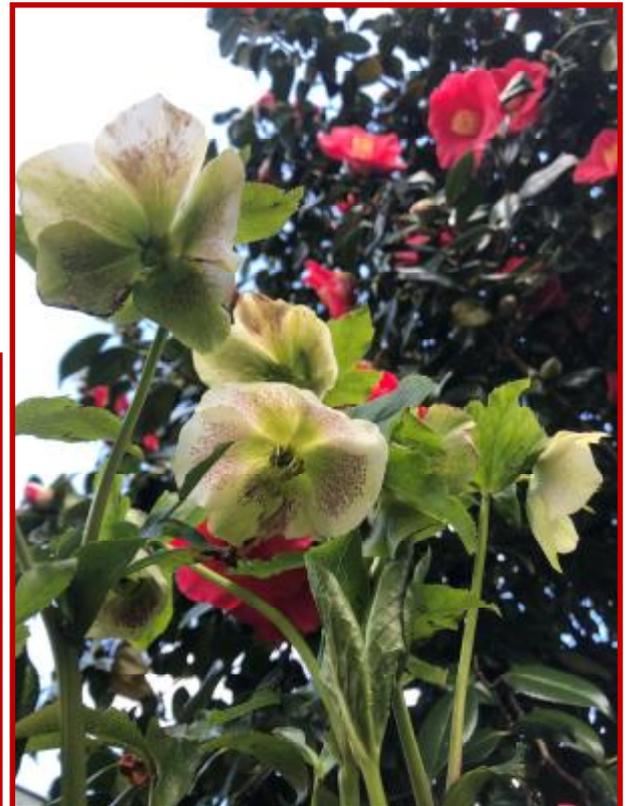


Welcome to the Chapel In the Valley

Sunday 5th April 2020

JESUS HAS TOLD THIS
CHURCH TO GO AND MAKE
DISCIPLES AND TEACH THEM
TO OBEY HIM.



We will continue to be available through our Facebook pages, email (civ.griffydam@gmail.com), our website details (chapelinthevalley.com) or our contact phone number if you have any requests for shopping support or for prayer.

Our programme for this Sunday (Palm Sunday)

All our Sunday and mid-week meetings are cancelled until further notice in line with Government guidelines.

...BUT

...We are using Zoom on Sunday mornings at 9.30 am for a prayer meeting, and 11.00 am for an act of worship.

If you are able to join, either online or with us at home please do.

If you have not received an invitation and would like one, please email me at civ.griffydam@gmail.com

What's on(line) this week.

Monday

- Our weekly prayer meeting at 7.30 pm (do you have a prayer request?)

Maundy Thursday

- A virtual Chat Cafe from 3.30 pm
- Clare's Bible study - 'Talking Jesus' at 7.00 pm

Good Friday

- A time of worship at 11.00 am

Email us if you would like to be added to the Zoom invitations to any of these

Although we are unable to hold services ourselves, there are a number of churches who are streaming worship (albeit from empty churches).

Here are a few -

Holy Trinity Church, Ashby de la Zouch

<https://trinityashby.net/Group/Group.aspx?ID=337651>

Smithton Free Church, Inverness - menu - resources - live Sunday streaming

11.00 and 5.30.

<https://smithtonchurch.com/live-sunday-services/>

Clayton.tv - Corona live - 10.00 and 6.30

Live stream from Jesmond Parish Church - 6.30 pm

<https://clayton.tv/>

Christ Church Southampton - are streaming live services at 10.30am , 6pm and a special for children at 4pm, via their Youtube channel accessed from their website

<https://christchurchsouthampton.org.uk>

Kingsgate Community Church, Peterborough have a vast array of talks/sermons on their website to view. They are streaming 3 live services via their website at 9am, 11am and 5pm.

<https://kingsgate.church/online-services/>

John 12:12-21 Contemporary English Version (CEV)

Jesus Enters Jerusalem

¹² The next day a large crowd was in Jerusalem for Passover. When they heard that Jesus was coming for the festival, ¹³ they took palm branches and went out to greet him. They shouted,

“Hooray! God bless the one who comes in the name of the Lord!

God bless the King of Israel!”

¹⁴ Jesus found a donkey and rode on it, just as the Scriptures say,

¹⁵ “People of Jerusalem, don’t be afraid! Your King is now coming, and he is riding on a donkey.”

¹⁶ At first, Jesus' disciples did not understand. But after he had been given his glory, they remembered all this. Everything had happened exactly as the Scriptures said it would.

¹⁷⁻¹⁸ A crowd had come to meet Jesus because they had seen him call Lazarus out of the tomb. They kept talking about him and this miracle. ¹⁹ But the Pharisees said to each other, “There is nothing that can be done! Everyone in the world is following Jesus.” Some Greeks Want To Meet Jesus

²⁰ Some Greeks had gone to Jerusalem to worship during Passover. ²¹ Philip from Bethsaida in Galilee was there too. So they went to him and said, “Sir, we would like to meet Jesus.”

Newlands House's Netherseal Sunday - Sunday - 12th April 2020

Newlands House is a home providing a range of services for physically disabled adults.

Although we are unable to deliver to Newlands, they are always able to receive financial donations. [ctrl+click on...](#)

www.leonardcheshire.org/what-we-do/care-and-accommodation/care-homes/newlands-house

Today is Palm Sunday. It is the day when the Church remembers the entry of Jesus into Jerusalem. It is the day when the people waved Palm leaves in honour of the One who seemed to be their saviour; and yet less than a week later it is likely that these same people were shouting 'crucify Him'.

Why was that? We can think of all sorts of theological reasons no doubt, but could one be that they needed Him to conform to their expectations.

Instead, Jesus called them - and He calls us - not to try to mould Him into the shape that suits us, but rather to submit to His fashioning and His plan for us, even at such a time as this.

Isaiah 64:8 says, *"But now, O Lord, You are our Father; we are the clay, and You our potter; and all we are the work of Your hand."*

Palm Sunday

Loving God,

I am just beginning to realize how much you love me.

Your son, Jesus was humble and obedient.

He fulfilled your will for him by becoming human and suffering with us.

I ask you for the desire to become more humble

so that my own life might also bear witness to you.

I want to use the small sufferings I have in this world
to give you glory.

Please, Lord, guide my mind with your truth.

Strengthen my life by the example of Jesus.

Help me to be with Jesus in this week

as he demonstrates again his total love for me.

He died so that I would no longer
be separated from you.

Help me to feel how close you are
and to live in union with you.

