

Church of the Good Shepherd, Low Hill

Monthly Calendar for April 2026



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During the Easter season, we commemorate the resurrection of Jesus Christ, which signifies triumph over sin, the flesh, and the world. First, Christ's resurrection assures forgiveness and restoration, providing victory over sin. Second, it grants believers the strength to overcome the flesh, enabling them to endure hardship and experience transformation. Finally, Easter instills hope and confidence by affirming that Christ has prevailed despite the challenges present in the world. The empty tomb stands as a symbol of the victory accessible to believers and of Christ's enduring presence.

As we rejoice in the significance of Easter, let us establish a spiritual foundation rooted in scripture and spiritual disciplines. Let us continue to pursue personal renewal. May the triumph and hope of Easter guide our decisions, actions, and daily interactions.

 **For April**

In church unless stated otherwise



Thursday 2nd April Maundy Thursday Service

7pm at St Mary's.

Good Friday 3rd April Easter Walk

2.30 – 4pm. Begins at Good Shepherd, then down to St Mary's by 3pm for a time of reflection and continues to St James for hot cross buns.

Easter Saturday 4th April

8am Waking the Dawn prayer – open to anyone to come and pray.

1.30 – 3pm Wolverhampton churches meet in Queen's Square sharing worship, praise and testimony.

Sunday 5th April: 11am Easter Communion

Rev Taiwo's final service with us

Reading 1: Acts 10 34 - 43

Reading 2: John 20: 1 – 18

Friday 10th April

10am Toastie Pat's Coffee Morning. All are welcome to drop in for a drink, something toasted and a friendly chat.

Saturday 11th April

8:00 – 9:00am Waking the Dawn prayer

Sunday 12th April: 11am Service of the Word

Reading 1: Acts 2: 14 & 22-32

Reading 2: John 20: 19 – 31

Monday 13th April

2pm Over 50s Friendship group with a variety of activities.

Friday 17th April

10am Toastie Pat's Coffee Morning

7:15pm Parish Youth Group (11-14 year olds) in the Parish Hall, Bushbury

Sunday 19th April: 11am Service of the Word

Reading 1: Acts 2: 14 & 36 - 41

Reading 2: Luke 24: 13 – 35

Sunday School for young people, upstairs.

Wednesday 22nd April

6.30pm Life Group and fellowship in church.

Friday 24th April

10am Toastie Pat's coffee morning. Drop in for a cuppa, something toasted and a natter.

Saturday 25th April

8:00 – 9:00am Waking the Dawn prayer

Monthly clean-up cancelled

1pm Rev Taiwo's Licensing at St Bartholomew's Church, Church Hill, WS10 9DQ. Please let wardens know if you plan to attend.

Sunday 26th April: 11am Service of the Word

Reading 1: Acts 2: 42 - 47

Reading 2: John 10: 1 – 10

5pm Confirmation Service at St Mary's

Monday 27th April

2pm Over 50s Friendship Group with a variety of activities

Wednesday 29th April

6 – 7pm Parish Prayer and Fasting at St Mary's.

Thursday 30th April

7pm Good Shepherd DCC



Future Dates

Saturday 2nd May

10:00am Ladies' Breakfast at the Church of the Good Shepherd. Free of charge, although donations welcome.

For details or to book a place please leave your name with the parish office 01902 782226

Thursday 7th May

Good Shepherd is being used for local elections

Sunday 10th May

Revival Prayer 3.30pm-6pm St John's Church, Shenstone WS14 0JB