



# Mothering Sunday

## 11<sup>th</sup> March 2018 10.30am



**YEAR OF PRAYER 2018**

**TODAY**

10.30 Mothering Sunday

All Age Service

4.00 Maycroft Manor HC

Through the week

Wed 14 - Lent Course at

All Saints 7.30pm

**18 MARCH**

10.30 Visit of Bishop  
Richard Jackson (Lewes)

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TER  
DAY**

### EASTER AT ASCENSION 2018

4 March - "Father Forgive Them"

11 March - "Here is Your Mother"

18 March - "Into your hands I commit my spirit"

25 March - Palm Sunday

29 March - Maundy Thursday Meal

30 March - "7 words of the fallen Christ" 9am

31 March - Messy Easter

1 April - "5 words of the risen Christ"

**LENT COURSE  
2018**



**THE LORD'S  
PRAYER**

21/2  
28/2  
07/3



14/3  
21/3  
28/3

**ADORATION**

Our Father in heaven



**PETITION**

Give us this day



**INTERCESSION**

Your Kingdom come



**PERSEVERANCE**

Your will be done



**LISTENING**

Our daily bread



**WARE**

Deliver us from evil



Wednesdays during lent 7.30-9.00 p.m. Doors open early for refreshments.  
21/2 Ascension : 28/2 All Saints Centre : 7/3 Ascension : 14/3 All Saints Centre  
21/3 All Saints Centre : 28/3 All Saints Centre.



### ASCENSION MEMBERSHIP.

Do you consider yourself part of us? Have you reviewed your giving this year? See Simon or Andy. Are you on our membership list (Electoral Roll): see Helen. Our Parish Annual Meeting (APCM) with lunch is on 29 April after church.



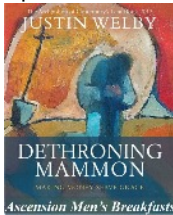
Sunday  
18 March  
10.30am

with  
Bishop  
Richard

## Ascension Diary 2018

17 Mar - Men's Breakfast  
18 Mar - Bishop Richard visits Ascension Church  
29 Mar - Friendship Lunch  
31 Mar - Messy Easter  
28 April - Spring Clean 9.30

**Finding God in all things: An Ignatian journey** Would you like 'a greater freedom in prayer, a deeper confidence in God's love, and a renewed awareness of God's presence in the everyday things of life?' - then come and join Olive and Kim as they explore how we can 'find God in all things' by looking at prayer the Ignatian way. The course will be over five Wednesday evenings on 18 April, 16 May, 30 May, 20 June and 18 July. We will meet in the HH room (at All Saints) at 7.15pm for a 7.30pm start, aiming to finish by 8.30pm. Speak to Olive for details.



**MEN'S BREAKFASTS**  
9am Third Saturdays.  
Please see Keith for more information.



**AUDIO MINISTRY.**  
Listen to our talks online at the website.



### BRIGHTON FESTIVAL

**OUTREACH** Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> May 4.00-6.00pm. Ascension has been invited to support this regular churches outreach at this particular time slot. Be encouraged by the C21<sup>st</sup> church in action through art, music and drama pointing to Jesus and be open to God using you in conversations.

### BEVERLEY MCARDLE RUN.

Contratulations to Bev who finished in 2.28.42 which was under her target. She will be back on 11<sup>th</sup> and will be grateful of all donations to City Mission.

### NEPAL TRIP 29 Sept- 13 Oct 2018

I've just learned this trip is filling up already. If you'd like to come on a hiking holiday to Nepal and have the chance also to connect with our partners there, pick up an Oak Hall brochure from the back of church, visit Oak Hall online, or have a chat with Andy who will be leading this trip.

## prayer

### WEEKLY TOPICS FOR PRAYER

- For individuals: Gweneth.
- In remembrance: Bob Davis (2017), Olga & Inez Upshon (2015) Sylvia Wilcock (2015)
- **Hall Hires:** for our witness to all who use the buildings and Margy who coordinates.
- **Communication** (administration and website): for all the office work that supports our ministry and promotes our activities.
- **Brighton & Hove City Mission:** as they care for the physical and spiritual needs of many people across the City.
- **Police:** and Brighton's Police Community Support Officers.

**PARISH WEEKLY PRAYER:**  
Mon and Wed 5.00-5.40pm at All Saints Church Centre. All welcome.

**Central Focus** **ASCENSION MONTHLY PRAYER MEETING** First Weds of the month 7.30pm in church to connect with God, pray for church and world.



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- If you'd like someone to pray, or visit or for general enquiries please contact our minister **Andy Bousfield** (day off Friday). ☎ 01273 503926. 32 Fairview Rise, BN1 5GL  
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