



Christ Church
YOUR VILLAGE CHURCH

5 MAY 2019

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

READINGS

Psalm 30

John 21: 1—19

A very special welcome to any visitors to Christ Church this morning



TODAY'S GOSPEL READING

¹ Afterward Jesus appeared again to his disciples, by the Sea of Galilee. It happened this way: ² Simon Peter, Thomas (also known as Didymus), Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two other disciples were together. ³ "I'm going out to fish," Simon Peter told them, and they said, "We'll go with you." So they went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.

⁴ Early in the morning, Jesus stood on the shore, but the disciples did not realize that it was Jesus.

⁵ He called out to them, "Friends, haven't you any fish?" "No," they answered.

⁶ He said, "Throw your net on the right side of the boat and you will find some." When they did, they were unable to haul the net in because of the large number of fish.

⁷ Then the disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord!" As soon as Simon Peter heard him say, "It is the Lord," he wrapped his outer garment around him (for he had taken it off) and jumped into the water. ⁸ The other disciples followed in the boat, towing the net full of fish, for they were not far from shore, about a hundred yards. ⁹ When they landed, they saw a fire of burning coals there with fish on it, and some bread.

¹⁰ Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish you have just caught." ¹¹ So Simon Peter climbed back into the boat and dragged the net ashore. It was full of large fish, 153, but even with so many the net was not torn.

¹² Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast." None of the disciples dared ask him, "Who are you?" They knew it was the Lord. ¹³ Jesus came, took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. ¹⁴ This was now the third time Jesus appeared to his disciples after he was raised from the dead.

¹⁵ When they had finished eating, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?"

"Yes, Lord," he said, "you know that I love you." Jesus said, "Feed my lambs."

¹⁶ Again Jesus said, "Simon son of John, do you love me?"

He answered, "Yes, Lord, you know that I love you." *(continued over)*

Gospel continued

¹⁷ The third time he said to him, "Simon son of John, do you love me?"

Peter was hurt because Jesus asked him the third time, "Do you love me?" He said, "Lord, you know all things; you know that I love you."

Jesus said, "Feed my sheep. ¹⁸ Very truly I tell you, when you were younger you dressed yourself and went where you wanted; but when you are old you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will dress you and lead you where you do not want to go."

¹⁹ Jesus said this to indicate the kind of death by which Peter would glorify God.

Then he said to him, "Follow me



ANOTHER LOVELY MUSIC CONCERT— Sunday 9th June at 2.00pm

One Tree Hill College are pleased for us to host them again in our church this year just before the Big Sing competition. We know that you will be very keen to come and to bring family and friends.

[More details closer to the time](#)

SPECIAL EVENING WORSHIP

Please join Kumar and others at 7pm on 15th May at the church for an informal worship service that John Anderson is leading as part of his Laidlaw study.

BIBLE STUDY AND PRAYER GROUPS

Bible Study Group: 1st Wednesday of every month at 7:30pm

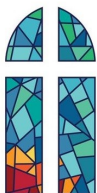
Prayer Group: 3rd Wednesday of every month at 7:30pm. Both groups meet at church

Morning Prayer is also held in the Church every Wednesday at 8 am - all welcome.

Each Wednesday, Judith, at her own initiative, will also be casually meeting with folk in the Eilerslie township area for ordinary and faith conversations. Any one who would like to pray for or join Judith, please see her after the service or contact her on 021 102 9180.

PRAY FOR OUR CHURCH

Prayer underlies all that we do. At 7:30 every Wednesday night (or another time which suits you) join everybody in prayer for our church ministries.



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