

Notices

Tonight!
Easter Praise
6.00 pm
Great Alne

Thursday 12th April at 10.30am St Nicholas Church will celebrate completion of the South face Restoration, scaffolding having been removed on 6th. All are welcome to admire the great work revealed and compare with the North side expected to start in August. Refreshments will be served in Church, with display of details and fund raising opportunities.

Coffee Morning
at Sambourne Church
Saturday 14 April
10.00 – 12.00 noon
Fundraising Coffee
Morning with stalls and refreshments

Thank you for those who attended the Lent lunch with donations of £204 going to the Alcester Refugee Fund

Men Only Prayer Group
The first Saturday of every month.
7.30 – 8.30 am
at Alcester Baptist Church
07 April 2018
All men welcome

APCM meetings:
Coughton & Sambourne
Monday 09 April
7.30 pm at Sambourne
Kinwarton with Gt Alne
Tuesday 10 April
7.30 pm at Great Alne
Arrow & Weethley
10.15 am Sunday 15 April
at Weethley
Alcester Wednesday 18 April
7.30 pm at Church House

Deanery Confirmation 24 May
at Wootten Wawen
Anyone who wishes to be considered for Confirmation please contact Revd Adrian Guthrie asap.

Next Sunday
Fairtrade Stall
Between 9 am and 11 am
Services
in Church House



Welcome to
the Alcester Minster
Group of Churches
Sunday 01 April 2018

Welcome

Easter Sunday Gold/White

“Mary Magdalene went to the disciples with the news: ‘I have seen the Lord!’.”

John 20 v 18

Collect

Lord of all life and power,
who through the mighty resurrection of your Son
overcame the old order of sin and death
to make all things new in him:
grant that we, being dead to sin
and alive to you in Jesus Christ,
may reign with him in glory;
to whom with you and the Holy Spirit
be praise and honour, glory and might,
now and in all eternity.

Alternative 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.

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Next week's services and events.

Sunday 01 April	Easter Sunday	<i>White/Gold</i>
Great Alne	6.00 pm	Minster Easter Praise
Monday 02 April		<i>Bank Holiday Monday</i>
Tuesday 03 April		
Alcester	7.00 pm	Holy Communion
Wednesday 04 April		
Alcester	10.00 am	Holy Communion
Thursday 05 April		
Alcester	7.30 pm	Bell-ringing practice
Friday 06 April		
Conway Fields	7.00 pm	Chocolate Run for young people
Saturday 07 April		
Sunday 08 April	Easter 2	<i>White</i>
Alcester	9.00 am	Minster Communion
		<i>Refreshments will be serviced in Church House between the 9.00 am and 11.00 am services</i>
Alcester	11.00 am	Minster Family Communion
Church House	3.00 pm	Baptism Preparation

All monies collected at the Minster Services on the second Sunday each month will be given to Minster Funds including monies given in the special Minster gift aid envelopes which can be found in the pews on this Sunday.



Did you know that you can now 'LIKE' Alcester Minster on facebook? Find details and pictures of events at www.facebook.com/AlcesterMinster If you would like to submit event notices or photos to be published on the page then please email administrator@alcesterminster.org

We welcome Julian back and the staff wish you all a very Happy Easter.

God's Blessings to you all this Easter!

Readings for the week:

Sunday	John 20 v 1 – 18
Monday	1 Corinthians 15 v 1 – 11
Tuesday	1 Corinthians 15 v 12 – 19
Wednesday	1 Corinthians 15 v 20 – 28
Thursday	1 Corinthians 15 v 29 – 34
Friday	1 Corinthians 15 v 35 – 50
Saturday	1 Corinthians 15 v 51 - 58

Readings for Today (Year B):

Isaiah 25 v 6 - 9

John 20 v 1 - 18 or Mark 16 v 1 - 8



Prayer

The Ministry Leadership Team would like you to pray for the following topics:

1. Pray that the spirit of the Easter message will focus the leaders of the world towards peace and co-operation.
2. Pray that we have a fresh awareness of the joy of our risen Lord.

The Minster has Home Groups which meet most days of the week. If you are interested in joining one, please contact the Rector.

Please ensure all mobile phones are switched OFF during the service. Visitors are invited to Gift Aid their offerings in the envelopes provided.

Please take this sheet home with you

Contact John Berry [0784 028 4294 or administrator@alcesterminster.org] by 6 pm on Tuesday to add notices of church activities to next week's notice sheet.