

HYMNS

208 Light's glittering morn
 209 Love's redeeming work is done
 198 At the lamb's high feast
 218 Thine be the glory

PRAYERS

- For the Church: in the Anglican Church of Hong Kong (Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui) we pray for Holy Spirit Church, Shatin, and the Revd Richard Tsang, the Revd Hubert Che, and the Revd Hin Cheung Chan.

- For our world

- For the sick, especially, Valery Garrett, Brittany, Brenda Cuyn, Tan Kok Neo, Marianne Whittington-Smith.

- For the departed, especially Rebecca Dykes, Joel Baria, Stephen Cherry, Wong Kin Wah.

If you would like to include anyone by name in our prayers, please let Hugh or Will know.

Thank you to all our volunteers!

The beautiful flowers are in loving memory of Wong Tim, Cordelia and Bono.

VOLUNTEERS	TODAY	Next Sunday
Welcomers	Fei Fei Li	The Mookerjis
Altar Server	James Goh	
Readers	Alison Harada Amelia Wilson	Phoebe Poon Alison Harada
Intercessions	Alison Harada	David Bradley
Offertory & Collection	Fei Fei Li	
Chalice	Amelia Wilson Evelyne Yeung	Amelia Wilson
Refreshments	Caitlin Liu	Catherine Freeman
Flower	Amelia Wilson	The Lyles
Sunday School	Judith Crosbie-Chen Rebecca Price	Judith Crosbie-Chen Rebecca Price

The beautiful candlelit service of Readings and Music to celebrate Easter with our own St Stephen's Chorale went success on yesterday evening.

St Stephen's AGM will be held on next Sunday after service at 11am, followed by Pot Luck lunch at The Vicarage, all are welcome.

There is a big service and dinner for the Anglican Church of HK on October 6. We would like to have a St Stephen's table of 12 people at the dinner. Sign up deadline in this month. Cost \$350.

If you're not free one Sunday morning, try Sunday 6pm at St John's Cathedral.
 Tonight: Choral Evensong
 Next Week: Taize Evening Prayer

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The colour of the priest's stole and the veil covering the chalice is white for light.

Please join us for tea and coffee after church.

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15th April 2018

3rd Sunday of Easter

9.30am Holy Eucharist

The Revd Will Newman



Jesus Appears to His Disciples, Heqi

1st Reading from the Acts of the Apostles

Peter addressed the people, ‘You Israelites, why do you wonder at this, or why do you stare at us, as though by our own power or piety we had made him walk? The God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, the God of our ancestors has glorified his servant Jesus, whom you handed over and rejected in the presence of Pilate, though he had decided to release him. But you rejected the Holy and Righteous One and asked to have a murderer given to you, and you killed the Author of life, whom God raised from the dead. To this we are witnesses. And by faith in his name, his name itself has made this man strong, whom you see and know; and the faith that is through Jesus has given him this perfect health in the presence of all of you. ‘And now, friends, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did also your rulers. In this way God fulfilled what he had foretold through all the prophets, that his Messiah would suffer. Repent therefore, and turn to God so that your sins may be wiped out.

Acts 3.12-19

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.
All: Thanks be to God.

2nd Reading from 1st Letter of John

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God’s children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure. Everyone who commits sin is guilty of lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. You know that he was revealed to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. No one who abides in him sins; no one who sins has either seen him or known him. Little children, let no one deceive you. Everyone who does what is right is righteous, just as he is righteous.

1 John 3.1-7

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.
All: Thanks be to God.

THE GOSPEL

Priest: Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus himself stood among the disciples and said to them, ‘Peace be with you.’ They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost. He said to them, ‘Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself. Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have.’ And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, ‘Have you anything here to eat?’ They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate in their presence.

Then he said to them, ‘These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you—that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled.’ Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, ‘Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things.

Luke 24.36b-48

Priest: This is the Gospel of the Lord.
All: Praise to you, O Christ.
