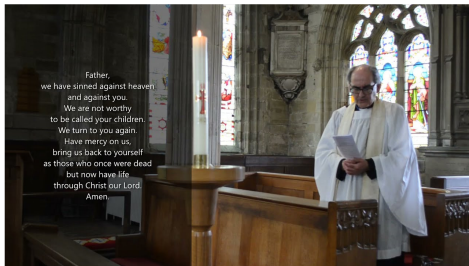


Alleluia! Christ is risen!

Today is the Second Sunday of Easter. There will be services today at Hurley at 9.30am and Kingsbury at 11am, and a video service was filmed on Friday at Merevale Church. That was of course the day we heard the sad news of the death of Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, and prayers for him and the royal family are of course a part of all our services today. I shall also be leading a very short act of memorial 10 minutes before the start of the service at Kingsbury outside in the churchyard.

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## A Service for the Second Sunday of Easter

A service of worship for the Second Sunday of Easter (11 April 2021) from the Kingsbury and Baxterley Group of Churches. The service was mainly filmed at the...

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There is something strange and yet fitting about entering a week of national mourning during the Easter season. We are reminded that death, which comes to us all, does not have the final word. Christ has defeated the power of death, and in that victory we rejoice.

God bless

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## Keep Singing from Sarah

Hi all

Hope you are well. Please find the music below as per usual.

433 - Love's redeeming work is done - [Love's Redeeming Work is Done \[with lyrics for congregations\] - YouTube](#)

584 - Rock of ages, cleft for me - [Rock of Ages - YouTube](#)

532 - Open our eyes, Lord - [Open Our Eyes, Lord - YouTube](#)

684 - Thou/God, whose almighty word - [Thou Whose Almighty Word - YouTube](#)

Some more.....

The peace of God Rutter - [The peace of God - John Rutter, The Cambridge Singers, City of London Sinfonia - YouTube](#)

Judith Durham - Breathe On Me Breath Of God - [Breathe On Me Breath Of God - YouTube](#)

Love bade me welcome Weaver - [Love Bade Me Welcome - Judith Weir \(Sydney Chamber Choir\) - YouTube](#)

Taizé Psallite Deo - [This Is the Day \(Psallite Deo\) - YouTube](#)

My peace I leave you - [My Peace I Give You \(Taizé Chant\) - YouTube](#)

Ne jijoho (Peace be with you) - [Na Jijoho \(Peace Be with You\) \(Benin\) - YouTube](#)

The final week of our Easter break from school has been lovely. Emily has volunteered at tennis camp and Phoebe has been busy making string art and meeting with her friends in the park. I have managed to (very slowly) start running again now that my knee injury is getting better.....its been 4 months so progress is slow but its nice to be back out again now that the weather is improving and evenings are lighter. We have a goal of being back up to 10k by September when my running buddy and I are entered into an online challenge.....it feels a long way off at the moment in both time and distance!

Today we planted out our first early potatoes (hopefully not too soon) and over the rest of the weekend we have some wild flower "seed bombs" to scatter which say they will help attract bees to the garden so fingers crossed.

We had a nice Easter Day last weekend with garden visits to both grandparents and are hoping for nice weather to do the same again tomorrow. Tom has his second vaccine coming up this week so hoping he feels ok after that and I'm sure the girls will be back to catching up with schoolwork and other activities. I will be back at working from home again and I'm sure Thomas the cat will be happy for the peace and quiet and to be able to nap undisturbed on whichever bed he chooses again!

We hope you are all managing to keep safe and well and negotiate new and changing restrictions.

Sending lots of love to you all and hope to see you soon.

Sarah, Tom and the girls. xxxx