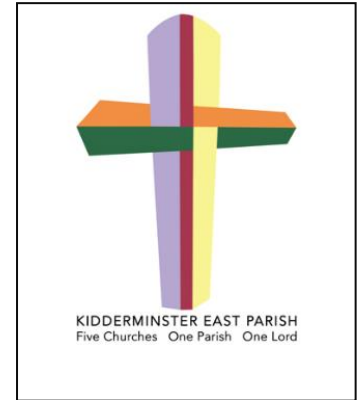


Parish of Kidderminster East Easter Day Service 2021



Sung Worship before the Service:

See what a morning - led by Linda Entwistle

Thine be the glory - led by David Grist

Opening Prayer

The Lord be with you

And also with you

Alleluia. Christ is risen

He is risen indeed. Alleluia.

Sung Worship - Jesus Christ is risen today, Alleluia led by David G.

Confession

Like Mary at the empty tomb, we fail to grasp the wonder of your presence.
Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Like the disciples behind locked doors, we are afraid to be seen as your
followers. Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Like Thomas in the upper room, we are slow to believe. Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

May almighty God who sent His Son into the world to save sinners, bring you His
pardon and peace, now and forever.

Amen

Reading Isaiah 25 v 6-9

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

Sung Worship [Lord I lift your name on high](#)

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Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to **John 20 v 1-18**

All **Glory to you, O Lord**

After the Gospel;

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to You O Christ

Talk/Activity

Let us declare our faith in the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ:

Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures; He was buried; He was raised to life on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures; afterwards he appeared to his followers, and to all the apostles: this we have received, and this we believe. Amen.

Prayers of Intercession and Easter Collect

God of glory,
by the raising of your Son
you have broken the chains of death and hell:
fill your Church with faith and hope;
for a new day has dawned
and the way to life stands open
in our Saviour Jesus Christ.

The Peace

The risen Christ came and stood among his disciples and said, 'Peace be with you.' Then were they glad when they saw the Lord. Alleluia.

The peace of the Lord be always with you

All **And also with you**

Sung Worship - [Man of sorrows](#)

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1 Corinthians 11:23-26 with the visual aids of bread and wine

²³ For I received from the Lord what I also passed on to you: The Lord Jesus, on the night he was betrayed, took bread, ²⁴ and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of me." ²⁵ In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me." ²⁶ For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

The Lord's Prayer

As our saviour taught us so we pray:

Our Father in heaven,
Hallowed be your name,
Your kingdom come,
Your will be done,
On earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
As we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation
But deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
And the glory are yours now and forever.
Amen.

Together we say:

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, grant us peace.

Sung worship - The Power of the Cross - Led by David G.

Blessing

God of our salvation, you have restored us to life, you have brought us back again into your love by the triumphant death and resurrection of Christ. Continue to heal us, as we go to live and work in the power of your Spirit, to your praise and glory.
Amen

Go in the peace of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia.
Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

A very happy Easter to you all.

Breakout rooms

If you can't see the people you would like to catch-up with, can we encourage you to reach out to them in other ways this week. We all need community during this time: and a text, a phone call, a Whatsapp, Facetime or Zoom call can make all the difference.

Morning Prayer	Tues 6 th - Thurs 8 th and Saturday 10 th 8am - 8.40am
Parish Prayer	Next one is on Wednesday 14 th April 7.20pm - 8.00pm
Contemplative Prayer	Thursdays 7.00pm - 7.30pm
KEP-online Quiz nights	Next one is on Friday 9 th April 7.00pm-9.00pm

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