# St Oswald's Parish Church Lower Peover



# April 2024 **50**p



### Full details of services at St Oswald's and St Lawrence's can be found on the website peoverchurches.org.uk

#### **Occasional Offices**

Weddings: Please contact Norman Withenshaw: 07771 651888 Funerals and Burials: Please contact Mrs Pam Adlington or Norman Withenshaw Baptisms: Please contact Norman Withenshaw: 07771 651888

#### **Church Officers:**

#### Vicar:

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#### In our prayers...

At all our services we ask God's blessing on those known to us who are ill or infirm, particularly those with whom we have close connections as members of the congregation. If you would like to be named in our prayers of intercessions because you are undergoing treatment or know of someone who has requested prayers, please contact one of the churchwardens.

#### Dear Friends,

#### Easter Greetings!

#### "He is not here."

Over two thousand years or so ago, some people went to a graveyard in Jerusalem. They were going to one of the tombs, just one among countless other similar tombs there: According to Jewish culture and tradition, they were going to anoint the body of their friend who had died and had been buried there a couple of days previously. But as they approached the place, they saw that the huge stone that had been put across the mouth of the tomb had been moved. And, even more surprising, they were met by someone who said: "Why are you looking for your friend? He is not here!"

He is not here? But he must be here. We saw him laid here with our own eyes two days ago!

And so the most baffling, extraordinary and sensational story of all time began in earnest - Jesus had risen from the dead! A surprising end to that part of Jesus' story.

As you pass St Oswald's, this Easter time, have a good look around the churchyard. You will notice splashes of colour from spring flowers - a sign of new life, new growth, new hope. Inside we are hoping to have an Easter Garden put together by the little house and children in the parish. Among the flowers you will see the three empty crosses. Immediately beneath them will be a garden - with the empty tomb.

The Easter story, the arrest, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ was of course a surprise to many, and in many ways the Church was born out of that surprise and God's working in our world and our lives continues, to some surprisingly, to this very day.

Inside, on Easter day, therefore, you will not find St Oswald's empty. You will find it full of joy and of colour and of hope and of love. That is perhaps the most surprising thing about Easter. From the empty tomb comes a full building full of faith. From loneliness and sadness comes family and great joy!

If you can be with us for any of our services; fabulous! If not may the message of Easter bring you great joy and hope wherever you are and what ever might be going on in your life! May the flowers around our villages remind you that there can always be found light and above all those things may this Easter also remind you that you are precious and so very loved by God.

#### "He is here; his spirit is with us. Alleluia!"

May God bless you and those you love this Easter and always. Fr Murray

#### CALENDAR OF SERVICES for APRIL at St Oswald's and St Lawrence's churches

BCP-Book of Common Prayer (Traditional language service using the King James Bible)

CW-Common worship (Modern language service using the Revised Standard Bible)

AA- All Age Worship (A 'modern language/less formal' interactive service often partially led by our children's church using the International Children's Bible)

Each Wednesday at 10am - CW 'said' Holy Communion followed at 10.30am by a service of prayer and anointing for Healing and Wholeness. (St Oswald)

#### Sunday 7th April: 2nd Sunday of Easter

8 am BCP Holy Communion (St Oswald)9.30 am CW Morning Prayer (St Lawrence)11 am AA Worship (St Oswald)

#### Sunday 14th April: 3rd Sunday of Easter

8 am BCP Holy Communion (St Oswald)9.30 am CW Morning Prayer (St Lawrence)11 am CW Holy Communion with separate children's church (St Oswald)

#### Sunday 21st April: 4th Sunday of Easter

8a.m BCP Holy Communion (St Oswald)9.30 am CW Holy Communion (St Lawrence)11 am AA Communion Service (St Oswald)

#### Sunday 28th April: 5th Sunday of Easter

8 am BCP Holy Communion (St Oswald)9.30 am CW Morning Prayer (St Lawrence)11am CW Holy Communion with separate children's church (St Oswald)

#### Sunday 5th May: 6th Sunday after Easter Rogation

8 am BCP Holy Communion (St Oswald)
9.30 am CW Morning Prayer (St Lawrence)
11 am AA Worship (St Oswald)
Please note that services may change so please check the website.

News and events can be found on our website www.peoverchurches.com



Smartphone users can access the site by scanning the QR code. also find a full calendar of events on http://www.achurchnearyou.com/lower-or-nether-peover-st-oswald/

Daily Hope phone line

Daily Hope offers music, prayers and reflections as well as full worship services from the Church of England at the end of a telephone line. The line is free and available 24 hours a day on 0880 804 8044.

#### Cat's eyes

When you drive on a road late at night And the dark is affecting your sight; At that time of day it is easy to stray Too far with your car to the right!

But we've been protected from tears For most of the past ninety years, Since a man who was wise invented cat's eyes. So, the edge of your lane now appears!

Now drivers, protected from frights By mirrors reflecting our lights, May shout 'hip-hooray!' at all times of day, And drive with no fear of the nights!

By Nigel Beeton

(90 years ago, on  $3^{rd}$  April 1934, a very clever man named Percy Shaw patented a device that he had invented called a 'cat's eye')

You can

Almighty Father, In these weeks after Easter, help us to receive afresh the new life Jesus' resurrection makes possible. Lord, come to us. Walk through the locked doors of our fears. Bring us your peace. Fill us with your Holy Spirit. Send us onto our daily front lines to share your resurrection peace and hope and love with those who are lost and lonely. Thank you for meeting us in Jesus, our Lord and our God. We are your Easter people. Hallelujah. Amen.

By Daphne Kitching

#### From the register

#### **Burial of Ashes**

Anne Peterson

#### Baptism

Pearl Skye Crawford Lucas Tate Theophanous

#### Cathedral attendance has continued its post-pandemic bounce back

Attendance at Church of England cathedrals has continued to bounce back following the pandemic, according to the latest statistics.

Figures show that adult usual Sunday attendance rose 60% between 2021 and 2022 for the 42 Church of England mainland Cathedrals to 12,300 adults. A total of 28,200 people including children attended services every week, according to Cathedral Statistics 2022.

Over the year there were 584,000 attendances at specially arranged services – not included in average weekly attendance - such as school services. The number of special services stood at 2,100. The total reported attendance at Christmas services stood at 104,000.

#### The Rainbow

The world was so wicked that God made it rain For forty long days and long nights The floodwaters covered both mountain and plain They covered the highest of heights!

But Noah survived, because he – free from guilt Kept the Word of his God in his mind So he and his kin, in the ark he had built Lived with two beasts of every kind.

They floated by night and they floated by day No sign of the land could they spy; Till at last came the day when the flood drained away And a rainbow was seen in the sky.

And God said to Noah, "You see that bright bow? "That rainbow up there in the sky? "Now I've put it there as a sure sign to show "Of a promise twixt mankind and I.

"In future you'll know that I won't make it rain "So the whole earth is flooded that deep. "Now the rainbow is there and will be again, "And you'll know that this promise I'll keep."

On days when it seems that the rain just won't go And the floodwaters fill us with fear; At last comes the sun and the bright coloured bow – Our God made that rainbow appear.

By Nigel Beeton

#### Worry

I have so many problems that if a new one comes along today, it will be at least two weeks before I can worry about it.

#### 1<sup>st</sup> April – Fooling Around

Probably the most famous April Fool's joke of all time was the 1960's BBC TV broadcast feature on the spaghetti farms of Italy. A BBC reporter interviewed Italian farmers about their work and the progress of the spaghetti plants in great detail. Spaghetti plants were filmed being carefully planted, and then being harvested. And all in the BBC's most serious documentary manner. It took a while to appreciate that this was Aunty playing games. Whatever next!

The odd thing is that no one is quite sure of the origin of this very British tradition. Most attribute it to changes in Britain's calendar in the 1700s, when New Year's Day moved from 25<sup>th</sup> March to 1<sup>st</sup> January. Not surprisingly, the change caused a lot of confusion and mistakes around the start of April. Others look even further back, to the ancient Roman feast of Hilaria, when the goddess Cybele was celebrated with pranks and jokes around the Spring Equinox, 25<sup>th</sup> March.

More than £250,000 was distributed by the Church of England last year to support conservation projects in parishes, including work to preserve wall paintings, baptismal fonts, stained glass windows and rood screens.

A total of £255,585 has been awarded for 123 projects in 34 dioceses – with the number of grants up 20% on the year before – to help churches maintain and preserve significant cultural and historical items, including paintings, doors, chairs, clocks, and organs.

The grants, from donated funds, including major funder, the Pilgrim Trust, were distributed by the Church of England's national Cathedrals and Church Buildings team.

When the restaurant next to a church put out a big sign with red letters that said, 'Open Sundays', the church reciprocated with its own message: 'We are open on Sundays, too.'

It is told of the great preacher C H Spurgeon that after preaching at length one Sunday he said: "I don't mind people looking at their watches, but I do dislike to see them holding them to their ears, to see if they are still going."

# **Probate and Taxation services**

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#### ACROSS

- 8 'He poured out his life unto death, and was numbered with the ' (Isaiah 53:12) (13)
- 9 'When they had sung a hymn, they went to the Mount of Olives (Matthew 26:30) (3)
- 10 Comes between Galatians and Philippians (9)
- 11 'Your heart will and swell with joy' (Isaiah 60:5) (5)
- 13 Muslim holy month (7)
- 16 Ten ears (anag.) (7)
- 19 Under (poetic abbrev.) (5)
- 22 How Abram described himself to God when he complained that his inheritance would pass to a servant (Genesis 15:2) (9)
- 24 'Go to the —, you sluggard' (Proverbs 6:6) (3)
- 25 Debar from receiving Communion (13)

#### DOWN

- 1 My for His Highest (Oswald Chambers' best-known book) (6)
- 2 Festival of the resurrection (6)
- 3 'His sons will prepare for war and a great army' (Daniel 11:10) (8)
- 4 'Let not the string his bow' (Jeremiah 51:3) (6)
- 5 Name of the River Thames in and around Oxford (4)
- 6 'From then on Judas watched for an opportunity — him over' (Matthew 26:16) (2,4)
- 7 'But Christ is faithful — over God's house' (Hebrews 3:6) (2,1,3)
- 12 Long-handled implement used to till the soil (Isaiah 7:25) (3)
- 14 Order to which monks and nuns devote themselves (8)
- 15 Appropriate (Proverbs 15:23) (3)
- 16 I, uncle (anag.) (6) 17 'They gave him — of broiled fish' (Luke 24:42) (1,5)
- 18 'Weren't there three men that we — and threw into the fire?' (Daniel 3:24) (4,2)
- 20 Mountain where Noah's ark came to rest (Genesis 8:4) (6)
- 21 'Don't you know that friendship with the world is towards God?' (James 4:4) (6)
- 23 Prominent architectural feature of large cathedrals such as St Paul's (4)

#### **Knutsford Floral Design Club**

Knutsford Floral Design Club meets every third Wednesday in the month at 1.30pm for 2pm in Plumley Village Hall (except June - the second Wednesday, August – no meeting, and December when we hold our Christmas lunch)

We have a floral demonstration by qualified demonstrators, followed by tea and biscuits. Visitors are very welcome for a small fee of  $\pm 8$ 

For more information telephone Lynda on 01477 534291

#### Lower Peover WI – meets on the first Wednesday of the month In Lower Peover School at 7.30pm For information contact Sally Geake LP 722489

#### The Treasure of Easter!

It is amazing what treasure can be unearthed with metal detectors! In this season of Easter, let us rediscover the greatest unburied treasure of the Resurrection.

The Apostle Peter reminds us that God '*has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade.*' (1 Peter 1: 3,4). What does he say about this treasure?

On the one hand, it is the *reason for hope*. Peter was writing to Christians in Asia Minor (modern day Turkey) who faced persecution under the Emperor Nero. In an uncertain world we know that Jesus suffered, but by His resurrection has secured eternal life for us. This inheritance not only guarantees life now, but also for eternity, as it *'is kept in heaven for you'* (4). Do we share this confidence? D.L. Moody, the 19th Century American evangelist, spoke of the time when people would read his obituary: *'Don't believe a word of it! At that moment I shall be more alive than I am now'*.

On the other hand, this treasure is a *source of joy*. This unburied treasure fills us *'with an inexpressible and glorious joy, for you are receiving the end result of your faith, the salvation of your souls.* '(8,9). We face all kinds of trials in our lives, but God uses them to refine our faith and character, *'These have come so that the proven genuineness of your faith – of greater worth than gold, which perishes even though refined by fire – may result in praise, glory and honour when Jesus Christ is revealed.*' (7).

We reflect this treasure by developing the Jesus' character and becoming more holy, obedient and loving.

'Christmas is the promise, and Easter is the proof'!

#### Plumley WI meets on the first Thursday of the month at 7.30pm in Plumley Village Hall

Over Peover WI meets on the last Thursday of each month at 7.30pm in Over Peover Village Hall. Contact June Leach – 07500 250969



The Rectory - St. James the Least

My dear Nephew Darren

#### On why a church should always resist change

I am not the least surprised you have got yourself into trouble; innovation is never to be encouraged. New ideas tend to cause revolutions. The move from incandescent lightbulbs to energy saving ones may ultimately change the Church of England.

Change is something everyone claims to be in favour of – provided it has no measurable effect on their own lives. I remember as a young curate once suggesting that at the Harvest Supper, tables might be enlarged so that eight people could sit together rather than the traditional six, thus helping more people get to know one another. The response would have been similar if I had suggested we travel to London to murder the Prime Minister. I was firmly told that tables for six had been perfectly adequate for parishioners in Queen Victoria's day. For the rest of my curacy, I was regarded as a revolutionary, to be watched carefully.

So, at your last visit to our church, to suggest that our 11am Mattins might be moved to 10.30am, in order to encourage those who wanted to have more of the day free to themselves, certainly lobbed a hand grenade among the post-Service coffee cups. The only person who was mildly in favour was Colonel Wainwright, who quickly realised that it would give him an extra half-hour at the gin and tonics before lunch.

Should you ever feel that people lack imagination, you should watch them in action when they find reasons for resisting an unwelcome suggestion. One said that the time could not be moved, since it would then be too early for the local bus – omitting to mention that none of our congregation travel to church by bus and that the service does not run on Sundays anyway. Another pointed out that it would confuse those who did not attend church – not explaining why if they never attended, it mattered what time the Service was. A third, rather touchingly mentioned that it would not give the rector time to enjoy his breakfast after the rigours of the 8am Service.

Your suggestion did, however, serve one useful purpose, it brought our congregation together in united opposition. They may not necessarily always know what they are for, but they certainly know what they are against.

For that, I thank you.

Your loving uncle, Eustace

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#### **Flower Rota**

7 April. - Rosemary Warnes14 April - Sallyanne Stoneley21 April - Sylvia Hankinson28 April - Alison Painter

5 May - Ellie Beharol 12 May - Marilu Knowles 19 May - Nerys Bradford 26 May - Rosemary Warnes

### St Oswald's Church Memorabilia goods for sale There are various items including postcards, tea towels, aprons, mugs and greeting cards for sale at the back of the church

### Memorabilia price list

Many thanks for supporting the upkeep of this beautiful old church.

Please put your money in the pot which is emptied daily. However, if you have spent a larger sum of money, and prefer to put it in the wall safe in the Bell Tower that is appreciated. Please use the envelopes provided. It is also possible to make contactless card payments using the device adjacent to the display of goods.

**Greetings Cards**: 'Millennium Window' design (blank inside): Single Card - £1.25 each. Pack of 5 cards: - £5 per pack Photographs of the church cards: Pack of 2 - £2.50

**Postcards** - three designs: 'Millennium Window', 'The Church by day' and 'St. Oswald's on a starry night' all 50p each

#### Aprons

'Church and Flowers' design - Green or Blue on white - £5 each

#### **Tea Towels**

'Celebration with Flowers' design - Black on Cream or Blue on White -  $\pounds 5$  each

**Mugs -** Bone china, dishwasher and microwave proof 'Celebration with Flowers' design - Blue on White only - £7 each

Booklet – 'Beside the Bright Stream' - £2 each

#### **Food Basket for Hope Central**

As a church we appreciate that a lot of people are struggling at this time. So, what can we do practically to help?

From Sunday 6th November, a basket will be placed in Church on a weekly basis for non-perishable food donations. This will be taken each Monday for distribution by Hope Central, a local Christian Charity.

Hope Central is an Ecumenical project based in St John's Church Knutsford and covers North East Cheshire, so our donations will be distributed locally. It is a Christian charity committed to bringing hope and relieving poverty in Cheshire East.

At Hope Central we recognise that everyone needs a helping hand at some point and we want to provide support to anyone in need. We do this because we believe in a heavenly Father who loves everyone unconditionally, and we want to express that love in practical ways by supplying food to people in difficult circumstances and helping people address underlying reasons that contribute to their distress.

As well as the usual staple tins and packet foods which are so necessary, why not put a few extra goodies in for Christmas. We all need treats.

Hope Central was established in 2019, supported by three churches: Vine Life Wilmslow, St Chad's Handforth and St John's Knutsford.

As well as meeting people's immediate need for food, we also want to support people to get back on their feet, so as well as providing a Foodbank we offer a Job Club, Money Course, Life Skills Course, Fresh Start Course, Debt Centre, Hope Centres and Refugee support.

All the staff and volunteers working with Hope Central are passionate about seeing lives changed for the better. As Christians we believe in a Heavenly Father who loves everyone unconditionally and we want to express that love in practical ways, especially to people who find themselves in difficult circumstances. Everyone needs a helping hand at times. So please donate. Thank you. A link for further information is attached below. hopecentral.org.uk

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#### The Hand of Christ

The hand of Christ rests gently on my head, Love's blessings flow from God's eternal heart into my veins. The Spirit's breath pulsates within my soul And in the life that Christ has won for all on Calvary's hill I step out gladly into God's Creation, There to praise the holy Name of God, In triune-majesty forever reigning.

> O God most high, Most Holy Father, blessed Son, and gracious Spirit, Three-in-One. We bow before the eternal throne and, in the strength of love received, we give your love in blessing to your world.

By Sam Doubtfire

#### Safeguarding

St Oswald's and St Lawrence's take their duty and obligation to protect all extremely seriously. We have adopted the national Church of England's robust procedures and guidelines. You can find out more about the national policies and procedures at <u>www.churchofengland.org/safeguarding</u>. The Parish Safeguarding Officer for St Oswald's is Tracy Knott. If you have any safeguarding concerns or issues concerning a safeguarding matter within the parish please contact Tracy in confidence.



#### **Crossword Answers**

ACROSS: 8, Transgressors. 9, Out. 10, Ephesians. 11, Throb. 13, Ramadan. 16, Nearest. 19, Neath. 22, Childless. 24, Ant. 25, Excommunicate.

**DOWN**: 1, Utmost. 2, Easter. 3, Assemble. 4, Archer. 5, Isis. 6, To hand. 7, As a son. 12, Hoe. 14, Monastic. 15, Apt. 16, Nuclei. 17, A piece. 18, Tied up. 20, Ararat. 21, Hatred. 23, Dome.



"Police? This is St Mary's Ladies' Knitting & Vigilante Circle. We've detained two gents trying to nick the church silver."

#### Please join the 'St Oswald's Lower Peover 100 Club'

Dating from 1269, St Oswald's church has been central to the village of Lower Peover for centuries. Throughout that time, it has been the spiritual home of many people, and not just those living in the village itself. It still fulfils that role today, a peaceful haven in an ever busier and complicated world. As a Grade 1 listed building, it enjoys a setting of particular importance, and the assumption is that it always will be. But escalating costs mean that we can no longer take that for granted. Buildings such as St Oswald's are hugely expensive to maintain and ever-increasing running costs need to be found.

It is a sobering thought that our Parish Share (the money we pay to Chester Diocese for our church and a vicar) is £51,395. That is £988 each week. That is before any lighting, heating, maintenance etc. is taken into consideration, and, contrary to what many people still think, the State does <u>not</u> pay towards a church's upkeep.

We launched the 100 Club in May 2008 and membership currently stands at 71, although it has been as high as 106. The club currently raises about £2,500 each year (after prizes) and really does make a huge difference to our resources. So far it has raised over £25,000 for the running costs of our church. And all for the minimal cost of £1 per week to members!

#### The 100 Club works in this way:

We collect £1 a week from each member per number held, which can be paid either as an annual fee of £52, or £13 per quarter, by standing order. Members are allocated individual numbers and each month two numbers are drawn. The first receives a prize of £70, the second receives £30. The remainder of the proceeds go to the church. You may individually hold more than one number and indeed, past winners have often had multiple holdings. It really is as simple as that! The 100 Club is designed to appeal to regular churchgoers and those people who may not be able to worship regularly with us, but who also think it is important that the church remains open as an important part of village life. We really would like to get our membership back up to at least 100 and hope that if you are reading this you may feel able to help – all for £1 per week! Please do join the 100 Club by completing the membership form at the back of this magazine or online at our website, and simply post it back to me. Many congratulations to all our winners – and our thanks to all members who are currently supporting the 100 Club. Stay safe and thank you.

Norman Withenshaw – (Lottery Registration No. 08/LO/77)



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I wish to join the 'St Oswald's Lower Peover 100 Club'

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Signed ...... Date .....

Please return this page and the Standing Order instruction below to:

Sue Jennings – Church Administrator Account. St Oswalds Church Lottery Account

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#### Wordsearch clues and answers

#### St George of the Golden Legend

St George is Patron Saint of England, but he never actually came here. He was a Christian officer in the Roman army under Diocletian, who refused to abandon his faith during the Terror. George was therefore martyred in Palestine about 300 AD. His courage became legendary, and St George became the example of a Christian fighting-man, a powerful helper against evil powers affecting individual lives. He was the soldier-hero of the Middle Ages. In the Golden Legend of the 13th century, Jacobus de Voragine tells the story of how St George helped rescue the people of Sylene in Lybia from a dragon, especially the princess, who had been offered to the dragon as a sacrifice. With the dragon dead, and the princess returned to her father the King, the people of Sylene converted to Christianity.

George	Patron	Saint	England	Officer
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Soldier	Hero	Golden	Legend	Dragon
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# Upcoming events:



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Thursday 29th February 2024 Mothering Sunday:

Sunday 10th March 2024 Italian Wine Pairing Evening:

Wednesday 13th March 2024

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