P.C.C. Accounts month ending 31st March 2021

	£		£
Balance carried forward	519.31	Vicar's expenses	100.00
March income	2,117.60	Electricity	116.56
Total	2,636.91	Gas	179.78
Expenditure	2,140.97	Konica Copier	81.34
Balance carried forward	<u>495.94</u>	Cathedral book shop	00.00
		Parish share	1,100.00
		Church Insurance	319.74
		Vicarage water rates	189.55
		Cathedral shop supplies	54.00
		Total	<u>2,140.97</u>

Midweek services

Wednesday 10.00am: Holy Communion. St. Anselm; page 1235.

Thursday noon: Funeral; Nancy Lawson.

Next Sunday - 25th April.

9.45am: Eucharist – "4th Sun of Easter".

Readings page 543: Acts 4:5-12; 1John 3:16-24. - J. Martin. Gospel: John 10:11-18. Sermon Vicar. Prayers – J. Martin.

<u>Prayers:</u> Christopher Browne; Ron Brewis; Mary Brewis; Yvonne Brown; Joan Swanson; Ivy Berriman; David Ramsay; Brian Gould; Rita Wilson; Pauline Gaun6; Garry Wolfe.

<u>Departed:</u> Nancy Lawson – funeral in church on Thursday 22nd April; Kenneth Walshaw; Prince Philip.

Annual Parochial Church Meeting: Sunday 25th April at 11.00am after morning service. To include election of two churchwardens and up to 12 PCC members; reception of electoral roll revision, annual accounts and reports. Could reports be passed to Joy Warren or the vicar asap.

St. Matthew's Newbottle

Sunday 18th April 2021 – "Third Sunday of Easter"

10.00am: Holy Communion – <u>FACE COVERINGS SHOULD</u>

Derek playing organ.

BE WORN UNLESS EXEMPT.

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

The Lord be with you **And also with you.**

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Hear what St. Paul says: "This saying is true and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners".

Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith firmly resolved to keep God's commandments and to live in love and peace with all:

Almighty God our heavenly Father, we have sinned against you and against our neighbour in thought and word and deed, through negligence, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault. We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us all that is past, and grant that we may serve you in newness of life to the glory of your name. Amen.

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.

For you alone are the holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect

Readings start on page 541.

N.T. reading: Acts 3:14-end. M. Adamson.

N.T. reading: 1 John 3:1-7.

CD hymn.

Gospel reading: Luke 24:36b-48.

Sermon – Vicar.

Nicene Creed.

We believe in one God, the Father, the almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten not made, of one being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, he became incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds for the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church. We acknowledge on baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. **Amen.**

Prayers – M. Lydiatt. CD hymn.

The Peace is said but not shared – The Table is Prepared.

Yours Lord, is the greatness, the power, the glory, the splendour, and the majesty; for everything in heaven and on earth is yours.

All things come from you and of your own do we give you.

The Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord is here

His Spirit is with us.

Lift up your hearts

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

It is right to give thanks and praise.

Holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Great is the mystery of faith:

Christ has died, Christ has risen, Christ will come again. Amen.

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever and ever.

Amen.

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ. Though we are many, we are one body because we all share in one bread.

Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us. Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us. Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us peace.

We do not presume to come to this your table, merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your manifold and great mercies.

We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs from under your table. But you are the same Lord whose nature is always to have mercy.

Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

Everyone remains seated as the vicar distributes the body of Christ.

Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Through him we offer you our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice. Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen.

Blessing

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia! In the name of Christ. Alleluia! Alleluia!