

St. Mary's
Bromley



Weekly Family News 20th March 2020

Supporting and strengthening family life



Easter eggs: 2020 is the tenth anniversary of The Real Easter Egg. Out of the 80 million Easter eggs sold in this part of the world every year, The Real Easter Egg is the only one which has an Easter story book in the box, is made of **Fairtrade chocolate** and supports charitable projects. All eggs are Palm Oil free and the Original and Dark eggs are plastic free. Easter eggs available to order; milk chocolate £4.00 and dark chocolate £5.50. Please use the sign-up sheet at the back of church or speak to Anne Yolland.

Did you know you can request a copy of the Parish Magazine for viewing online as a pdf for free? If you would like to obtain a copy please contact Elaine Wakefield admin@stmarys-bromley.org.uk

This Week

As you may already know the Church of England has decided to suspend public worship for the time being because of the coronavirus pandemic. We can still remember our mothers and others who care or have cared for us and give thanks for them on Mothering Sunday. You may like to watch Songs of Praise at 1.15 p.m. on BBC1, which features the Mothers' Union in Worthing.



Referring to Jerusalem Jesus says '... How often have I desired to gather your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you were not willing!' Luke 13.34

Jesus speaks about his strong love which is like a mother hen protecting her chicks. Pray that many will be willing to come to him.



Every Tuesday morning the pastoral team prays for the members of our church

family who are on the intercession list for that week. At the moment we are at surnames beginning with B, so if that's you, we'll be in touch soon.

THIS WEEK

Sunday 22nd March

No service due to the Coronavirus outbreak

NEXT WEEK

Sunday 29th March

No service due to the Coronavirus outbreak



Grace Café: Cancelled until further notice due to the Coronavirus outbreak.



BATS: Cancelled until further notice due to the Coronavirus outbreak.



MESSY CHURCH: Cancelled until further notice due to the Coronavirus outbreak



KNIT AND KNATTER: Thursday 16th April 10am-11.30am in the front room of Church House. Come and enjoy knitting, knattering and some home made cakes! There's lots of advice on hand about knitting techniques and plenty of people to help you learn how to knit. For more details speak with Mary Fall (one of our BATS volunteers). **MAY BE CANCELLED DUE TO CORONAVIRUS.**



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