

## the : word

**John 20:1-18 – (NIV UK)**

### **The empty tomb**

20 Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene went to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the entrance.

<sup>2</sup> So she came running to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one Jesus loved, and said, 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we don't know where they have put him!'

<sup>3</sup> So Peter and the other disciple started for the tomb.

<sup>4</sup> Both were running, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. <sup>5</sup> He bent over and looked in at the strips of linen lying there but did not go in. <sup>6</sup> Then Simon Peter came along behind him and went straight into the tomb. He saw the strips of linen lying there, <sup>7</sup> as well as the cloth that had been wrapped round Jesus' head. The cloth was still lying in its place, separate from the linen. <sup>8</sup> Finally the other disciple, who had reached the tomb first, also went inside. He saw and believed. <sup>9</sup> (They still did not understand from Scripture that Jesus had to rise from the dead.) <sup>10</sup> Then the disciples went back to where they were staying.

### **Jesus appears to Mary Magdalene**

<sup>11</sup> Now Mary stood outside the tomb crying. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb <sup>12</sup> and saw two angels in white, seated where Jesus' body had been, one at the head and the other at the foot.

<sup>13</sup> They asked her, 'Woman, why are you crying?'

'They have taken my Lord away,' she said, 'and I don't know where they have put him.' <sup>14</sup> At this, she turned round and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not realise that it was Jesus.

<sup>15</sup> He asked her, 'Woman, why are you crying? Who is it you are looking for?'

Thinking he was the gardener, she said, 'Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have put him, and I will get him.'

<sup>16</sup> Jesus said to her, 'Mary.'

She turned towards him and cried out in Aramaic, 'Rabboni!' (which means 'Teacher').

<sup>17</sup> Jesus said, 'Do not hold on to me, for I have not yet ascended to the Father. Go instead to my brothers and tell them, "I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God."'

<sup>18</sup> Mary Magdalene went to the disciples with the news: 'I have seen the Lord!' And she told them that he had said these things to her.

## tabernacle : penarth

purpose : to reflect God's love in  
our church, community and world

**sunday 1<sup>st</sup> april 2018**

### **today's services**

10.30 am – Easter morning - John 20:1-18

6.00 pm – Easter evening - John 20:19-31

### **mid – week**

Wednesday

10.00 am: Communion

### **thought for the week**

It is true! The Lord has risen!

Luke 24:34

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### **Sermon Recording/CD**

Sermons are downloadable from the web site. If you would prefer to purchase a CD, see Graham at the AV desk.

## what's : on at tabernacle

### **EASTER SUNDAY**

6.30 am Sunrise Service on the Cliff Top  
10.30 am Pastor Roger and Simon Pedwell  
6.00 pm Julian Haines and Will Roberts -  
communion will be celebrated

At Communion service today, gluten free bread will be used.

Why not join us for tea/coffee after the services?

### **MONDAY**

**Bank Holiday – Church centre closed**

### **WEDNESDAY**

9.30 am - 11.30 Foodbank Breakfast club at Arcot House  
10.00 am Communion led by Ann Niblett followed by coffee  
1.00 pm CAP Job Club  
6.30 pm Mission Team  
7.30 pm Leadership Council  
7.30 pm Alpha at 49 Penlan Road Llandough

### **THURSDAY**

1.00 pm Recovery Cymru at Arcot House  
7.30 pm Music Group Practice

### **FRIDAY – Pastor Roger's Day Off**

9.30 am Maintenance team meet

### **SATURDAY**

All day Alpha day at 49 Penlan Road Llandough

### **NEXT SUNDAY**

#### **Annual Memorial Service**

10.30 am Pastor Roger and Peter Robertson  
6.00 pm Pastor Roger and Matthew Baird

#### **The following groups also meet at the church**

Tuesday at 7.30 pm Cavatina Choir (Sanctuary)  
Tuesday at 7.30 pm Penarth Model & Wargames Club (Conf. Room)  
Wednesday at 8.00 pm Spectrum Singers (Sanctuary)  
Thursday at 7.30 pm Café International (Conference Room)

## what's : on elsewhere

Please see notice board at the top of the stairs for details of other local events.

## family : news

A single Christian woman is looking for lodgings (paid) for up to four months. If you can help, please speak to Caroline Bacon ASAP.

Please also remember these people in your prayers who are not able to get to church any longer: **Elizabeth Curle, Joan Bennett, Elizabeth Morson, John & Hazel Haggitt, Beryl Murray-Dickson, Dorothy Anderson, Mabel Thomas, Jean & Malcolm Greig, Joyce Reynolds. Jo Lockyer and Clare Hollinshead**

Please remember to let Graham know if you are out preaching so that the details can be included in the news sheet

### **Gift Period, Easter to Pentecost**

As agreed at the Church meeting our gifts will go towards carrying out necessary refurbishment work at Tabs with half being split between the Higher Mission, Wycliffe and KISC in Nepal. Leaflets and envelopes are available in the Lounge.

### **AGM 21<sup>st</sup> May**

The AGM will be held on 21<sup>st</sup> May this year, and Ann Niblett comes to the end of her term this time, Margaret Griffiths is standing down. Cath Bourne, Dorothy Evans, Karl Haldenby, Naomi Roberts and Steve Roberts come to the end of their first term. Naomi Roberts and Steve Roberts are not available for re-election, the other deacons are available for nomination. We are looking to appoint six deacons (white form), an elder (ivory form) and a secretary (pink form). We need you to be thinking and praying NOW about those God may be calling to these posts.

### **CAP Money Course**

The next course will start on 12<sup>th</sup> April. Please pick up a postcard from the back of the church for friends or family who would be interested in managing their money better and learning to budget, save and spend well.

**Annual Memorial Service.** We will be holding our annual memorial service next Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April when we will remember those loved ones we have lost this year. If you would like a name added to the memorial roll this year, please speak to Pastor Roger as soon as possible.

### **Offering Envelopes**

These are available for your collection in the Lounge today. If you would like to have envelopes, please speak to Jon Morse or Graham Niblett.

