

# **Easter Resources during the Coronavirus**

Journeying together through Holy Week and Easter celebrations in 2020 were somewhat different to usual. A lot of material was available for churches, and we share some of it with you here.



### Palm Sunday - The Trader's Tale

Regional Minister Phil Jump shared this video for anyone to use on Palm Sunday - all copyrights are granted provided you are not making money out of it. This includes using it in your own livestreams etc. It was originally recorded for Radio Merseyside's Daybreak act of worship.

Click here to view the video (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HiJOTncEzCM)

# **Easter reflections from the Eastern Baptist Association**

The Eastern Baptist Association team developed some resources to use within virtual services over the Easter period.

#### Click here to access these resources

(https://www.easternbaptist.org.uk/news/easter-reflections)

### **Reflections for Holy Week**

As many churches were unable to offer regular gatherings during Holy Week, our North Western Baptist Association created these short reflections for use at home. They are based on the set lectionary readings from John's Gospel.

### **Click here for these reflections**

(http://www.faithspace.org.uk/19holyweekl.php)

# Working it Through

This series of readings for Holy Week was first published some years ago in booklet form, by the Industrial Christian Fellowship in partnership with the North Western Baptist Association. It is specifically designed for people who are at work during Holy Week and seeks to look at the events in the final week of Jesus' earthly life through the eyes of working people in the Gospel stories.

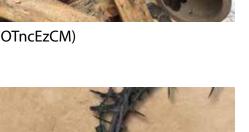
Download the booklet here (http://www.nwba.org.uk/downloads/holyweek.pdf)

# **Good Friday Reflection**

Baptist minister Linda Hopkins shared a Good Friday reflection with words, music and photography which she is happy for churches to use in their Good Friday services.

### View the video on YouTube

(https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=10II1gzyuu0) or download it (https://www.mediafire.com/file/o2gaop8b3l30fg3/Good Friday.mp4/file).













#### The Tomb

A video reflection for Holy Saturday from the North Western Baptist Association.

Click here to view the video (https://youtu.be/HJFyllet2u0)

#### An Easter Service to share

Our President, Ken Benjamin, has put together this short service to share. It is particularly suitable for churches which do not have the capacity to develop their own online service.

The service includes greetings from Lynn Green (General

Secretary), Hilary Taylor (Small Church Enabler for the London Baptist Association), a message from Ken and prayer led by Diane Watts (Faith and Society Interim Team Leader).

**Download this service to share** (please be aware that this video is 3Gb in size and will take a while to download)

Download the text of this order of service to share with those unable to access the video.

#### **Easter reflections in British Sign Language**

Baptist minister, Susan Myatt has recorded an Easter reflection in British Sign Language to provide churches support in offering worship to those who are profoundly deaf.

Click here for Susan's BSL reflections (https://www.baptist.org. uk/Articles/573257/Easter\_reflections\_in.aspx)

#### **Easter graphics**

We created some new graphics for to use in your publicity and Easter services, as appropriate. Download these from our Flickr album.



