

**Today's hymns**  
148, 137, 160, 163

**Sunday School next week**

Children are invited to join Sunday School during the service next week.

**Dates for your diary**

*Friday 3 May: Evening Prayer* (6pm to 6.30pm) and **Bible study** (6.30pm to 7.30pm) at All Saints in Cologne.

*Saturday 4 May, 7.30pm: Concert* at All Saints with the Cantamus choir of St. Paul's Girls' School, London. Free entry with a retiring collection.

*Wednesday 22 May, 8pm:* The informal **singing group** meets in the basement at St. Paulus church. All are welcome.

*Monday 10 June, 10.30am:* Pentecost **ecumenical Eucharist** at St. Cyprian's (Adenauerallee 61, 53113 Bonn) followed by a picnic on the lawn in front of the Opera and a procession across the bridge to Beuel for concluding prayers.

*Saturday 29 June, 10am to 12 noon:* **Guided walking tour** of Cologne's English heritage in the area around All Saints with local art historian Angelika Lehdorff-Felsko. €10 per person. Sign-up forms are now available at church.

**Chaplaincy Walkers head to Brühl on 25 May**

The next walk is an easy and pleasant 14 km, mostly flat and on wide woodland paths. Our meeting place is the car park on the L194 at the corner of Phantasialandstrasse/Der Schnackejagdweg. We will set off at 11.30am and stop for a packed lunch along the way. After the walk, a table is reserved for coffee and cake together at the nearby Restaurant Birkhof.

**All Saints Summer Fete**

Please mark your diaries for the Summer Fete in Cologne on Saturday 29 June, from 12-4pm. We are looking for volunteers from both the Cologne and Bonn congregations to organise and run stalls, and to help set up before and to clean up after the fete. Please speak to Lizette Dennis or Carrie Andrews if you can help in any way.

**Weekly sheet**

If you have any notices for this weekly sheet, please contact Jenny Knudsen on 0228 94693999 or email: [notices@anglicanbonncologne.de](mailto:notices@anglicanbonncologne.de).

**Are you new to Bonn or Cologne, or to this church? For up to date information, follow us on Facebook/Twitter and visit our website.**

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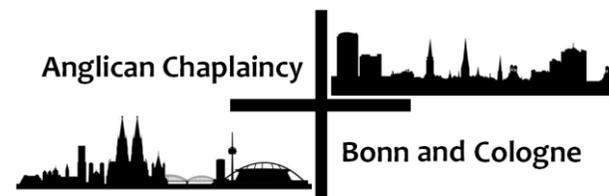
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**WELCOME**

*Welcome to Sunday worship, especially if you are joining us for the first time. Refreshments will be served after the service. We hope you might stay and introduce yourself.*

**Sunday 28 April 2019  
Second Sunday of Easter**

President: Revd Richard Gardiner  
Preacher: Revd Michael Bullock

**Collect**

Almighty Father,  
you have given your only Son to die for our sins  
and to rise again for our justification:  
grant us so to put away the leaven of malice and  
wickedness  
that we may always serve you  
in pureness of living and truth;  
through the merits of your Son  
Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

**Amen.**

**First reading – Acts 5.27-32  
The Apostles Are Persecuted**

<sup>27</sup>When the temple police had brought the apostles, they made them stand before the council. The high priest questioned them, <sup>28</sup>saying, 'We gave you strict orders not to teach in this name, yet here you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and you are determined to bring this man's blood on us.' <sup>29</sup>But Peter and the apostles answered, 'We must obey God rather than any human authority. <sup>30</sup>The God of our ancestors raised up Jesus, whom you had killed

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SUNDAY WORSHIP

**9.30am** at St. Paulus,  
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**11.45am** at All Saints,  
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by hanging him on a tree. <sup>31</sup>God exalted him at his right hand as Leader and Saviour, so that he might give repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins. <sup>32</sup>And we are witnesses to these things, and so is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him.'

### **Psalm 118.14-29**

The Lord is my strength and my song,  
and he has become my salvation.

#### **Joyful shouts of salvation**

#### **sound from the tents of the righteous:**

'The right hand of the Lord does mighty deeds;  
the right hand of the Lord raises up;  
the right hand of the Lord does mighty deeds.'

#### **I shall not die, but live**

#### **and declare the works of the Lord.**

The Lord has punished me sorely,  
but he has not given me over to death.

#### **Open to me the gates of righteousness,**

#### **that I may enter and give thanks to the Lord.**

This is the gate of the Lord;  
the righteous shall enter through it.

#### **I will give thanks to you, for you have answered me and have become my salvation.**

The stone which the builders rejected  
has become the chief cornerstone.

#### **This is the Lord's doing, and it is marvellous in our eyes.**

This is the day that the Lord has made;  
we will rejoice and be glad in it.

#### **Come, O Lord, and save us we pray.**

#### **Come, Lord, send us now prosperity.**

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord;  
we bless you from the house of the Lord.

#### **The Lord is God; he has given us light;**

#### **link the pilgrims with cords right to the horns of the altar.**

You are my God and I will thank you;  
you are my God and I will exalt you.

#### **O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his mercy endures for ever.**

### **Second reading – Revelation 1.4-8**

#### **Glory and Dominion**

<sup>4</sup>John to the seven churches that are in Asia:

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come,  
and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, <sup>5</sup>and from Jesus Christ,  
the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the  
earth. To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, <sup>6</sup>and

made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory  
and dominion for ever and ever. Amen.

<sup>7</sup>Look! He is coming with the clouds;

every eye will see him,  
even those who pierced him;

and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail.

So it is to be. Amen.

<sup>8</sup>'I am the Alpha and the Omega', says the Lord God, who is and who was and  
who is to come, the Almighty.

### **Gospel reading – John 20.19-31**

#### **Jesus Appears to the Disciples**

<sup>19</sup>It was evening on the first day of the week, and the doors of the house  
where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews. Jesus came and  
stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' <sup>20</sup>After he said this, he  
showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they  
saw the Lord. <sup>21</sup>Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father  
has sent me, so I send you.' <sup>22</sup>When he had said this, he breathed on them  
and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. <sup>23</sup>If you forgive the sins of any,  
they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

<sup>24</sup>But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with  
them when Jesus came. <sup>25</sup>So the other disciples told him, 'We have seen the  
Lord.' But he said to them, 'Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands,  
and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not  
believe.'

<sup>26</sup>A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with  
them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and  
said, 'Peace be with you.' <sup>27</sup>Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here and  
see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but  
believe.' <sup>28</sup>Thomas answered him, 'My Lord and my God!' <sup>29</sup>Jesus said to him,  
'Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have  
not seen and yet have come to believe.'

<sup>30</sup>Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are  
not written in this book. <sup>31</sup>But these are written so that you may come to  
believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing  
you may have life in his name.

#### **Post Communion prayer**

Lord God our Father,  
through our Saviour Jesus Christ  
you have assured your children of eternal life  
and in baptism have made us one with him:  
deliver us from the death of sin  
and raise us to new life in your love,  
in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,  
by the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**Amen.**