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1st April, 2018, EASTER DAY

Early on the first day of the week while it was still dark Mary Magdalene went to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the entrance.

John Chapter 20, Verse 1

Welcome to our church.

As we meet together to praise and worship God, we ask that He will bless us. If you are new to our church, please introduce yourself so that we may get to know you.

Please join us for tea or coffee in the back room after this morning's service. In preparation for this morning's service there will be a quiet time and then the organist will play a worship song in which we hope you will share.

Our worship today will be led by:

10.30 am Rev G. Claydon-Knights - H.C./ A.A.W.

10.30 am No S.Club

6.00 pm Bob Heley

Next week our worship will be led by:

10.30 am Local Arrangement

6.00 pm Rev G. Claydon-Knights - H.C.

Please remember in your prayers: the preachers taking our services today, Our Minister Rev. Graham Claydon-Knights and Local Preachers from Flitwick who are leading worship -

This Week Janet Watts

Next Week Ebo Ofori-Quaah

Weekly Activities

Monday

7.30 pm Wesley Guild - No Meeting

Wednesday.

8.00 pm Wednesday Bible Study Group – 5 Beaumont Road

Thursday

9.15 am Baby Comes Too – Term time only

10.00 am Prayer Fellowship - Next meeting to be advised

6.15 pm Boys Brigade Anchor Boys -- Term time only

6.30 pm Boys Brigade Junior Section -- Term time only

7.00 pm Boys Brigade Company Section – Term time only

Monthly Activities

Knitting & Sewing Group - we meet on the first Tuesday of each month at 108 Station Road from 9.30-1130. We knit and sew items to contribute to the shoe boxes we fill for Operation Christmas Child.

Ladies' Breakfast - Saturday, 14th April - 8.30 am

Speaker: Sandra Goodwin - MWIB

Contact: Angie Woodcraft – 07906 509950

Messy Church - Monday, 30th April, - 3.30 pm

All families are welcome, but please let Graham know if you are coming for catering purposes.

Men's Breakfast - 28th April - 8.00-8.15 am for a prompt 8.30 am start

Speaker - Richard Luscombe - The Church and Mental Health.

Contact - Lance Mason- - 01234 742463

Prayers

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick, undergoing treatment, or generally in need of prayer at this time.

If you wish someone to be named in prayer at the Thursday Prayer Group please contact Margaret Fletcher – telephone 713243

Prayer Requests for Sundays – please contact Janet Watts - 717492

Don't forget the Prayer Notice Board at the back of the Church. Please use the slips of paper provided and place your prayer requests on the board.

Special Dates for Members of Our Church Family in April

April Birthdays

Kwesi Ofori-Quaah

Richard Luscombe

Amy Kay

Ben Peet

Rachel King

Alun King

Iris Leyton

David Hallworth

Margaret Olney

Beryl Gooper

Jim Mallams

Robert Baker

**Greetings to all those with birthdays and
anniversaries this month
May God be with you on your special day**

CONNIE KILPIN

Those of you who remember Connie Kilpin will be saddened to hear of her passing on the 23rd March. She attended the Sunday School in the 1920/30s and many years ago she used to come to Luncheon Club. Our prayers and thoughts are with her family.

Flitwick Wesley Guild

Just to remind you and any of your friends that this meeting on a Monday evening is open to absolutely anyone. We meet at 7.30 in the back room. You don't have to come every week and you just turn up. Our last sessions for the rest of the season are as follows:

9th April - a talk on the subject of Yarlswood - our local immigration removal centre

19th April - Planning meeting for the season September 2018 - April 2019. New ideas would be very welcome especially from new members

Morning Service - 8th April

Next Sunday is a local worship service so we need contributions from you.

We will still be celebrating Easter so if you have anything with an Easter theme you can contribute please let me know - TODAY. Janet Watts.

COMING SOON

Starting in May - Wednesday Tea and Chat Drop in sessions from 2.30 - 4.30

Saturday fundraising coffee mornings 10.00 - 12.00 on May 5th, June 2nd, and July 14th.

Are you able to join a rota to help with these activities? We are looking for a good number of people to share the load. Please speak to John Washington or Maryan Pateman.

CHURCH AGM

The Church Annual General Meeting will take place on Monday, 23rd April at 7.45 pm. This meeting is open to all members on the Pastoral Roll and will include the election of church officers, including our Church Stewards. All nominations for these posts should be given to Rev Graham Claydon-Kinghts by Monday, 16th April at the latest. We are very sort of Church Stewards (only Maryan Pateman and Ebo Ofori-Quaah at present) so any nominations or volunteers would be gratefully received.

Any organisation wishing to submit a report for circulation with the AGM information pack, which is circulated to all church families, is reminded that these should be with David Blair by Tuesday, 3rd April.

**IF YOU HAVE ANY ITEMS FOR NEXT WEEK'S NOTICES PLEASE
CONTACT BERYL COOPER Telephone 635693 or email
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NOT LATER THAN THURSDAY NOON**