



A warm welcome to the Uttoxeter Area of Parishes  
**St. Mary's Uttoxeter & The Heath Mission Church**

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**Newsletter for the week beginning Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> April 2019**

*Whether you worship here often or not, we hope you find God's love throughout your time with us.*

**What's on.....**(in St Mary's unless otherwise stated).

**Please note that Monday's weekly Lent Studies have been cancelled**-apologies.

**Mondays at 7pm till late November– St Mary's Entertainers** – Panto rehearsals in the Elkes Room.

**Tues 9<sup>th</sup> April 6.30-7.15pm - Prayer for St Mary's**-Lift up your prayers for our church, the clergy, Area Team, its volunteers and the PCC.

**Wed 10<sup>th</sup> April 7pm - Uttoxeter APCM**

**Thu 11<sup>th</sup> April - St. Mary's School Service**

**Notices**

**The Bishop's Lent Appeal 2019**- focuses on supporting charities which help those suffering from trauma and mental health more widely. Please pray for the work happening around these issues within the Diocese.

**Lent Lunches Fridays 12 Noon -1.30pm at URC Carter St. 12<sup>th</sup> April** Soup, bread, cheese, tea or coffee for £2.50  
– All profits to WaterAid

**Confirmation in October 2019** – interested? Speak to Rev. Chris Brown or Rev. Charles Dale.

**St Mary's First School** - A vacancy still exists for a Foundation Governor to support the Christian ethos.

**Please pray for the Diocese, the Area and for our Community.....**

For regular church activities and those who need Gods healing including Rector Rev. Margaret and her family at this difficult time and those who are ill including Kate Brown. For the recently bereaved families and friends of Mark Deakin, Marjorie Wilson, Dennis Millar, Mick Waterfall, Iris Johnson, Brian Harris and John Walter Gordon.

**Monthly Rota's** – Please contact Ross on below email with monthly rota details for next month.

**Charity -Used stamps** (with border) please, for research into Multiple Sclerosis – collected at back of church.

**St Mary's First School – Kenyan link** – looking for t-shirts, football shirts, shorts, tracksuit bottoms, shoes and trainers, which need to be in good condition, and for pencils, deflated footballs, and packets of balloons.

**Wanted! - New Members to Join The Church's Heavy Metal Band...**

As you might expect, no musical experience is required-just a willingness to make a loud noise and to climb the stairs to the ringing room! To find out more please contact Chris Wilde on 01889 568728/07444 696682, email [brybn@hotmail.com](mailto:brybn@hotmail.com) or speak to Ross in the Parish Office.

Our regular weekly activities include;

**Sundays:** 8am **Said Holy Communion** (BCP); 9.30am **Family Holy Communion with Sunday School**, 3pm **Evening Prayer at The Heath Church** (Communion 2nd Sunday); 6pm **Evening Service of Prayer and Praise** (Communion 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday).

**Morning Prayer; Monday** 8.30am, **Friday** 8.30am, **Saturday** 9.00am

**Tuesday (term-time)** – 9am to 11.30am **St Mary's Toddler Group**. ***General help still required please!***

**Wednesday** - 10.30am **Mid-week Holy Communion**; 10am to 1pm **CofE CafE**.

**Thursday** – 9.30am-12.00pm. **A Place of Welcome**; Open Church for prayerful peace, or a chat (**term-time**)  
7pm bell-ringing practice. **1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of every month** – 7.30pm Uttoxeter W.I.

**Home Groups**. On Mondays at 2pm & 7.30pm, Tuesdays at 2.30pm, Thursdays at 7.30pm, meeting fortnightly.

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