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**DON'T FORGET YOUR STAMPS!**

PLEASE BRING IN YOUR USED STAMPS & FUND-RAISE FOR VITAL RESEARCH INTO MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS. Drop them in the mini-bucket at the back of church, or at the office. (Old printer ink cartridges are also of value, please)

**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. Term-time.

**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 4<sup>th</sup> March 2018**

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.**

**Reports for the Annual Report to Dianne H please -** Men's Breakfast, Home Groups, Hospitality, Sewing, Chuffers in Church, Pastoral Care, Toddlers, Sunday School, School Links inc Governors, SME, and more.....

**THIS WEEK'S DIARY:**

Tues 6<sup>th</sup> March - 12.30pm **Lent Study** with soup lunch (Elkes Room)

Fri 9<sup>th</sup> March -7pm **Quiz Night** £5 per person incl. hot meal & pudding (see notice below).

Sunday **11<sup>th</sup> March - Mothering Sunday** 9.30am Family Communion

**LENT LUNCHES URC CARTER STREET**

March 9<sup>th</sup>, 16 & 23<sup>rd</sup>. 12noon -1.30pm £2.50 -soup, roll, tea/coffee.

**LENT GROUPS** please see separate sheet at the back of church. There are a number of groups around Uttoxeter and Area, at different times & dates.

**QUIZ NIGHT** Fri 9<sup>th</sup> March @ 7pm. Elkes Room. Teams of up to 4. £5 person incl. hot meal & pudd. BYO drinks and glasses.

Tickets from Cynthia Whitmore, Jonathan Marvin & Frances Hodgson.

**Prayers please.**

This week we are asked to pray for the Church of St John the Baptist, Kingstone. **Thank God for** the good attendance at the Christmas services. We **pray for** the Lent Groups and lunches; for the planning and action for our Mission Action Plan and that more people become involved and committed to faith and the church.

Please do continue to pray this week for these members of our church family - Betty, Tim, Sheila, David and Barbara. Remember the families and friends of those who have died recently, especially Sheila Shaw, Judith Alderman, Barry Wetwood.