

St Saviour's Church, Brockley Rise: an inclusive church

**Sunday 24th May 2020
Sunday after Ascension Day**

Patronal Festival

Our 10am Eucharist will be live-streamed on our Facebook page.

Opening Hymn:

Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour
first-begotten from the dead,
thou alone, our strong defender,
liftest up thy people's head.
Alleluia, alleluia,
Jesu, true and living bread.

Here our humblest homage pay we,
here in loving reverence bow;
here for faith's discernment pray we,
lest we fail to know thee now.
Alleluia, alleluia,
thou art here, we ask not how.

Though the lowliest form doth veil thee
as of old in Bethlehem,
here as there thine angels hail thee,
branch and flower of Jesse's stem.
Alleluia, alleluia,
we in worship join with them.

Paschal Lamb, thine offering, finished
once for all when thou wast slain,
in its fullness undiminished
shall for evermore remain,
Alleluia, alleluia,
cleansing souls from every stain.

Life-imparting heavenly manna,
stricken rock with streaming side,
heaven and earth with loud hosanna
worship thee, the Lamb who died,
Alleluia, alleluia,
risen, ascended, glorified!

George Hugh Bourne (1840-1925)

We remember in our prayers:

Those who are unwell.

Those who have died.

Closing Hymn:

Christ triumphant, ever reigning,
Saviour, Master, King!
Lord of heaven, our lives sustaining,
hear us as we sing:

*Yours the glory and the crown,
the high renown, the eternal name.*

Word incarnate, truth revealing,
Son of Man on earth!
power and majesty concealing
by your humble birth:

Suffering servant, scorned, ill-treated,
victim crucified!
death is through the cross defeated,
sinners justified:

Priestly king, enthroned for ever

high in heaven above!
sin and death and hell shall never
stifle hymns of love:

So, our hearts and voices raising
through the ages long,
ceaselessly upon you gazing,
this shall be our song:

Michael Saward (1932-2015)

Connect with us online: Please support our online presence by checking out our website, following us on Twitter, or liking our Facebook page. You could even send Fr David a friend request!

Linking Lives in The Bridge: The May edition of the Diocesan newspaper, The Bridge, is now available online at <https://southwark.anglican.org/thebridge>. Look out for the article about our befriending project, Linking Lives Crofton Park.

Covid-19 Mutual Aid: a community support agency setup to help the vulnerable with tasks like shopping, prescription collecting and dog-walking. The local group covers our entire parish and much of that of St Hilda's. They can be contacted on 07515 875560 (call, text or whatsapp) if you would like some help or if you would like to volunteer to help others. Do mention St Saviour's when you call. You can find more information and look up details of your local group at covidmutualaid.org/

Opportunities to connect: Gale Burns of the Sunflower Centre in Brockley is running co-listening groups via zoom for anyone wanting to connect, talk about their situation, look at the feelings coming up etc. More information can be found at www.thesunflowercentre.co.uk/covid-19-co-listening-circle-with-gale-burns

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