**Dates for your diary;**

Wed 18th Oct – Funeral of Kathleen Derry at 2.15pm in church

Fri 20th Oct – Wedding of Lucy Spendlove and Gareth Morgan.

Sat 21st Oct – Area 1st Aid course 10am to 1pm, in the Elkes Room.

Fri 27th Oct – Stramshall Quiz, 7.30pm in the village hall, tickets £3 on the door.

Sat 28th Oct – Sewing Group Sale of Work and coffee morning, 10-12noon, in the Elkes Room.

**Our regular weekly activities include;**

**Sunday**;

8am Said Holy Communion (BCP)

9.30am Family Holy Communion with Sunday School, followed by chat and refreshments

3pm Evening Prayer at The Heath Church (Communion 2nd Sun)

6pm Evening Service of Prayer and Praise (Communion 3rd Sun)

**Monday** - 8.30am **Morning Prayer.**

0am to 12noon **Coffee and Chat** 1in the Elkes Room. Come along on your own, or feel free to bring a friend.

**Tuesday** – from 9am to 11.30am **St Mary’s Toddler Group** for pre-schoolers & their carers.

**Wednesday** - 10am to 1pm **CofE CafE** for drinks, snacks and light lunches. Look out for “weekly specials”! Proceeds to church and charity.

10.30am – **Mid-week Holy Communion**

**Thursday** – 7.30pm Uttoxeter W.I.

**Friday** - 8.30am **Morning Prayer**

**Saturday** - 9.00am **Morning Prayer**

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**and the Heath Mission Church**

part of the Uttoxeter Area of Parishes

**Newsletter for the week beginning**

**Sunday 15th October, 2017**

If you are a visitor, we hope you find God’s love throughout your time here.

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“**SCIENCE & FAITH**

The Ethics of Genetic Modification” An evening led by Siobhan Hunt, to listen, talk and discuss the issues. In church.

**Wednesday October 18th 7.30pm**. Cheese, wine, tea and coffee. All welcome!



WANTED URGENTLY! Three more Foundation Governors for St Mary’s School. Keen to influence our school’s future? Interested? Ask Lucy, Charles, Lesley, Mary D and Margaret.

**Pray** for the families of Emilia, Violet, Alisha, Katelyn and Sam who are all being baptised into our Christian family today, and Gareth Morgan and Lucy Spendlove who will marry each other next Friday.

Please continue to pray this week for Betty, Arnold and Joyce.

Remember the families and friends of those who have died, especially Alexis Jackson, Ruby Gaskin, Wyn Bowyer, Phyllis Wilmot, Kathleen Derry, Barbara Caswell, Rosemary Abbey and Arthur Probert.

**Giving in Grace**

Don’t forget the red tray at the back of church for our response envelopes. We will be giving thanks for our gifts on Bible Sunday, October 29th.

**Christian Charity Boxes**

Please bring in your USPG, Children’s Society etc boxes for emptying a.s.a.p.

**“Old” pound coins** may not be accepted in shops after today, 15th October.

