WELGOMETO SAINT MARKIS GHURGH

When the Word is proclaimed, it is real and active – the Lord is present, and what is described is, in a sense, happening now. On certain days this is made more obvious by the selection of scripture that refers to a particular time or day. Such a selection occurs this morning, when we go with Mary Magdalene to visit the tomb, only to make – with her – a momentous discovery: the tomb is empty, he is risen!

Regina Cæli

Sung after the final blessing on Sundays in Eastertide.

Joy to thee, O Queen of Heaven. Alleluia!

He whom Thou wast meet to bear. Alleluia!

As He promised hath arisen. Alleluia!

Pour for us to God thy prayer. Alleluia!

V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia.

R. For the Lord is risen indeed, alleluia.

Let us pray:

O God,

who through the resurrection of Thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ

didst vouchsafe to bring joy to the whole world: grant, we beseech thee,

that through His Mother, the Virgin Mary, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life.

Through the same Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

MESSY CHUKCH Sunday April 3rd,

4-6pm. Volunteers needed please!! - Also egg boxes for crafts.

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THIS WEEK'S SERVICES: The Octave of Easter, year c; weekday Mass readings Yr 2; Divine Office - Psalter Week 2.

Sun. 27th 10am EASTER SUNDAY WITH HOLY BAPTISM

Sun. 3rd April 2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER, YR C 10am

> MESSY CHURCH 4PM

TODAY'S HYMNS: HYMNS OLD & NEW

INTROIT: 196 Hail the day that sees him rise

GRADUAL: Bring, all ye dear-bought nations bring

OFFERTORY: We celebrate this festive day

COMMUNION: 11 Alleluia

RECESSIONAL 520 The day of resurrection!

MASS SETTING: Mass of St Bernadette—Mike Stanley