Bible Readings for Sundays throughout Lent and Easter 22nd March Ephesians 5: 8-14 John 9:1-41 29th March Romans 8:6-11 John 11:1-45 **5th April – Palm Sunday** Philippians 2:5-11 Matt 21: 1-11 12th April Easter Sunday Acts 10:34-43 Matt 28: 1-10





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Prayers and Readings for those isolated due to Coronavirus

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## A Prayer for those affected by Coronavirus

God of healing and hope, in Jesus you meet us in our places of pain and fear.Look with mercy on those who have contracted the new virus, on any who are vulnerable, and on all who feel in danger.Through this time of global concern, by your Holy Spirit bring out the best not the worst in us.Make us more aware of our interdependence on each other, and of the strength that comes from being one body in you.Through Christ our wounded healer. Amen. (Rev'd Dr Sam Wells)

## Psalm 121

I lift up my eyes to the mountains where does my help come from? 2 My help comes from the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth.3 He will not let your foot slip he who watches over you will not slumber;

4 indeed, he who watches over Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.5 The Lord watches over you the Lord is your shade at your right hand; 6 the sun will not harm you by day, nor the moon by night.7 The Lord will keep you from all harm he will watch over your life; 8 the Lord will watch over your coming and going

coming and going both now and forevermore.

## My Lighthouse

I won't fear what tomorrow brings With each morning I'll rise and sing My God's love will lead me through You are the peace in my troubled sea You are the peace in my troubled sea My lighthouse, my lighthouse Shining in the darkness, I will follow You My lighthouse, my lighthouse I will trust the promise You will carry me safe to shore

## A PRAYER FOR HOSPITAL STAFF AND MEDICAL RESEARCHERS

Gracious God, give skill, sympathy and resilience to all who are caring for the sick, and your wisdom to those searching for a cure. Strengthen them with your Spirit, that through their work many will be restored to health; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.