

**St Nicholas', Dereham
& St Peter & St Paul, Scarning**



**Holy Week
&
Easter**



Sunday 13th April Palm Sunday

Palm crosses are given to everyone this special day

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| 8.00 am | Holy Communion | St Nicholas', Dereham |
| 9.30 am | Parish Communion & procession around the church | St Nicholas', Dereham |
| 11.15 am | Holy Communion | St Peter & St Paul, Scarning |

Monday 14th April

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| 7.00 pm | Compline (night prayer) | St Mary Magdelene, Beetley |
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Tuesday 15th April

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| 7.00 pm | Compline (night prayer) | St Andrew, Bradenham |
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Wednesday 16th April

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| 7.00 pm | St Peter & St Paul, Scarning |
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Kett's Consort present a 'Reflection for Holy Week' with sacred music by Palestrina, Byrd, Anerio etc together with readings.

Light refreshments will be provided afterwards. The reflection will last for an hour, so please join us on this special evening.

Thursday 17th April Maundy Thursday

7.00 pm The Last Supper St Nicholas, Dereham

This service is in three parts picking up some of the themes from the first Last Supper. It begins in the 'upper room' under the central tower. We will then move into the transept for words from Gethsemane and moving into the chancel for the stripping of the sanctuary.

Friday 18th April Good Friday

Good Friday is called 'good' not because bad things happened to Jesus but because his death on the cross put us right with God.

10.00 am – 11.00 Good Friday Family Time St Nicholas, Dereham

Make an Easter Garden, Easter crafts, Egg and Spoon trail, Time to Reflect, Hot Cross Buns & Refreshments

12.00 noon Churches Together Procession of Witness

Start Queen Mother's Garden

We join with Churches Together in Dereham reflecting on Jesus' journey to the cross as we move around the town centre and conclude at the Elenor Fenn Garden

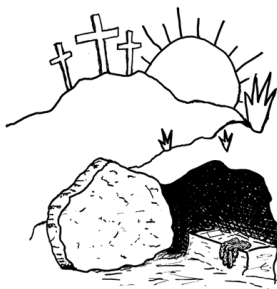
2.00 pm The Last Hour at the Cross St Nicholas', Dereham

An hour reflecting on Jesus' last hour on the cross. Four short reflection with hymns and silences, on this most holy day.

Saturday 19th April Holy Saturday

8.00 pm Easter Vigil St Nicholas, Dereham

A evening in a candlelit church listening and responding to the great story of salvation told in the early pages of the Bible through to the Easter Proclamation: 'Alleluia, Christ is risen!'



He is not here; for He is risen, as He said.
Come, see the place where the Lord lay.
Matthew 28:6

Sunday 20th April Easter Day

This is the greatest of Christian celebrations as we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus from the dead. The churches will be filled with flowers representing new life.

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| 8.00 am | Holy Communion | St Nicholas', Dereham |
| 9.30 am | Family Communion | St Nicholas', Dereham |
| 11.15 am | Family Communion | St Peter & St Paul, Scarning |

Easter Monday – Easter Thursday

The Rector's Sponsored Walk and Canoe in aid of St Nicholas Building Project* following the journeys of St Withburga:

From Holkham to Dereham **(30 mile walk)**
then
from Dereham to Brandon **(23 mile walk via STANTA)**
finally
from Brandon to Ely **(23 mile canoe)**

Please sponsor via our GoFundMe page 'St Nicholas Dereham Building Project' or use the QR code.



*toilets, meeting room, kitchenette, & conservation of a unique painted ceiling.