

## Today 12 May, 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

10am Parish Holy Communion

**Leading:** Rev'd John Williams

**Welcoming:** Jean Page

**Reading:** Alma Harding

**Praying:** Richard Walford

## The Week Ahead at All Saints'

Events take place in church or Fellowship Room unless otherwise stated

**Monday 13 May 7-9pm** Home Group  
at Mary Quine's home

**Tuesday 14 May 7.30pm** Catering Team Meeting  
at Rita Sculpher's home, Lumley House.

**Friday 17 May 2pm** Finish that Kit!

**Saturday 18 May 11am-1pm** Reflections Café  
run by Kenton Dementia Friendly Village.

## Next Sunday

19 May, 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

10am Parish Holy Communion

Led by Rev'd Mark Lord-Lear



## New Testament reading for today

### Acts 9.36-end

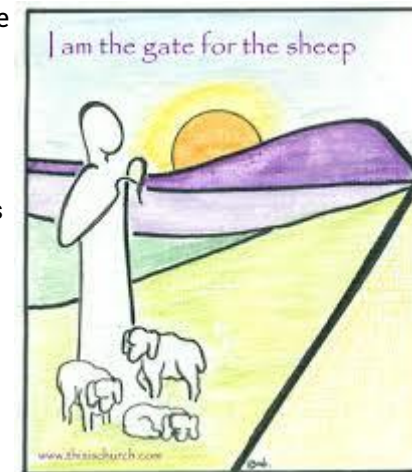
<sup>36</sup> Now in Joppa there was a disciple whose name was Tabitha, which in Greek is Dorcas. She was devoted to good works and acts of charity. <sup>37</sup> At that time she became ill and died. When they had washed her, they laid her in a room upstairs. <sup>38</sup> Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, who heard that Peter was there, sent two men to him with the request, 'Please come to us without delay.' <sup>39</sup> So Peter got up and went with them; and when he arrived, they took him to the room upstairs. All the widows stood beside him, weeping and showing tunics and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was with them. <sup>40</sup> Peter put all of them outside, and then he knelt down and prayed. He turned to the body and said, 'Tabitha, get up.' Then she opened her eyes, and seeing Peter, she sat up. <sup>41</sup> He gave her his hand and helped her up. Then calling the saints and widows, he showed her to be alive. <sup>42</sup> This became known throughout Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. <sup>43</sup> Meanwhile he stayed in Joppa for some time with a certain Simon, a tanner.

## Gospel reading for today

### John 10.22-30

<sup>22</sup> At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter, <sup>23</sup> and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon.

<sup>24</sup> So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, 'How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly.' <sup>25</sup> Jesus answered, 'I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father's name testify to me; <sup>26</sup> but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. <sup>27</sup> My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. <sup>28</sup> I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. <sup>29</sup> What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father's hand. <sup>30</sup> The Father and I are one.'



## Collect for today

Risen Christ,  
faithful shepherd of your Father's sheep:  
teach us to hear your voice  
and to follow your command,  
that all your people may be gathered into one flock,  
to the glory of God the Father.  
Amen.

## News, Events and Notices

### A VERY BIG THANK YOU.....

.....to everyone who helped in any way towards the great success of the Tea Tent at the Village May Day event last Monday. It was a lovely afternoon made even more enjoyable by the wonderful array of refreshment and smiles available in the Tea Tent! Thank you to all, from church and school, who organised, baked, bought, served, cleared tables or did the (seemingly endless!) washing up. Funds raised were shared between the Kenton School Parents' Association and All Saints' Church.

### COFFEE MORNING Saturday 25 May, 10am-12pm

in church,  
in aid of church funds. .



**NEXT MESSY CHURCH**  
**Thursday 13 June,**  
**Samson, God's strongman!**

## Prayer for the week

God, our Shepherd, give to the church, a new vision and a new charity, new wisdom and fresh understanding, the revival of her brightness and the renewal of her unity; that the eternal message of your Son, undefiled by the traditions of men, may be hailed as the good news of the age, through him who makes all things new. Amen



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YOU HERD SHEEP ... UNLESS YOU HAPPEN  
TO HAVE SOME SHEPS AROUND HERE THAT  
I'M NOT SEEING

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## All Saints Kenton

### Weekly News



Sunday, 12 May 2019

**4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**

**Good  
Shepherd  
Sunday**

**10am:**  
Parish  
Holy  
Communion



**Welcome to our service today**, especially if you are visiting All Saints' for the first time this morning. We hope you will all feel at home with us, and experience the presence of God as we worship together.

**Gluten-free wafers and non-alcoholic wine** are available at Communion. Please tell the Welcome Team if you need either of these.

**Please join us** for refreshments at the back of the church after the 10am service and take this sheet home with you to refer to during the week.