

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

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 20th May 2018 Pentecost

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.

Our new church wardens are Jackie Bond and Graeme Jones! Both have been regular worshippers and active members of our church family for some time. Please thank God for them and for their families. And pray for them as they learn about the role, especially as they are both working in paid employment too. How can you offer to help?

THIS WEEK'S DIARY:

End of Christian Aid Week.

Sunday 20th May 11am East Staffordshire Borough Council Civic Service for Mayor Chris Smith Mon 21st 10am Staff Mtg at Woodlands Church Tues 22nd 10.30am Pastoral Care Team Meeting. Wed 23rd 9.30am Uttoxeter Networking Forum (Heath Community Centre)

11.45 am **Dementia Friends** in church – training for anyone who wants to know more. All welcome.

2.30pm Funeral of Bill Crutchley.

7.30pm Deanery Synod at Ellastone.

Thurs 24th 9.35am St Mary's 1st School Church Service, always uplifting, all welcome.

Fri 25th 11am to 1.30pm Dementia Action Week Showcase, for services and users, in Church. Sat 26th 10am to 12.15pm Frontline Discipleship with Rev George Fisher "Leading Worship" - for those who plan, prepare, lead, or wonder if...... 2pm - 4pm Woodlands Summer Fair in village hall. Chris Rowlands - needs any empty oval-shaped ice cream tubs (like the Carte d'Or ones) for knitting

crib sets for Burton Maternity Unit, please.

Prayers please.

Thank God for the continuing commitment given by PCC members at **St Mary's, Gratwich**, for the encouraging signs with Messy Church and for progress towards reordering the interior of the building.

Please pray for people's health issues, and an awareness of the Holy Spirit in action locally.

Remember the families and friends of those who have died recently, Iris Wallace; James Brough; Bill Crutchley