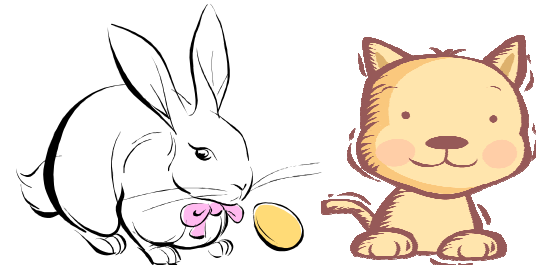


ST MARY'S CHURCH,
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PET SERVICE

WELCOME

HYMN

WE SAY SORRY FOR THE THINGS WE HAVE DONE WRONG

All: Almighty God, we are sorry for the things we have done wrong which have offended you, and for the unkind things we may have said that hurt our families and our friends. We are sorry for the times we have not paid enough attention to the creatures that you have entrusted to our care. Please forgive us and help us to change. Amen

WE ARE FORGIVEN

May the God of love forgive us for all these things, strengthen us by his Spirit and restore us in the image of his glory. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**All: Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed by 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 for ever and ever. Amen**

THE BIBLE READING

SHORT TALK

HYMN

PRAYERS

For all the animals that live in our homes and give us love and pleasure:

All: We thank you Lord

For all those animals that live on farms and provide us with food and clothing:

All: We thank you Lord.

For animals that live in the countryside – squirrels, rabbits, badgers and foxes:

All: We thank you Lord.

For animals that live in hot countries and in our zoos – elephants, lions, tigers and leopards:

All: We thank you Lord.

For animals that live in the seas – fish, seals, whales and penguins

All: We thank you Lord

For animals that fly in the air – birds, butterflies, bugs and beetles:

All: We thank you Lord.

For animals that crawl on the ground – snakes, frogs, slugs and snails:

All: We thank you Lord.

For all living creatures, large or small, furry or hairy, feathered or scaled, fierce or gentle, wild or tame:

All: We thank you Lord.

Amen

THE BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

HYMN

THE BLESSING OF THE PEOPLE