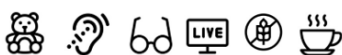




**FOURTH SUNDAY**  
**of EASTER**  
21 April 2024

**Solemn Evensong**  
**and Benediction**  
at 6.30pm



## Welcome to Old Saint Paul's



*An induction loop is fitted to assist those with hearing difficulties.*



*A large print version is available. Please ask a welcomer*

*The Solemn Evensong booklet will guide you through the service. This leaflet details only items special to today.*

RESPONSES

*Reading*

PSALM 123

UNTO thee lift I up mine eyes : O thou that dwellest in the heavens.

Behold, even as the eyes of servants look unto the hand of their masters, and as the eyes of a maiden unto the hand of her mistress : even so our eyes wait upon the Lord our God, until he have mercy upon us.

Have mercy upon us, O Lord, have mercy upon us : for we are utterly despised.

Our soul is filled with the scornful reproof of the wealthy : and with the despitefulness of the proud.

PSALM 124

IF THE Lord himself had not been on our side, now may Israel say : if the Lord himself had not been on our side, when men rose up against us;

They had swallowed us up quick : when thy were so wrathfully displeased at us.

Yea, the waters had drowned us : and the stream had gone over our soul.

The deep waters of the proud : had gone even over our soul.

But praised be the Lord : who hath not given us over for a prey unto their teeth.

Our soul is escaped even as a bird out of the snare of the fowler : the snare is broken, and we are delivered.

Our help standeth in the Name of the Lord : who hath made heaven and earth.

PSALM 125

THEY that put their trust in the Lord shall be even as the mount Sion : which may not be removed, but standeth fast for ever.

The hills stand about Jerusalem : even so standeth the Lord round about his people, from this time forth for evermore.

For the rod of the ungodly cometh not into the lot of the righteous : lest the righteous put their hand unto wickedness.

Do well, O Lord : unto those that are good and true of heart.

As for such as turn back unto their own wickedness : the Lord shall lead them forth with the evil-doers; but peace shall be upon Israel.

FIRST READING Exodus 16.4-15

OFFICE HYMN **101** [The New English Hymnal 101a. The Lamb's high banquet we await | Hymnary.org](#)

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SECOND READING Revelation 2.12-17

#### COLLECT

O God,  
the light of whose truth stretches out to those who go  
astray,  
that they may return to the path of righteousness:  
give your grace to all who profess themselves Christians,  
that they may cast out what is harmful,  
and pursue all that gives life;  
through Jesus Christ, our Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, world without end.

#### ANTHEM

Alleluia.  
I heard a voice as of strong thunderings, saying, Alleluia.  
Salvation and glory and honour and power  
be unto the Lord our God and to the Lamb for  
evermore.  
Alleluia.

*Text: from Revelation 19*  
*Music: Thomas Weelkes*

*If you wish to make a donation, this can be done at the retiring collection by card, cash or online QR code.*

SECOND HYMN **108** [The New English Hymnal 108. Hail, Easter bright, in glory dight! | Hymnary.org](#)

#### **OSP looks forward to welcoming you again.**



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#### **Next Sunday's readings**

Isa 60.1-14, Rev 3.1-13

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# Notices

## Carbon Literacy Course

Augustine UR Church on George IV Bridge is offering a course for anyone wanting to understand the climate emergency and to learn what they can do to tackle it. It will take place in the church on 3 consecutive Sundays (**21 April, 28 April and 5 May**) from 12:45 until 3:15pm.

For more information and to register your interest please email Katrina: [Katrina.tweedie@augustine.org.uk](mailto:Katrina.tweedie@augustine.org.uk)

## Concert

**on Tuesday, 23 April, at 7.30pm  
St Giles' Cathedral**

*Sally Carr* with her vocal ensemble from London, Echo, perform an array of choral music spanning 400 years including a piece by our very own choir member, *Lucy Whitehead*.

Tickets £20 Under 30's £10

## The next Ecumenical Eucharist

will be

**on Friday, 26 April, at 12.20  
in the Memorial Chapel**

Further details from Rodney Matthews:

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### Sunday

High Mass 10.30am; Solemn Evensong 6.30pm

### Weekdays

Mass: Mon 12.20pm; Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri 8am; Fri 12.20pm

Morning Prayer: Mon–Fri 8am



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