



Bentworth, Lasham, Medstead & Shalden
One Church ... Four Places of Worship
*Joyfully proclaiming the love of God in worship,
outreach, welcome and care.*

"THE WELCOME"

Everyone is Welcome to this service on

19th May 2019
Easter 5



TODAY'S SERVICES

9.15am - Family Service – Lasham;
11.00am - Holy Communion – Medstead;
6.00pm - Evensong – Shalden.

COLLECT

Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ have overcome death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: grant that, as by your grace going before us you put into our minds good desires, so by your continual help we may bring them to good effect; through Jesus Christ our risen Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

READINGS

Acts 11.1-18; Revelation 21.1-6; John 13.31-35.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Eternal God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life: grant us to walk in his way, to rejoice in his truth, and to share his risen life; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. Amen.

NOTICES

MONDAY – 7.00pm Shalden's PCC meeting

TUESDAY – 9.15am – Year R Baptism
assembly – Medstead Church

1.30pm – Bentworth School Assembly.

6.00pm Evening Prayer – Lasham

7.00pm - Medstead's PCC meeting

WEDNESDAY – 3.00pm – The FUNERAL
for Eileen Charlesworth - Medstead Church

7.30 – School Governor's meeting.

THURSDAY - 10.30 – Medstead School
Assembly

FRIDAY – 4.00pm Burial of Ashes for the late
Jean Woolford – Shalden.

NEXT SUNDAY SERVICES:

8.00am – Holy Communion – Bentworth
9.15am – Holy Communion – Shalden
11.00am – Holy Communion – Lasham
6.00pm – Evensong – Medstead

LASHAM MUSIC FESTIVAL

Lasham Classical Music Festival's annual festival begins on Wednesday 5th June and concludes on Sunday 9th June 2019 with St Mary's Church Lasham the venue for all concerts. This year's programme explores a wealth of music influenced by the conflicts of war. Tickets online at EventBrite and in person from Newbury Building Society, Alton and The Royal Oak, Lasham Tickets £5-10 for adults with under 18's and students with ID free! Website lashamusicfestival.co.uk

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"I choose to believe in God because I think what that is, is the recognition that there is divine beauty in all of us, and if we prioritise that over our own selfish material needs we will naturally create a culture more in harmony with our planet and we'll have a chance" - *Russell Brand* who says he wants to "know more" about Christianity and other faiths as he begins classes at the University of London.

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