought low,  
that we may rejoice in our comfort  
knowing that nothing can separate us  
from your love in Christ Jesus our Lord.

**Amen**

This prayer comes from "Prayers for use during the coronavirus outbreak" published by The Church of England. This booklet and further prayers can be found online at [CofE.io/ChurchOnline](http://CofE.io/ChurchOnline)

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