

This week

Monday 7.30pm Church Committee Meeting
Wednesday 10.00am Holy Communion

Services next Sunday

8.30am Holy Communion
9.30am Holy Communion at St Peter La Rocque
10.30am Morning Worship

Other Events

Chosen Charities

Family Nursing & Home Care

You Matter (the new name for "Love Matters")

Open Doors (supporting the persecuted church)

The Brooke Hospital for Animals

Information on these four will be provided as the year goes by, along with any updates about their activities. Envelopes for donations are at the back of the church.

Online donations

If you would like to make your donation by means of online banking, please make it payable to:

Account Name Church Wardens of Grouville
Account No. 31770160
Sort Code 40-25-34

And as your "Reference" put the name of the charity.

Pray for.....

- ◇ Jill Le Maistre, Helen Oppenheimer, Jane Le Cocq, John and Catherine Hobbs, and Denise Ibbotson.
- ◇ The establishment of a Toddlers Group.
- ◇ Church Committee Meeting.
- ◇ Parish Church Lent Lunch on 24 March (last one).
- ◇ Open Doors (supporting the persecuted church).

Easter Programme

Palm Sunday 25 March

8.30 Holy Communion
9.30 BCP Communion at St Peter La Rocque
10.15 Donkey procession from Grouville School
10.30 Morning Worship

Maundy Thursday 29 March

19.30 Holy Communion with foot washing

Good Friday 30 March

10.00 Messy Church (all ages – children must have an adult with them)
14.00 An hour at the Cross (adults)

Easter Day Sunday 1 April

8.30 Holy Communion
9.30 BCP Communion at SPLR
10.30 Family Worship with Communion

Grouville Church

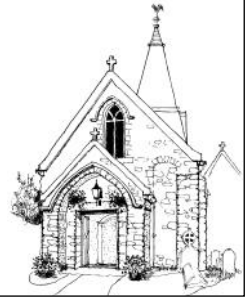
people of God who long to

Welcome everyone

Grow together and

Serve the community.

Join us on the journey!



18th March 2018

5th Sunday of Lent

Services Today

8.30 Holy Communion (p207)

Celebrant / Preacher	Mike Lange-Smith
Readers	John Wadman, Jan Romeril Jemma Jelley
Prayers	Mike Lange-Smith
Welcomers	Ian Bravery, John Wadman

The Collect

Gracious Father,
you gave up your Son
out of love for the world:
lead us to ponder the mysteries of his passion,
that we may know eternal peace
through the shedding of our Saviour's blood,
Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

9.30 Messy Sunday

**Grouville Church welcomes you
very warmly to Messy Sunday!**



Readings for 5th Sunday of Lent

Jeremiah 31.31-34 (page 791)

"The time is coming," declares the LORD, "when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah. It will not be like the covenant I made with their forefathers when I took them by the hand to lead them out of Egypt, because they broke my covenant, though I was a husband to them," declares the LORD.

"This is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after that time," declares the LORD. "***I will*** put my law in their minds and write it on their hearts. ***I will*** be their God, and they will be my people. No longer will a man teach his neighbour, or a man his brother, saying, 'know the LORD,' because they will all know me, from the least of them to the greatest," declares the LORD. "For ***I will*** forgive their wickedness and will remember their sins no more."

This is the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Hebrews 5.5-10 (page 1204)

Christ also did not take upon himself the glory of becoming a high priest. But God said to him, "You are my Son; today I have become your Father." And he says in another place, "You are a priest for ever, in the order of Melchizedek."

During the days of Jesus' life on earth, he offered up prayers and petitions with loud cries and tears to the one who could save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a son, he learned obedience from what he suffered and, once made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him and was designated by God to be high priest in the order of Melchizedek.

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John 12.20-33 (page 1079)

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

Glory to you, O Lord

There were some Greeks among those who went up to worship at the Feast. They came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, with a request. "Sir," they said, "we would like to see Jesus." Philip went to tell Andrew; Andrew and Philip in turn told Jesus.

Jesus replied, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. I tell you the truth, unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains only a single seed. But if it dies, it produces many seeds. The man who loves his life will lose it, while the man who hates his life in this world will keep it for eternal life. Whoever serves me must follow me; and where I am, my servant also will be. My Father will honour the one who serves me.

"Now my heart is troubled, and what shall I say? 'Father, save me from this hour'? No, it was for this very reason I came to this hour. Father, glorify your name!"

Then a voice came from heaven, "I have glorified it, and will glorify it again." The crowd that was there and heard it said it had thundered; others said an angel had spoken to him.

Jesus said, "This voice was for your benefit, not mine. Now is the time for judgment on this world; now the prince of this world will be driven out. But I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all men to myself." He said this to show the kind of death he was going to die.

This is the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, O Christ