

The Parishes of St Edmund, Allestree and St Matthew, Darley Abbey

Mothering Sunday, 30th March 2025



Welcome to Worship today. Coffee is served after the 10 am services. All welcome.

10 am - St Edmund's - Holy Communion

The service is led by John Rice

Anthems: Shall we not love thee Mother dear:
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The Lord bless you and keep you: Rutter

Hymns: 362, 487, 305, 530

12.30pm - Baptism of Nellie Dot Thompson

10 am - St Matthew's - Morning Prayer

The service is led by Rachael Brooks

Hymn 369 - All people that on earth do dwell

Kyrie (Mathias)/Gospel (Rutter)

Gradual hymn 253 - For the beauty of the earth

Offertory hymn 516 - Love divine, all loves excelling

Anthem - Song of Ruth (Ogden)

Final Hymn 455 - Guide me, O thou great redeemer

Tuesday 1st April

12 noon - St Edmund's Church Hall -

Luncheon Club

2 pm - St Matthew's Fellowship Room – FOSM –

Life Can Be Funny by Pat Hall

7.30 pm – Chris & David Halfpenny's house –

22 Questions

Wednesday 2nd April

10 am - St Edmund's - Holy Communion,

led by John Rice

Thursday 3rd April

10 am - St Edmund's Church Hall -

Baby & Toddler Group

Friday 4th April

9 pm – St Edmund's - Compline

Saturday 5th April

9.30 am - St Edmund's - Groundforce

The electoral Roll is being completely renewed this year. Please collect your renewal form and letter from Barbara Coe (St Matthew's). Completed forms to Barbara or in the box on the tract table by Sunday 20th April. Spare forms are available by the box.

Sunday 6th April – 5th Sunday of Lent – Passion Sunday

Food Bank Sunday - Please leave any donations in St Edmund's Church or in St Matthew's Fellowship Room by Tuesday 8th April. Thank you.

10 am - St Edmund's – Morning Prayer,

led by Rachael Brooks

(St Edmund's APCM will take place after the service)

10 am - St Matthew's – Holy Communion,

led by John Rice

6 pm – St Matthew's - Evensong,

led by Rachael Brooks

St Edmund's Easter Flowers - If you would like to contribute to the cost of Easter flowers, we would be delighted to receive your donation. You may wish to consider doing this in memory of a loved one. Please place your donation in the collection basket by the pillar near the door. It will be there throughout Lent. Your contribution would be much appreciated. Thank you. Michèle and the Flower Team.

St Edmund's Events Committee meeting will be in the choir vestry on Tuesday 1st April at 2 pm.

The funeral of **Joane Fraser** will be at St Edmund's on 11th April at 12 noon. Please keep the family in your prayers.

The office will be open on Monday and Wednesday 9.30-3pm, Thursday 11.30-3pm and Friday 9.30-1pm.
It will be closed on Tuesday.

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Both Parochial Church Councils are charities for the purposes of the Charities Act 2011. St Edmund's charity number is 1128942
To donate to St Edmund's use the left hand QR code. To donate to St Matthew's use the right hand QR code.

