



Christ Church  
 Little Drayton  
 A Traditional Church  
 A Welcoming Church  
 A Caring Church



## Sunday 15th February The Third Sunday Special

FOR THE TIME BEING, PLEASE COULD YOU DROP ANY  
 FOODBANK DONATIONS INTO THE PARISH ROOMS  
 (TUESDAY AND FRIDAYS 9:30 AM—10:30 AM) OR  
 MORRISONS. THANK YOU. WE NEED:



Tinned fruit (NO STOCK), Tinned spaghetti (NO STOCK),  
 Jam (NO STOCK), Tins of ham/chicken/luncheon meat (NO  
 STOCK), Cartons of long life juice (LOW STOCK), UHT milk (Blue  
 Full Fat), Packets of instant mash, Sponge puddings/cake, Small  
 jars of coffee, Instant Noodles, Biscuits, Male/female deodorant  
 (LOW STOCK), Shower Gel, Shampoo, Toilet roll, Anti-bacterial  
 wipes/spray & bleach **\*\*THANK YOU!\*\***

**Margaret will be leading our service this morning.**

### Prayer for the week:

Almighty Father,  
 whose Son was revealed in majesty  
 before he suffered death upon the cross:  
 give us grace to perceive his glory,  
 that we may be strengthened to suffer with him  
 and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory;  
 who is alive and reigns with you,  
 in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
 one God, now and for ever.



### Amen

Lord let me share your work, open my eyes to the burdens  
 borne by others. Open my heart to the pain that cannot be  
 shared, to the fear that cannot be spoken, to all those that face  
 darkness alone. **Amen.**

### Readings:

A reading from the Book of Exodus 24:12-end  
 A reading from the Second Letter of Peter 1:16-end  
 A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew 17:1-9



### Hymns:

- 314 "Immortal, invisible"
- 419 "Lord the light of your love is shining"
- 162 "Father I place into Your Hands..."
- 371 "Jubilate, everybody"



Readings to use in the third week of February:

Day	Date	Reading	Psalm
Sunday	15	2 Corinthians 4:3-6	72
Monday	16	Galatians 1	44
Tuesday	17	Galatians 2:1-10	48
Ash Wednesday	18	1 Timothy 6:6-19	38
Thursday	19	Galatians 2:11-end	77
Friday	20	Galatians 3:1-14	51
Saturday	21	Galatians 3:15-22	68
Sunday	22	Luke 18:9-14	119.1-16

**Tea/coffee rotas for February:** 15th: Hayley and Ann, 22nd: Lil and Jan

If you know of anyone from our Church family, or a close family member or friend of your own who would like us to pray for them please contact Emma with details. Names will usually appear for a period of 6 weeks unless told otherwise.



**THE FIRST AID BOX IS LOCATED ON THE CUPBOARDS  
 AT THE BACK OF CHURCH**

Please pray for the recently departed: **Val Smith, Pamela Parker**

Please pray for the people of our parish: **Andrew Bailey, Gracie, Grace Roberts, Ann, Pat James, Wyn, John, Nadine Gawleta, Eric, Diane, Heather Winstone, Hazel Haskayne, Ann Broad, Chris Broad, Sian Rushton**

Please pray for members of our church family: **Margaret Taylor, James Thornbury, Anne Tomkinson, Val Vane**

Please pray for the life of our church: **The Third Sunday Special, Outreach & Fundraising team, our worship team, the pastoral team**

**Dates for your diary:**

**All members of Christ Church are invited to join us at the Homegroup for a 5-week Lent Bible Study** at the home of Mike and Dorothy Watkin at 27 Goosefield Close. Start time 7pm. We will be following the Lectionary scriptures for Lent. **Dates:** Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> February to Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March. If anyone would like to lead a session please contact Carol Preston on 07756 753515.



**Community Wellness Fair, Wednesday 18th March 10am–2pm, Festival Drayton Centre.** If you can help Sian on the church stall in one hour slots at the fair, please put your name on the sign-up sheet at the back of church. Many thanks.

**If you would like to contribute towards the Easter flowers this year, please let Joan know. Many thanks.**



**Support for 'Open the Book' in Schools.** Carol Preston, in her new role as the Children and Families Worker at St Mary's, is asking for people to support her taking 'Open the Book' into the local schools. 'Open the Book' is about putting the Bible in a fun drama form and taking it into the schools. There are two ways of helping. (1) Being part of the 'Open the Book' Team to go in with her into the local schools and (2) Help make resources for outfits for the characters/stage props. This is a very important ministry as it is sharing God's Word to the next generation. If you can offer any help/support in anyway please contact Carol on her work email (families@stmarysmarketdrayton.org.uk) Phone number 07878 926853. Thank you.

**WE WOULD LIKE TO LET YOU KNOW THAT WE NOW HAVE A NEW BANK ACCOUNT, AND THE DETAILS ARE:**

**Bank: Lloyds Bank Plc. Account name: Christ Church Little Drayton, Sort code: 30-54-66, Account number: 69869360**

**UPCOMING SERVICES and EVENTS:**

**Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> February 09:45 am:** Third Sunday Special non-Eucharistic service led by Margaret



**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> February 10:00 am:** BCP Holy Communion (said Eucharist) led by Revd. David Smith  
**11:00 am:** Outreach and Fundraising meeting



**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> February 7:30 pm:** Ash Wednesday Service led by Revd. David Smith

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> February 12:00 pm–3:00 pm:** Film Club will be showing *Sister Act 2*, plus light lunch, chat and attendee raffle. It's all FREE and EVERYONE IS WELCOME!



**6:00 pm:** Slimming World meeting in church

**Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 09:45 am:** Parish Eucharist led by Revd. David Smith



**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 7:00 pm:** Meeting in church with Archdeacon Nick Watson followed by PCC meeting

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> February 10:00 am:** BCP Holy Communion (said Eucharist) led by Revd. David Smith followed by Prayers for the Future  
CCTV Install after service



**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> February 11:00 am:** Knit and Natter  
**6:00 pm:** Slimming World meeting in church  
**7:00 pm:** Lent Group at 27 Goosefield Close



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