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Notice Sheet 26th April

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**St Catherine's Church,
Burbage
&
St Peters Church,
Aston Flamville**

Sunday 26th April

Fourth Sunday of Easter

St Catherine's

**8.00am
BCP Communion
Fr Andrew**

**10.30am
Parish Eucharist
Fr Andrew**

**6.00pm
Evensong
Fr Andrew**

Sidesperson Duties

**8.00am
V Brown**

**10.30am
C Morrison / T Steele / A Steele**

**6.00pm
O Freeman-White**

Readings this week

Acts 15 : 35 – end

Psalm 119 verses 9 - 16

Ephesians 4 : 7 – 16

Mark 13 : 5 – 13

Text of the readings and hymns are at the bottom of these notices

The Annual Vestry Meeting will be held at
St Catherine's on Sunday 26th April at 12 noon,
followed by the Annual Parochial Church Meeting

**Did you know that we have Compline on-line every
Wednesday evening on Facebook - check it out!**

On-line service links

HERE

To access our live services just visit our web site by using the link below (NB this link is unchanged by the introduction of the new YouTube channel):

<https://parishofburbageandastonflamville.co.uk/live-services>

The links will be updated weekly. Select the one you need.



The Spire and Refectory Fund

We are now raising money for the Spire and Refectory Fund to carry out urgent work to the tower and to replace the partition between the north aisle and the refectory. Please use the following link to make a donation or speak to Fr Andrew, a Churchwarden or the Treasurer to help us raise funds for this vital

work.

<https://givealittle.co/c/30wzdvhF9uKEepr4M9kT>



*THE RECTOR'S BALL
2026*



*ST. CATHERINE'S
CHURCH*

Come and join us for the Rector's Charity Ball 2026

12th June 2026

7pm carriages at midnight



Headlined by Dean Thomas along with several special guests

*Prosecco on arrival followed by a four course meal with tea or
coffee to follow*



Tickets £65.00 per person

Black Tie Event

There will be a door prize draw

As well as a raffle



Half of the money raised from the evening will be donated to

Horse Pool Foundation

Cancer Research U.K.

*Tickets available from Vicki Dolphin
email vicki.dolphin.51@gmail.com,*



Support a
wonderful
charity and have
a great evening

We will have a variety of starters and main courses together with rice and naan carefully selected by the Managers and served at table to make our evening special.

CHARITY CURRY NIGHT

at the

Windsor Tiffin



Windsor Street, Burbage;
Wednesday 3rd June at 7:00 pm.
Ticket price £24

For Tickets please contact:

John Bevington

Tel: 01455 632633

07557 409707

**All Proceeds to
Christian Aid**





St Catherine's Church, Burbage

week commencing 26th April

What's On This Week

Sunday 26th April

8.00am Holy Communion BCP
 10.30am Parish Eucharist
 12.00pm Annual Vestry Meeting followed by the Annual Parochial Church Meeting
 6.00pm Evensong

Monday 27th April

11.00am Cob and a Cuppa

Tuesday 28th April

7.30pm Bell Ringers Practice

Wednesday 29th April

11.00am Holy Communion
 5.00pm Rainbows

Thursday 30th April

Friday 1st May

7.30pm Choir Practice

Saturday 2nd May

10.00am Minster Group meeting
 8.00pm BCAF – The Joanna Eden Quartet

Sunday 3rd May

8.00am Holy Communion BCP
 10.30am Parish Eucharist
 6.00pm Evensong



Sunday 26th April 2026 – Mark the Evangelist

**Entrance Hymn – Come sing, ye choirs
exultant (NEH 167)**

Come sing, ye choirs exultant,
Those messengers of God,
Through whom the living Gospels
Came sounding all abroad;
Whose voice proclaimed salvation,
That poured upon the night,
And drove away the shadows,
To flood the world with light.

He chose them, our Good Shepherd,
And, tending evermore,
His flock through earth's four quarters,
In wisdom made them four:
In one harmonious witness
The chosen four combine,
While each his own commission
Fulfils in every line.

Four-square on this foundation
The Church of Christ remains,
A house to stand unshaken
By floods or wind or rains.
O glorious happy portion
In this safe home to be,
By God, true man,
united With God eternally.

**Offertory Hymn – NEH 163 The saint who
first found grace to pen**

The saint who first found grace to pen
the life which was the Life of men,
and shed abroad the Gospel's ray,
his fame we celebrate today.

Lo, drawn by Pentecostal fire,
his heart conceived its great desire,
when pure of mind, inspired, he heard
and with his hand set forth the Word.

Then, clearly writ, the Godhead shone
serene and fair to look upon;
and through that record still comes power
to lighten souls in death's dark hour.

O holy mind, for wisdom fit
wherein that Life of lives stood writ,
may we through minds of like accord
show forth the pattern of our Lord.

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The Church of St Catherine

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And so may all whose minds are dark
be led to truth by good Saint Mark,
and after this our earthly strife
Stand written in the Book of Life.

**Communion Hymn – NEH 311 We pray
Thee, heavenly Father**

We pray Thee, heavenly Father,
To hear us in Thy love,
And pour upon Thy children
The unction from above;
That so in love abiding,
From all defilement free,
We may in pureness offer
Our Eucharist to Thee.

All that we have we offer,
For it is all Thine own,
All gifts, by this appointment,
In bread and cup are shown;
One thing alone we bring not,
The wilfulness of sin,
And all we bring is nothing
Save that which is within.

Within the pure oblation,
Beneath the outward sign,
By that His operation,
The Holy Ghost divine,
Lies hid the sacred Body,
Lies hid the precious Blood,
Once slain, now ever glorious,
Of Christ, our Lord and God.

Wherefore, though all unworthy
To offer sacrifice,
We pray that this our duty
Be pleasing in our eyes;
For praise, and thanks and worship,
For mercy and for aid,
The Catholic oblation
Of Jesus Christ is made.

**The Final Hymn – NEH 362 Glorious things
of Thee are spoken**

Glorious things of Thee are spoken,
Sion, City of our God;
He Whose word cannot be broken
Formed Thee for His own abode.
On the rock of ages founded,
What can shake Thy sure repose?
With salvation's walls surrounded,
Thou may'st smile at all thy foes.

See, the streams of living waters,
Springing from eternal love,
Well supply Thy sons and daughters.
And all fear of want remove.
Who can faint while such a river
Ever flows their thirst to assuage:
Grace which, like the Lord the Giver,
Never fails from age to age?

Saviour, since of Sion's city
I though grace a member am,
Let the world deride or pity,
I will glory in Thy Name.
Fading is the worldling's pleasure,
All his boasted pomp and show;
Solid joys and lasting treasure
None by Sion's children know.

Sunday 26th April 2026 – Mark the Evangelist

Welcome to St Catherine's Church in Burbage. Loving, Living and Learning.

We are a loving Community. "Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind" Matthew 22 verse 37

Collect Prayer for the Day

Almighty God, who enlightened your holy Church through the inspired witness of your evangelist Saint Mark; grant that we, being firmly grounded in the truth of the gospel, may be faithful to its teaching both in word and deed; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

Acts 15 : 35 – end

But Paul and Barnabas remained in Antioch, and there, with many others, they taught and proclaimed the word of the Lord.

After some days Paul said to Barnabas, 'Come, let us return and visit the believers in every city where we proclaimed the word of the Lord and see how they are doing.' Barnabas wanted to take with them John called Mark. But Paul decided not to take with them one who had deserted them in Pamphylia and had not accompanied them in the work. The disagreement became so sharp that they parted company; Barnabas took Mark with him and sailed away to Cyprus. But Paul chose Silas and set out, the believers commending him to the grace of the Lord. He went through Syria and Cilicia, strengthening the churches.

Psalms 119 verses 9 - 16

Response: Lead me, O Lord, in the path of your commandments

How shall young people cleanse their way to keep themselves according to your word? With my whole heart have I sought you; O let me not go astray from your commandments. *Response:*

Your words have I hidden within my heart, that I should not sin against you. Blessed are you, O Lord; O teach me your statutes. *Response:*

With my lips have I been telling of all the judgements of your mouth. I have taken greater delight in the way of your testimonies than in all manner of riches. *Response:*

I will meditate on your commandments and contemplate your ways. My delight shall be in your statutes and I will not forget your word. *Response:*

Ephesians 4 : 7 – 16

Each of us was given grace according to the measure of Christ's gift. Therefore it is said, 'When he ascended on high he made captivity itself a captive; he gave gifts to his people.' (When it says, 'He ascended', what does it mean but that he had also descended into the lower parts of the earth? He who descended is the same one who ascended far above all the heavens, so that he might fill all things.) The gifts he gave were that some would be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until all of us come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to maturity, to the measure of the full stature of Christ. We must no longer be children, tossed to and fro and blown about by every wind of doctrine, by people's trickery, by their craftiness in deceitful scheming. But speaking the truth in love, we must grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, from whom the whole body, joined and knitted together by every ligament with which it is equipped, as each part is working properly, promotes the body's growth in building itself up in love.

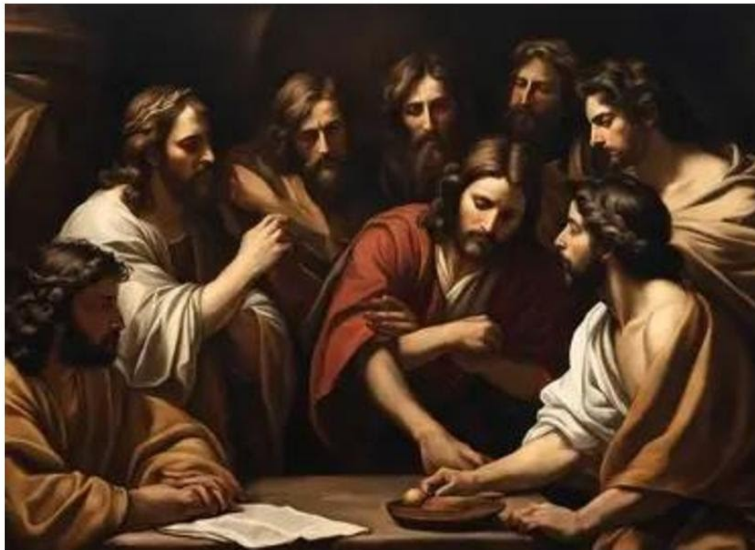
Mark 13 : 5 – 13

Then Jesus began to say to them, 'Beware that no one leads you astray. Many will come in my name and say, "I am he!" and they will lead many astray. When you hear of wars and rumours of wars, do not be alarmed; this must take place, but the end is still to come. For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. This is but the beginning of the birth pangs.

'As for yourselves, beware; for they will hand you over to councils; and you will be beaten in synagogues; and you will stand before governors and kings because of me, as a testimony to them. And the good news must first be proclaimed to all nations. When they bring you to trial and hand you over, do not worry beforehand about what you are to say; but say whatever is given you at that time, for it is not you who speak, but the Holy Spirit. Brother will betray brother to death, and a father his child, and children will rise against parents and have them put to death; and you will be hated by all because of my name. But the one who endures to the end will be saved.

Post Communion Sentence

Almighty God, who on the day of Pentecost sent your Holy Spirit to the apostles with the wind from heaven and in tongues of flame, filling them with joy and boldness to preach the gospel: by the power of the same Spirit strengthen us to witness to your truth and to draw everyone to the fire of your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

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