

This week's services

Sunday 5	Easter Day	
5.30am	Vigil and First Mass of Easter	Barnham
8.30am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Eastergate
9am	Mattins (BCP)	Barnham
9.30am	Said Mass (BCP)	Barnham
10am	Family Communion	Eastergate
10am	Parish Communion	Aldingbourne
11.15am	Sung Mass	Barnham
6pm	Evensong & Benediction	Barnham
6th – 10th	<i>Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday in Easter Week</i>	
6pm	Evensong & Mass (6.30pm)	Barnham
	<i>Wednesday in Easter Week</i>	
10am	Holy Communion	Eastergate
6pm	Evensong & Mass (6.30pm)	Barnham
Saturday 11	<i>Saturday in Easter Week</i>	
9am	Mattins & Mass (9.30am)	Barnham
Sunday 12	Easter 2 (Low Sunday)	
8.30am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Eastergate
9am	Mattins (BCP)	Barnham
9.30am	Said Mass (BCP)	Barnham
10am	Family Communion	Eastergate
10am	Parish Communion	Aldingbourne
11.15am	Sung Mass	Barnham
6pm	Evensong (BCP)	Barnham

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

ALDINGBOURNE & EASTERGATE (Easter 2)

Acts 2:14a,22-32, Ps 16, 1 Pet 1:3-9, John 20:19-31

BARNHAM (Easter 2)

Acts 2:42-47, Ps 118, 1 Pet 1:3-9, John 20:19-31

Sunday Seekers meets on Sunday at 9.45am in Eastergate School and joins the church congregation towards the end of the service Further details from Hedda on 696811.

Play & Pray - Every Friday morning 10-11.30am in St. George's. For more details contact Hedda on 696811

St Mary's Aldingbourne - For more information contact Sarah Nichol on 543348 or email sarahnicholpabe@gmail.com

St Mary's Barnham - Please contact Bradley on 07931 527724 or bradley.smith4@gmail.com for further details of services.

St George's Eastergate - Please contact Gary on 552099 or email courtnadge@outlook.com for more information, if needed.

The Parish Office (Website: www.parishofabe.org.uk)
The Church in the Market Place, 35 Barnham Road, Barnham.
PO22 0ER. 01243-553955

For Parish Office opening times email the Office:
parishofabe@btinternet.com

Contact deadline - 12 noon on Wednesdays

Clergy contact:

Rector - Revd Canon Paul Armstead : 551566
(paularmstead@btinternet.com) (Rest day - Monday)
For colleagues please see the Parish News



ABE CONTACT

5 April 2026

Easter Day

WELCOME to church today especially if this is the first time you have been with us. Please make yourself known to our wardens and stay for refreshments at the end.

THANK YOU to everyone who has worked so hard this past week to make this a memorable Holy Week and bring us to the wonderful celebration of Easter Day.

MAGAZINES for the month of April are available today. Please do take a copy with you, if it is not delivered and also one for anyone else who may be interested.

JAR OF COMPASSION 2026 Our partner for the jars this year is St Wilfrid's Hospice. Have you found your jar? The total amount so far is £448.52.

FOODBANK collection points for the Bognor Foodbank at Tesco Express, Co-op and the Trading Post in Barnham. Alternatively you can order online at givetoday.co.uk/bognorfoodbank. The 5 items that they need currently are coffee, tinned soups, tinned fruit, tinned meat and rice puddings or look at their website.

SAFEGUARDING IN THE PARISH Peter Higgins has said that the time has come for him to relinquish his duties as our Parish Safeguarding Officer. The search is therefore on for our next PSO. This is a most important role and it ensures that all are cared for and safeguarded in our parish. Computer literacy is an essential. Please speak to Fr Paul if you believe that you can serve our parish in this role and he will have further details etc.

ST GEORGE'S DAY is being celebrated at St George's Eastergate on Sunday 19 April at the main service at **10.30am**. This will be followed by a bring and share lunch. All are welcome to both/either.

You can donate to our ministry and mission by

- **Joining the Parish Giving Scheme (PGS)** details in each church or contact Chris Wells, Treasurer,
- **By card at the entrance to each church** by Goodbox (contactless) donations.
- **By cash in the Offertory plate during the service**

The Parish of ABE has to raise £2,200 (approx.) per week to meet the costs of ministry and mission and is grateful to everyone who works towards this. Please be generous.