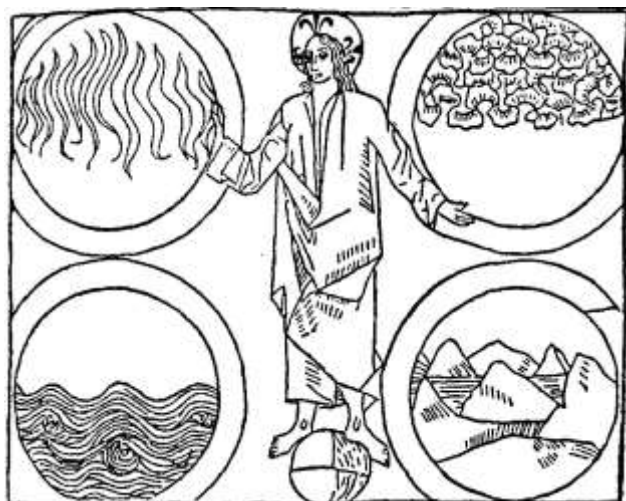


# The Christian Community

Movement for religious renewal



**Passiontide - Easter,**

**Ascension-Whitsun**

**and June**

**2020**

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## Hollywood

### ***Passiontide***

<b>Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> March</b>	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
	The Sunday Service for Children	11.30

### ***Holy Week***

<b>Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> April</b>	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
<i>Palm Sunday</i>	Talk and conversation: "Life in a godforsaken world"	11.15

Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> April	The Act of Consecration of Man	9.15
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Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> April	The Act of Consecration of Man	9.15
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Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> April	The Act of Consecration of Man	9.15
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Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> April	Evening Service	
<i>Good Friday</i>	"The Seven Words of the Cross"	20.00

### ***Easter***

<b>Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> April</b>	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
<i>Easter Sunday</i>	The Sunday Service for Children <i>and Easter Festival (bring your Easter grain)</i>	11.30

Monday 13 –Thursday 16 April:  
Confirmands retreat at Kinharvie House  
near Dumfries

<b>Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> April</b>	The Act of Consecration of Man	10.00
	Talk and conversation: "Christ as a gardener"	11.15

Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> April	Finance group	20.00
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Friday 1- Sunday 3 May Seminar on Steiner's philosophy of freedom  
with Jac Hielema(separate program to follow)

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May Fundraising at Hollywood May Day

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> May Talk by Rev Tom Ravetz:  
"Confirmation-strengthening the middle" 19.30

**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> May** **The Sacrament of Confirmation** for Kai Williams,  
Amhairghin Doran and Daniel Calvert 10.00

### ***Ascension***

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May The Act of Consecration of Man (in Glenraig)10.45

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> May** The Act of Consecration of Man 10.00  
The Sunday Service for Children 11.30

### ***June***

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> June Finance group 20.00

**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> June** The Act of Consecration of Man 10.00  
Congregational meeting 11.15

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June** The Act of Consecration of Man 10:00  
The Sunday Service for Children 11.30

## Confirmation lessons

Thursdays at 16.30 on 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> of April and then  
a meeting with Rev. Tom Ravetz on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> of May at 17.00.  
We will also go on a retreat from Monday 13<sup>th</sup> -Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> of April  
at Kinharvie House near Dumfries in Scotland where we will meet up  
with all this year's confirmands from England and Scotland.  
The Confirmation itself will be on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> may at 10.00.

## Glenraig

The Act of Consecration of Man will be celebrated on Thursdays at 9.15 but  
no service 26<sup>th</sup> March, 16<sup>th</sup> April and 11<sup>th</sup> June.  
On Ascension Day, 21<sup>st</sup> May and the following Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> May the  
service will be at 10.45.

Gospel Study in the Chapel, Tuesdays at 17.00, 7<sup>th</sup> April, 19<sup>th</sup> May  
and 23<sup>rd</sup> June.

## Mourne Grange

### ***Passiontide***

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March      The Act of Consecration of Man      10.15

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April      Talk: "Life in a godforsaken world"      16.15

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> April      The Act of Consecration of Man      10.15

### ***Holy Week***

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> April      The Act of Consecration of Man      10.15

### ***Easter***

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> April      The Act of Consecration of Man      10.15

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May      Talk: "Christ as a gardener "      16.15

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> May      The Act of Consecration of Man      10.15

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> May      The Act of Consecration of Man      10.15

### ***Ascension***

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May      Talk: "Animals and us"      16.15

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> May      The Act of Consecration of Man      10.15  
Support Group      11.30

### ***June***

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June      The Act of Consecration of Man      10.15

## Clanabogan

### ***Passiontide***

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March      The Act of Consecration of Man      10.30

Study group: The Act of Consecration  
as a path;" Incense and flame"      12.00

### ***Holy Week***

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> April      The Act of Consecration of Man      10.30

### ***Easter***

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> May      Talk: "Christ as a gardener"      17.30

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> May      The Act of Consecration of Man      10.30

Study group: The Act of Consecration  
as a path; " Body and blood"      12.00

### ***Whitsun***

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> May      Talk: "Animals and us"      17.30

Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> May      The Act of Consecration of Man      10.30  
Study group: The Act of Consecration  
as a path; "Confession and faith "      12.00

## Ballybay

### **Passiontide**

Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> March	Talk: "Life in a godforsaken world"	19.30
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> April	The Act of Consecration of Man	9.15

### **June**

Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	"Animals and us"	19.30
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	The Act of Consecration of Man	9.15

### Summer Camp

The Summer Camp for children age 7-14 will be from 18<sup>th</sup> July-28<sup>th</sup> July at Furners Green near Forest Row. Information and application forms through the website: [www.cc-camps.org](http://www.cc-camps.org)

### Youth Camp

There will be an international youth camp for 17- 24 yr. olds. This year it will be from 3<sup>rd</sup> -17<sup>th</sup> August in Estonia. Registration is open and you can find information and application forms on the website: [www.iycamp.com](http://www.iycamp.com)

### Times Away

Ben van Lieshout will be away from 23<sup>rd</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> March, from 13-16 April and from 8-13 June. The message on my answerphone will let you know who you can turn to if a priest is needed in an emergency during these times.

Please contact the priest on 02890 424254 if you wish to: have a conversation or a sacramental consultation, prepare for a wedding or a baptism, make arrangements for a funeral, become a member, learn to serve, or simply want to find out more about The Christian Community.

## **Gospel Readings**

Passion tide: March 15	Luke 11	14-36
March 22	John 6	1-15
March 29	John 8	1-12

Holy Week: April 5	Matthew 21	1-11
April 6	Mark 11	12-19
April 7	John 12	20-36
April 8	Mark 14	1-11
April 9	Luke 23	13-32
April 10	John 19	1-15
April 11	John 19	16-42

Easter: April 12	Mark 16	1-8
April 19	John 20	19-31
April 26	John 10	1-16
May 3	John 15	1-27
May 10	John 16	1-33
May 17	John 14	1-31

Ascension: May 21	John 16	24-33
May 24	John 16	24-33

Whitsun: May 31	John 14	23-31
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June: June 7	Romans 8	18-27
June 14	John 3	1-21
June 21	John 4	1-26