

DON'T FORGET YOUR STAMPS!

PLEASE BRING IN YOUR USED STAMPS (with a paper border) & FUND-RAISE FOR **VITAL RESEARCH INTO MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS.** Drop them in the mini-bucket at the back of church. Old ink cartridges [especially HP] are also of value.

Our regular weekly activities include;

Sunday;

8am Said Holy Communion (BCP)

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

10.30am (1st Sunday only) Family Service at The Heath Church, all ages welcome.

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.

Tuesday - from 9am to 11.30am St Mary's Toddler Group for pre-schoolers & their carers. Termtime.

Wednesday - 10.30am - Mid-week Holy Communion 10am to 1pm CofE CafE for drinks, snacks and light lunches. Look out for "weekly specials"! Proceeds to church and charity.

Thursday - 7pm bell-ringing practice.

7.30pm "Living Faith" deanery course, term-time until August.

1st Thursday of every month- 7.30pm Uttoxeter W.I. Friday - 8.30am Morning Prayer Saturday - 9.00am Morning Prayer

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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 8th April 2018 2nd SUNDAY of EASTER

Alleluia Christ is Risen. He is risen in deed. Alleluia!

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

www.uttoxetercofe.org Large print reading sheet is available too.

This Week's Diary:

Mon 9th April 11am Deanery <mark>Chapter</mark> at St Marys, Uttoxeter

Thurs 12th April 7.30pm AMT

NB APCM is on Wednesday 18th April 7pm in Elkes Room.

Moving In and Moving On;

Lucinda Wray-Wear will join the Uttoxeter Area of Parishes, as non-stipendiary curate, on Sunday 1st July 2018. Her Ordination as Deacon will take place on Saturday 30th June 6pm in Lichfield Cathedral.

Rev Sharon Lord will be moving to the Lowestoft area in the early summer to begin a new post there, following her short placement with us.

Mary Frost, Office Manager at St Mary's School for a very long time, retired this week very quietly as was her request. If you'd like to give to a retirement collection for her, please leave donations/cards in the church office.

Advance Notice. There will be an area BBQ at The Rectory on Sunday 15th July from 12noon. All are welcome incl. family, friends and neighbours.

Prayers please.

This week we are asked to pray for the church family of Christ Church, upper Tean. **Thank God** for everyone who helps keep the church alive in Tean, and for their delightfully effective new heating system. **Pray for** their new knitting outreach project, and for the ecumenical Open the Book outreach to Greatwood School, and possibly St. Thomas' too.

Please do continue to pray this week for these members of our church family - Betty, Sheila, David and Barbara. Remember the families and friends of those who have died recently, especially Roy Keyte; Gillian Meadows; Gordon Chatfield; Gladys Smith.