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**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 (1<sup>st</sup> 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.**

10am to 12noon **Coffee and Chat** in the Elkes Room.  
Come along on your own, feel free to bring a friend.

**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.**

**1<sup>st</sup> 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 25<sup>th</sup> March 2018**  
**PALM SUNDAY**

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

[www.uttoxetercofe.org](http://www.uttoxetercofe.org)

**Large print reading sheet is  
available too.**

**THIS WEEK'S DIARY:**

Mon 26<sup>th</sup> March - Friday 30<sup>th</sup> March.

7.30am **Daily Meditation for Holy Week**, breakfast after.

Mon 26<sup>th</sup> March 10am Tynsel Parkes School Service

Tues 27<sup>th</sup> March - 12.30pm **Lent Study** with soup  
lunch (Elkes Room).

Wed 28<sup>th</sup> March 12.45pm **Funeral** of Roy Keyte  
2.15pm Windsor Park School HC

Thurs 29<sup>th</sup> March 9.35am St Marys School Service

10.30am Chrism Eucharist Lichfield Cathedral

11am Open Day with refreshments at Uttoxeter Cares,  
Holly Road.

7pm **Maundy Thursday Service** in church

**Good Friday** 10.30am Uttoxeter Walk of Witness

12noon-2pm Ecumenical Service of Reflection at URC  
church on Carter St.

**Easter Day** 6.40am Sunrise service (Market Place)

**EASTER LILLIES** Names & donations to Nola or  
Frances by Palm Sunday. Thank you.

**COFFEE & CHAT** It has been decided that this will  
finish on Mon 26<sup>th</sup> March. Thank you to Cynthia  
Whitmore for her hard work and dedication in running  
this.

**CURATE.** We can announce that Lucinda Wray-Wear will  
join the Uttoxeter Area of Parishes, as non-stipendiary  
curate, on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2018. Her Ordination as Deacon  
will take place on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> June 6pm in Lichfield  
Cathedral.

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

**Prayers please.**

This week we are asked to pray for the Church of St John,  
Marchington Woodland. **Thank God** for all the presence of young  
members who helped at festive services. For comfortable, more  
warmer seats within the church. **Pray** for those who live alone in the  
area, keeping them safe, knowing they have God's love around them  
always. Prepare us for Easter, with warmth and lighter days.

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 Tim Grey; Roy Keyte; Frank Slater; Mary Arrowsmith;  
Gillian Meadows; Gordon Chatfield