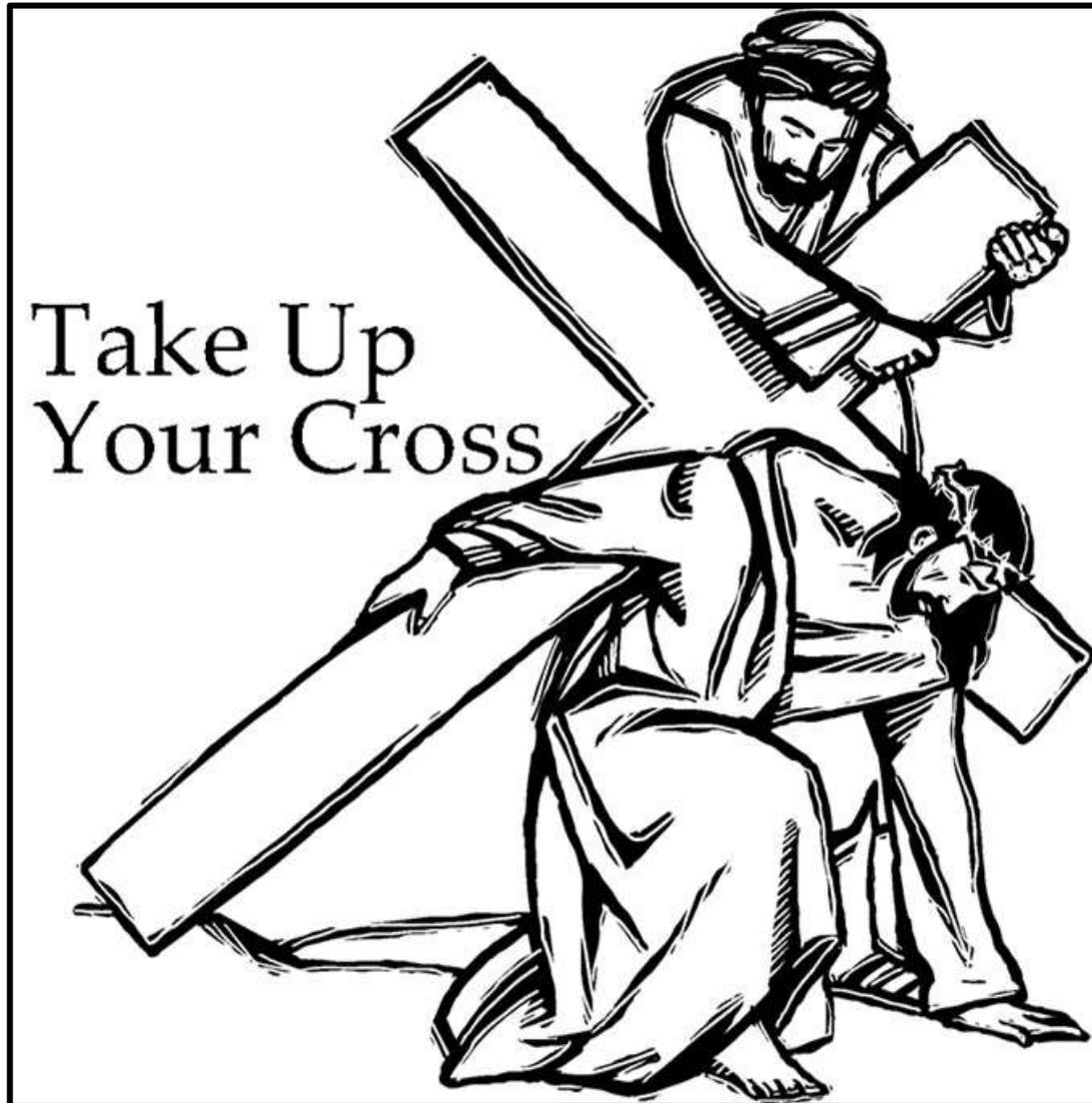


St Saviour's, Pimlico



**Lent & Easter 2019
Services and Events**

Throughout Lent the church takes on a **different appearance**. The music reflects the penitential nature of the season. The Gloria and Alleluia are omitted, and there is greater use of **silence**. Our vestments are solemn **purple** for most of Lent and there are no flowers in church. From the 5th Sunday of Lent, Passion Sunday, all the statues, images and crucifixes are **veiled** as we journey towards **Holy Week** and the cross. On Palm Sunday we remember Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem by a procession of **palms** in St George's Square.

Our Lenten journey culminates with the **Easter Triduum** which commemorates Christ's Passion in one continuous act over three days. On **Maundy Thursday** we celebrate the Lord's **Last Supper** and remember him washing his disciples' feet. We share his agony in the Garden of Gethsemane and keep vigil at the **Altar of Repose** in front of the Blessed Sacrament until midnight. On **Good Friday** we journey with Christ to the cross and share the suffering of his crucifixion and death. On **Easter Sunday** we celebrate the joy of his **Resurrection**.

You are invited to join us for services, courses and reflections this Lent and particularly during Holy Week and the Easter Triduum.

Regular Services during Lent

Weekdays

- 8:00 am Morning Prayer
- 12:00 pm The Rosary (Wednesday)
- 12:00 pm Stations of the Cross (Friday)
- 12:30 pm Said Mass

Lent is a time of self-examination and penitence. If you would like to speak in complete confidence to Fr Matthew or another priest, perhaps using **Confession**, please speak to the clergy, who will be happy to help.

Sundays

- 8:00 am Said Mass (BCP)
- 10:30 am Sung Mass

First Sunday of every month

- 6:00 pm Evensong & Benediction

Shrove Tuesday (5 March)

- 12:30 pm Said Mass
- After Mass we burn last year's Palm Crosses to make the ash for Ash Wednesday, and then have pancakes and a glass of wine in the Pimlico Room.

Ash Wednesday (6 March)

12:30 pm Said Mass with imposition of ashes

7:00 pm Solemn Mass with imposition of ashes

Mothering Sunday (31 March)

8:00 am Said Mass (BCP)

10:30 am Sung Mass

Holy Week & Easter Services

Palm Sunday (14 April)

8:00 am Said Mass (BCP)

10:30 am Sung Mass with the outdoor Blessing of Palms and Procession
around St George's Square

6:00 pm Service of Healing & Wholeness

A special service helping us to prepare for the Easter Festival. There will be space for quiet reflection, an opportunity to receive the laying on of hands and anointing, and an opportunity (for those who wish) to speak in complete confidence with a priest.

Monday 15 April – Wednesday 17 April

8:00 am Morning Prayer

12:30 pm Mass

6:30 pm Stations of the Cross

7:00 pm Mass

Maundy Thursday

7:00 pm Mass with foot washing, procession of the Sacrament to the Altar
of Repose and stripping of the Altars

Vigil will be kept before the Reserved Sacrament until midnight

Good Friday

2:30 pm Silent Prayer

3:00 pm Liturgy of Good Friday with the Passion according to St John,
Veneration of the Cross and Communion from the Reserved Sacrament

The service will be followed by hot cross buns in the Church Hall

Easter Sunday

5:30 am Lighting of Easter fire, Easter Dawn Vigil and First Mass of Easter

The service will be followed by breakfast in the Church Hall

10:30 am Easter Day Festival Mass

LENT COURSE 2019

The Mystery of God

Our Lent course delves more deeply into the mystery of God, seeking to rediscover what it is that draws us so deeply in our search for God. We will follow Jesus through the Lenten readings, allowing him to draw us, in love and wonder, into the mystery of God's plan of salvation.



Sessions begin at 6:30 pm in the Pimlico Room with coffee and cake and end at 8:00 pm with Compline (Night Prayer).

Wednesday 13, 20 & 27 March

Wednesday 3 & 10 April

No prior knowledge is required, and everyone is very welcome to attend. A free accompanying booklet will be available from Ash Wednesday.

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