



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

Sunday 19th February All-Age Service



MESSAGE FROM THE FOODBANK:

IF YOU ARE ABLE TO DONATE, WE NEED THE FOLLOWING IN ORDER OF URGENCY PLEASE...

**CARTONS OF LONG LIFE FRUIT JUICE
 SIZE 6 NAPPIES AND PULL-UPS
 JAM
 SACHETS OF MASHED POTATO
 UHT MILK**



Monthly Bible verse:

Dear friends, since God so loved us, we also ought to love one another. (*1 John 4: 11*)



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.

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:

736 When I needed a neighbour
108 Colours of day
887 Thank you Lord
My God is a great big God



Readings to use in the third week of February:

Day	Date	Reading	Psalm
Sunday	19	2 Corinthians 4:3-6	72
Monday	20	John 3:1-21	71
Tuesday	21	John 3:22-end	73
Ash Wednesday	22	1 Timothy 6:6-19	38
Thursday	23	John 4:1-26	77
Friday	24	John 4:27-42	3
Saturday	25	John 4:43-end	76
Sunday	26	Luke 18:9-14	119.1-16

We are looking for one more person to go on the rota as sidesperson. If you would like to volunteer, please let Rev. Jane know. Thank you.

Little Footprints Support Group is held on the first Tuesday of every month 7:30—8:30 pm for parents who have experienced still-birth, neonatal death or death in infancy, recently or in the past. It is run by bereaved parents in collaboration with the Methodist Church at The Zone, Linden Way, Market Drayton, TF9 1QT. Come for tea and a chat. Free admission.

Tea / coffee rotas for February: 19th February: Jan and TBA, 26th February: Ann and Lil. **If you would like to go on the tea / coffee rota, or to help out at baptisms, please let Emma know. Thank you.**

The March rotas are at the back of church for those without email.

Please pray for the people of our parish: **Andrew Bailey, Pat Bullen, Jodie, Gracie, Robert and Family, Bill Hughes, Judy Treadgold, Grace Roberts, Ann, Ray, Will and Pat James, Margy Taylor, Wyn, Tony, John, Nadine Gawleta, Jill Jones, Freda Millington, Eric, Rose, Jane, Diane, Charlotte**

Please pray for members of our church family: **Pat Whitfield, Colin Whitfield, Joy Whyte, Keith Williamson**

Please pray for the life of our church: **the staff and pupils of Buntingsdale Primary and Market Drayton Junior schools, and all young people in Market Drayton, Stoke Heath Prison, the Healing service, Film Club**

Would you like a call from the Pastoral Team? If so, please contact Margaret or Emma in the first instance.

Would you like to be a volunteer for Mencap helping out at the weekly social club for those with a learning disability aged 18+? If you are interested, please contact Sheila Lomas (01630 654389) or Chris Flegg (07508 552 730). Meetings are Saturdays 2—4 pm, and a sense of fun and caring attitude are the only qualifications you need.



The piano previously used by the music teachers at MENCAP is now free to a good home. If you are interested, please contact either of our co-leaders, Sheila Lomas 01630-654389 or Chris Flegg 07508552730.

The latest list of youth prayer requests is at the back of church. The next youth prayer meeting is on Friday 10th March 9 am to 10 am at the Festival Drayton Centre.

All table top space has been allocated for the fundraising event on 1st April at the Beacon Centre, but we do need offers of help in all sorts of ways - volunteering on the day, coming along to support. Let us know if you can help, and please keep a look out for reminders of the date. Margaret (07947 332627)

UPCOMING SERVICES and EVENTS:

Sunday 19th February 09:45 am: All-Age Service
6:30 pm: Healing Service



Monday 20th February 1:30 pm: Film Club will be showing 'The Jewel of the Nile.' Free entry, coffee, cake and raffle



Tuesday 21st February 10:00 am: Holy Communion (said Eucharist)



Wednesday 22nd February 7:30 pm: Service of Eucharist with Ashes for Ash Wednesday



Saturday 25th February 2:00 pm: the wedding of Michaela Newman and Lance Butters will take place in church



Sunday 26th February 09:45 am: Parish Eucharist
2:00 pm: Baptism



Tuesday 28th February 10:00 am: Holy Communion (said Eucharist)



Wednesday 1st March 10.30 am: there will be a weekly course in church running throughout Lent. Please sign up at the back if you are interested in attending



Sunday 5th March 09:45 am: Parish Eucharist
6:30 pm: Evening prayer



Tuesday 7th March 10:00 am: Holy Communion (said Eucharist)



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