

ANGLICAN PARISH OF MILFORD
St Paul's-by-the-Sea, Milford

Sunday 10th April 2016

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TODAY'S SERVICES

9.30am – Holy Communion and A.G.M.

Sentence – Shine forth from your throne upon the cherubim;
restore us O God; show us the light of your face and we shall be
saved. Psalm 80 1,3

Collect – God, you are the first light cutting through the void.
You are the final light which we shall enjoy forever. Help us to
welcome the light and walk in it always. Amen.

Today's Hymns

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| Introit | 95 | Sing to God |
| Gradual | 90 | O Worship the King |
| Offertory | 168 | And can it be that |
| Dismissal | 577 | Lord of the church |

Readings for today Sunday 10th April

1st Reading – Acts 9: 1-6

Epistle – Revelation 5: 11-14

Gospel – John 21:1-19

9.30am Readers – Tania Manuel and Maureen Christensen

Acts 9: 1–6

Meanwhile Saul, still breathing threats and murder against the disciples of the Lord, went to the high priest and asked him for letters to the synagogues at Damascus, so that if he found any who belonged to the Way, men or women, he might bring them bound to Jerusalem. Now as he was going along and approaching Damascus, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him. He fell to the ground and heard a voice saying to him, “Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?” He asked, “Who are you, Lord?” The reply came, “I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting. But get up and enter the city, and you will be told what you are to do.”

Revelation 5: 11–14

Then I looked, and I heard the voice of many angels surrounding the throne and the living creatures and the elders; they numbered myriads of myriads and thousands of thousands, singing with full voice,

“Worthy is the Lamb that was slaughtered to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!”

Then I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, singing,

“To the one seated on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever!”

And the four living creatures said, “Amen!” And the elders fell down and worshiped.

John 21: 1–19

After these things Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples. Simon Peter said to them, “I am going fishing.” They said to him, “We will go with you.” They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.

Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to them, “Children, you have no fish, have you?” They answered him, “No.” He said to them, “Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some.” So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, “It is the Lord!” When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the sea. But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off. When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on

Prayers for the sick –

We remember in our prayers today - Briar, Robyn, Bob and Gabrielle, Simon and Carol. And we remember parishioners and residents in

Merrifield Avenue, Newport Place, Nile Road, Pax Avenue.

This Week

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| Tuesday 12 | Selwyn Centre 9.30 to 12.00. Cost \$3.00. Join in good conversation, friendship and fun. |
| Wednesday 13 | 10.00am Holy Communion followed by morning tea. |
| Thursday 14 | 10.00am Mainly Music 7.00pm for setting up tables and clearing goods off stage. |
| Friday 15 | Friday 15 th from 9.30am for setting up stalls. |
| Saturday 16 | Garage Sale 8.00am to 11.00am. People working on stalls please arrive at 7.30am. |
| Sunday 17 | Services 8.00am and 9.30am Holy Communion. |

Readings for next Sunday 17th April

1st Reading – Acts 9: 36-43

Epistle – Revelation 7: 9-17

Gospel – John 10:22-30

Readers 8.00am – Brynyce Owen and Mary Griffiths

Readers 9.30am – Christine and Chris Maud

Garage Sale – will be held on Saturday 16th April. Help will be needed on Thursday 14th at 7.00pm for setting up tables and clearing goods off stage. Friday 15th from 9.30am for setting up stalls. Saturday those people working on stalls please be at the hall by 7.30am.

Wanted by Opportunity Shop -

We would love a set of shelves or a nice display cabinet or a Welsh dresser for the op shop to display our goods. If they need a coat of paint that is okay any donations would be wonderful. Many thanks
Liz and her team.

Dinner – would like to have dinner with some fellow parishioners on Thursday 21st April at **Athenia in Roma** 7 Milford Road we will be meeting at 7pm. If you are interested please sign list at back of church. (pay for your own meal and drinks).

Jars – Jim needs more jars so that when it is time to make marmalade he has sufficient jars. If you don't know the ones he requires please speak with him.