



**A welcoming, living
church,
sharing the good news
of Jesus**

*serving Old Brampton, Hemming Green,
Wigley, Eastmoor, Ingmanthorpe, Wadshelf,
Cutthorpe, Holme Hall, Linacre Woods and
Ashgate*

22nd April 2018 – Easter 4

09:30 Eucharist and Junior Church *Rev'd. Peter Green*

11:30 Baptism of George Devine *Rev'd. Peter Green*

Other services: 11:00 Sung Mass(Barlow); 09:45 Methodist (Loundsley Green)

Hymns for 9:30 Service

97 Christ is made the sure foundation

262 Happy are they

337 I will sing the wondrous story

Brother James' Air

582 Restore, O Lord



**The sung elements for the 09:30 service
are in the Clarke sheet**

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Safeguarding – Any issues, contact Donna – 07486 551551

Refreshments will be served in the schoolroom, after the 09:30 service – all welcome. Toilets are in the Schoolroom - turn right out of Church, through the lychgate and right again. Please take this weekly leaflet away with you.

If there anything you'd like to change or add to the Weekly Leaflet please let Rev'd. Peter or Anne and Lynne, the Churchwardens, know, or Editor: nick.roberts@bcs.org (tel.: 233590)

Readers / Sidesmen

09:30 David S & Kathy G / Janet & Joyce

Collect



Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the resurrection and the life: raise us, who trust in him, from the death of sin to the life of righteousness, that we may seek those things which are above, where he reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**



Genesis Chs. 7, 8 & 9 vv 1-5, 11-18; 6-18; 8-13

Then the LORD said to Noah, 'Go into the ark, you and all your household, for I have seen that you alone are righteous before me in this generation. ²Take with you seven pairs of all clean animals, the male and its mate; and a pair of the animals that are not clean, the male and its mate; ³and seven pairs of the birds of the air also, male and female, to keep their kind alive on the face of all the earth. ⁴For in seven days I will send rain on the earth for forty days and forty nights; and every living thing that I have made I will blot out from the face of the ground.' ⁵And Noah did all that the LORD had commanded him.

¹¹ In the six-hundredth year of Noah's life, in the second month, on the seventeenth day of the month, on that day all the fountains of the great deep burst forth, and the windows of the heavens were opened. ¹²The rain fell on the earth for forty days and forty nights. ¹³On the very same day Noah with his sons, Shem and Ham and Japheth, and Noah's wife and the three wives of his sons, entered the ark, ¹⁴they and every wild animal of every kind, and all domestic animals of every kind, and every creeping thing that creeps on the earth, and every bird of every kind—every bird, every winged creature. ¹⁵They went into the ark with Noah, two and two of all flesh in which there was the breath of life. ¹⁶And those that entered, male and female of all flesh, went in as God had commanded him; and the LORD shut him in. ¹⁷ The flood continued for forty days on the earth; and the waters increased, and bore up the ark, and it rose high above the earth. ¹⁸The waters swelled and increased greatly on the earth; and the ark floated on the face of the waters. ⁶ At the end of forty days Noah opened the window of the ark that he had made ⁷and sent out the raven; and it went to and fro until the waters were dried up from the earth. ⁸Then he sent out the dove from him, to see if the waters had subsided

from the face of the ground; ⁹but the dove found no place to set its foot, and it returned to him to the ark, for the waters were still on the face of the whole earth. So he put out his hand and took it and brought it into the ark with him. ¹⁰He waited another seven days, and again he sent out the dove from the ark; ¹¹and the dove came back to him in the evening, and there in its beak was a freshly plucked olive leaf; so Noah knew that the waters had subsided from the earth. ¹²Then he waited another seven days, and sent out the dove; and it did not return to him any more. ¹³ In the six hundred and first year, in the first month, on the first day of the month, the waters were dried up from the earth; and Noah removed the covering of the ark, and looked, and saw that the face of the ground was drying. ¹⁴In the second month, on the twenty-seventh day of the month, the earth was dry. ¹⁵Then God said to Noah, ¹⁶Go out of the ark, you and your wife, and your sons and your sons' wives with you. ¹⁷Bring out with you every living thing that is with you of all flesh—birds and animals and every creeping thing that creeps on the earth—so that they may abound on the earth, and be fruitful and multiply on the earth.' ¹⁸So Noah went out with his sons and his wife and his sons' wives. ⁸ Then God said to Noah and to his sons with him, ⁹As for me, I am establishing my covenant with you and your descendants after you, ¹⁰and with every living creature that is with you, the birds, the domestic animals, and every animal of the earth with you, as many as came out of the ark. ¹¹I establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all flesh be cut off by the waters of a flood, and never again shall there be a flood to destroy the earth.' ¹²God said, 'This is the sign of the covenant that I make between me and you and every living creature that is with you, for all future generations: ¹³I have set my bow in the clouds, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between me and the earth.



Acts Chapter 4 verses 5 - 12

The next day their rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem, ⁶with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. ⁷When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, 'By what power or by what name did you do this?' ⁸Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, 'Rulers of the people and elders, ⁹if we are

questioned today because of a good deed done to someone who was sick and are asked how this man has been healed, ¹⁰let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Israel, that this man is standing before you in good health by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead. ¹¹This Jesus is "the stone that was rejected by you, the builders; it has become the cornerstone." ¹²There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved.'



Gospel John Chapter 10 verses 11 -18

'I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. ¹²The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away—and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. ¹³The hired hand runs away because a hired hand

does not care for the sheep. ¹⁴I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, ¹⁵just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. ¹⁶I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. ¹⁷For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. ¹⁸No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father.'

Post Communion Prayer



Merciful Father, you gave your Son Jesus Christ to be the good shepherd, and in his love for us to lay down his life and rise again: keep us always under his protection, and give us grace to follow in his steps; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Intercessions:-



For church and community: PRAY for The Nippon Sei Ko Kai (The Anglican Communion in Japan) The Most Revd Nathaniel Makoto Uematsu Primate of The Nippon Sei Ko Kai & Bishop of Hokkaido. Provincial Episcopal Visitor, Bishop of Ebbsfleet Jonathan Goodall; Assistant Bishops: Jack Nicholls, Richard Inwood, Tim Ellis.

We pray for all uniformed organisations on parade today.

People of the Parish: Prathall, Overgreen and Oxtton Rakes.

For the sick & suffering:

Normally, there is no collection during the services, just an offertory plate at the back of the church. Occasionally, at major festivals, there will be a collection during the service. If you're a taxpaying visitor making a donation, please fill in a yellow gift-aid envelope; otherwise please just put your gift on the plate. We can now claim Gift Aid back on cash donations. If you'd like to give regularly (with/without Gift Aid), please speak to the gift-aid secretary, Joan Gash.



Our regular giving – by bankers order etc. has declined slightly over the last 18 months. If you do not yet give by this means or would be able to increase your giving, please do so. Gift aid costs you nothing.

APCM

**Don't forget the
Annual Parochial Church Council Meeting
on Monday 23rd April, starting at 7:30 p.m.
in the Old Brampton Schoolroom**

Notices

29th April 2018 – Easter 5

Old Brampton (OB)	Barlow	Loundsley Green (LG)
08:00 Eucharist 09:30 Eucharist	Rev'd. Peter Green Rev'd. Peter Green	11:00 Sung Mass 09:45 Methodist
This week:	Tue 24th 09:30 Communion (LG) Wed 25th Movers 'n Shakers Thu 26th 09:30 Communion (OB) <i>Rev'd Peter Green.</i>	
PCC Meetings:	APCM – Monday 23rd April – St. George's Day Subsequent PCCs – 8 th May, 2 nd July, 3 rd Sept. & 5 th Nov.	
Parish Plus	Chesterfield North Churches / Parish Plus: Next Service t.b.a., next meeting 21 st May at Newbold	
Thrive & Prosper:	Next meeting – t.b.a. in OB Schoolroom	
Pastoral Care:	Do you know of someone who needs a visit, maybe yourself? Contact one of the <i>OB Pastoral Team</i> via Anne D, Anne F or Sally	
Toddler Group:	Normally third Thursday each month 1.30 to 3pm. Schoolroom. – next Thurs 17 th May Contact Ingrid 07860 636500	
3rd Tuesday Group	Normally 2.30pm Schoolroom. Next 15 th May – Talk from Mr P. Booth "Paris the hard way" June Ross 01246 272775	
Movers 'n' Shakers	Keep fit 10:30 am in the Schoolroom Wednesdays.	
Food Bank Loundsley Green Community Cent.	Please see the list of requirements in the grey barrow at the back of church, and leave donations there or take direct to the centre (<i>on Fridays between 1 and 3pm</i>)	
MAF	Please continue to donate your old postcards in the collection box at the back of Church. Kathy Grieve is our liaison with MAF. Money raised last year funded the clearing of four airstrips.	
Junior Church	Every 4th Sunday in the Schoolroom from 9:30, joining the main service for Eucharist. Next – April 22 nd	

Upcoming Social Events:

Community Coffee Morning - Thursday 3rd May

In the schoolroom from 10:30 to 12:30. "Meet people and share in the life of our community." All welcome - whether you live here or not.

Next dates: 3rd May, 7th June



The Christian Aid Big Brekkie

Saturday 12th May in the schoolroom. Please let Anne D know if you're coming so she can get an idea of quantities to buy.

Home Insurance Offer which benefits our Church

Please see www.ecclesiastical.com/Trust130 for a special home insurance offer. Poster at the back of Church. Every policy taken during this offer benefits Church by £130.

Our Vicar's Day Off (yes, he is allowed one!)

Please respect Peter's days off (Fridays) and do not call him or ask or expect him to do things (on Fridays).