

St Gabriel's Church,  
Aldersbrook  
[www.stgabrielsaldersbrook.org.uk](http://www.stgabrielsaldersbrook.org.uk)

Weekly Newsletter  
Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> April  
Palm Sunday

**10am Palm Sunday Service** with  
blessing of palms and reading of  
the passion

*Celebrant* Fr Martyn Hawkes  
This service will be streams live  
on YouTube.

<https://youtu.be/-f3Czx-XIao>

Do bring a palm cross, either one  
you made earlier (or last year's  
perhaps?) to be blessed.

#### This Week

#### **Evening Prayer**

5pm Daily Evening prayer  
Monday to Thursday on Zoom  
Martyn Hawkes is inviting you to  
a scheduled Zoom meeting.

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/285812850>

Meeting ID: 285 812 850

#### **Holy Week Services:**

#### **Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> April**

8.30pm Compline on Zoom

#### **Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> April**

6pm agape meal on Zoom

#### **Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> April**

8.30pm Maundy Thursday service  
on YouTube

#### **Good Friday 10<sup>th</sup> April**

11.30am children's service on  
Zoom

2pm Online streaming to be  
confirmed

#### **Holy Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> April**

8.30pm Easter Vigil on Zoom

#### **Easter Day**

10am YouTube live

Emails are being sent out that  
include links to all the services.  
Please contact Fr. Martyn if you  
are not already receiving these  
emails or if you are having any  
issues with the various links.

As you will all be aware St  
Gabriel's along with all places of  
worship is now closed. We are  
having to do Church in a new way  
for the time being and are still  
finding our feet. Your thoughts  
and input are most welcome as we  
adapt to this situation. We  
continue to try to reach out to our  
congregation who are not on the  
internet with phone calls, but if  
you are aware of any needs that we  
could meet please do be in touch.  
If you are not receiving the regular  
emails and you would like to  
please let us know. Either contact  
Fr. Martyn or email Nick on  
[aldersbrookstgabriels@gmail.com](mailto:aldersbrookstgabriels@gmail.com)

#### **Foodbank**

The response to the call for  
donations at this time has been  
incredible and so generous. It is  
humbling to be part of something  
like this as people join together to  
serve one another and the wider  
community. Thank you for all you  
are doing. Please keep up the good  
work!

Father Martyn has said that items  
can be left at the vicarage door  
outside of the hours of 10 –  
12noon when the church door will  
be open.

Thank you. Helen and the team.

*Items for weekly notices need to  
submitted by Thursday evening.  
([sarabertrand47@gmail.com](mailto:sarabertrand47@gmail.com))*

#### **For Our Prayers**

As we go through the week please  
prayer for the following:

- for those volunteering or  
returning to work for the NHS  
starting to work this week.
- for those seeking to ramp up  
testing capacity in this country
- for the new Nightingale Hospital
- for those experiencing financial  
stress or relationship troubles at  
this time
- for the families and friends of  
recently departed who will not all  
be allowed to attend to say  
farewell.

#### **For those who are sick:**

Madeleine Arnold, Mark Arnold,  
Angela Bell-Tromans, Frances  
Bonnick, Ann Brown, Mary  
Byfield, Victor Christie, Pauline  
Duncombe, Peter Ellis, Eileen  
Galer, Phyllis Lehreman,  
Jacqueline McNie, Yvonne  
Mighty, John Mitchell,  
Motunrayo, Nachi Obasi, Christine  
Shannon, Norma Stevenson, Revd  
Pat Wallson, Cynthia Williams,  
Jean Winstone & Johnno Woods

#### **For the recently departed**

Jean Wright, Emil, John Scott,  
Ethel Attey, Francesca Richards,  
Heather Frost, Melanie  
Woolfenden

#### **and those whose anniversaries occur at this time**

Prue Tribe, Dean Christie, Albert  
Galer, Frank Rowland