

Prayers for the week

Collect for Sixth Sunday of Easter

Risen Christ

by the lakeside you renewed your call to your disciples:
help your church to obey your command
and draw the nations to the fire of your love,
to the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Baptisms: Poppy Keates and Ellie Darnell

Banns of Marriage: Jamie Shaw and Rebecca Vernon; Benjamin Coulson and Rebecca Ezard; Steve Wright and Anna Reaney

Special prayers for individuals and families: Rose Foulner, Alexis Jackson (and her family) David Harper, Nicholas Brittlebank, Harriet Platt, Kerry & Jessica VerLander, Patricia (Annie) Ozer, Tim Grey, Sheila Warrilow, Betty Harrison, Mrs Isaacman, Iain, Louise Roberts, Michael Hayes, baby Leah and Ruby Gaskin

The families of those who have recently died including: Kathleen Hall, Arthur Thorley, Sidney Locker, Janet Leech, Pauline Copeland, Sidney Chatfield

Area Prayer focus: for the parish of Gratwich; for the young people preparing for Confirmation.

Particular local, national, international concerns: For the preparations for the General Election and the candidates; for the 'Thy Kingdom Come time of prayer; for peace, compassion and justice throughout the world; for those in despair and darkness, that they may find the hope and light of the Risen Lord.

Thought for the Week:-

' If you love me keep my commandments.'

John 14

MEMO Own Notes

Services next Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
9.30am Holy Communion (CW)
11.15am In formal Worship
3.00pm Evening Prayer - Heath Mission Church

Newsletter Contributions

News and notices welcome - your event will not appear unless you tell us! Send to office@uttoxeterarea.org or leave in a labelled envelope in the Parish Office by **Wednesday**. Please notify Rev Charles Dale of any changes to prayer requests or new requests.

Please take this leaflet to use as a focus for prayer during the week

A warm welcome to St. Mary's Uttoxeter and the Heath Mission Church

part of the Uttoxeter Area of Parishes

Newsletter for the week beginning
Sunday 21st May, 2017

Worship this Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion (said service, Book of Common Prayer)
9.30am Holy Communion (Common Worship with Sunday School)
11.15am - Folk Communion followed by fellowship at Wetherspoon's
3.00pm Baptism
1.00pm Baptism at the Heath Mission Church
3.00pm Evening Prayer at the Heath Mission Church

Contact details

Parish Office - 01889 562915; uttoxeterareaparish@outlook.com

Area Rector - Revd. Margaret Sherwin 01889 560234

Ordained Local Ministers - Rev'd Charles Dale 01889 500428
Rev'd Chris Brown 01889 567492

Office Hour: including bookings for baptisms and weddings -
Saturdays, 10.00 -11.00am, Parish Office in the main Church.

Pastoral Support - Please call or email the Parish Office or one of the clergy.

Website: uttoxetercofe.org



Our Area is part of the Diocese of Lichfield

Website: www.lichfield.anglican.org

Spotlight - bimonthly magazine available at the back of Church



Dates for this week:-

Monday:

7.00pm SME Elkes Room

Tuesday:

11.30am Funeral - Janet Leech (URC)

Wednesday:

7.30pm Deanery Synod at Upper Tean

Thursday:

11.15am Funeral- Pauline Copeland (URC)

7.30pm AREA ASCENSION DAY SERVICE - Gratwich

POWER of PRAYER

Morning Prayer - HERE

Monday, Friday - 8.30am;
Saturday - 9.00am;



Wednesday Holy Communion

Every Wednesday 10.30am
(Common Worship) - why not come along and then call in at the CofE Cafe?



Housegroups

Meeting regularly for fellowship, bible study and prayer. Monday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings or Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. Contact Mo Trudel for details on 01889 565377 or 07971 966160.



Coffee and Chat - Elkes Room

Feeling lonely and need a cuppa and a chat? Then come along on **Monday** morning, 10.00-12.00. Feel free to bring a friend or come on your own and make new ones!

CofE Café

Every Wednesday, 10 -1 for coffee, snacks and light lunches. Look out for the weekly specials. Proceeds to Church and charity.



Christians Against Poverty is a home-grown debt counselling charity helping to reduce poverty caused by debt. It is for everyone who needs guidance in setting personal budgets and debt proofing for the longer term. **The next course is on Tuesday 6th, 13th & 20th June at 6pm. They are to be held in the Uttoxeter Fire Station Community room.**



A course on personal evangelism

We need at least 12 people for the course to run, so please reply ASAP, to Rev. Joe Cant, on 07952 798649 or joecant214@gmail.com

Dates: MONDAYS June 5th, 12th, 19th 26th and July 3rd and 10th
Time: 7-9pm

Location: St. Michael's church, Rother

Fairtrade refreshment items

Please contact Diane Brown (tel. 567492) for supplies.

Notices

Area Ascension Day Service
25th May, 7.30pm

at

St. Mary, the Virgin Church, GRATWICH
Come and join us to celebrate the 11 days of praying



THY KINGDOM COME



At Checkley Community Hall
Sunday 11th June
At 3.30pm

A service of Thanks and Praise.
Songs of Praise for all the churches.

Remember...if you've got some news or event you want advertising or would like to share a celebration with the church...birthdays... anniversaries etc... please do let us know...this is your Newsletter

St. Peter's Marchington are holding a Valuation Day on 3rd June 10-12 with Charles Hanson Valuations £1.50 per item. Please join them....

Dates for your Diary

- 24th May, 7.30pm Deanery Synod at Upper Tean
- 25th May, 7.30pm Area Ascension Day service at Gratwich
- 1st June, 7.30pm - Area Warden's meeting, Elkes Room
- 11th June, 3.00pm - Area Service at Checkley with Songs of Praise
- 13th June, 7.30pm Licensing of Revd. John Jukes at Marchington, St. Peter
- 13th June, 7.30pm 'Chuffers in Church'