

Prayer & Worship

10th February 2019

4 BEFORE LENT

Name Badge Sunday TODAY: when you arrive you will be given a sticky label on which to write your name.

Theme: Bible Society Bible Course



Topic: Creation and Covenant

Readings: Genesis 1: 26-27, 11: 1-9
Luke 5: 1-11

Collect: Lord of the hosts of heaven,
our salvation and our strength,
without you we are lost:
guard us from all that harms or hurts
and raise us when we fall;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

8.00am Early Communion

9.15am Choral Communion

Anthem: 'O worship the Lord' by Shephard
Voluntary: 'Postlude in D' by Healey Willan

Refreshments are served between the services – please do join us



11.00am Life & Soul Informal Service

12.30pm Baptism of Fleur – STC

4.45pm Bible Course – STH

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FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Church: The Anglican Church of Canada and Archbishop Frederick Hiltz. Revd Jo Mulliner being made Rector of St.Saviour's Scottish Episcopal Church, Bridge of Allan next Saturday.

Our Parish: Those who live and work in Bitterne Way, Brackens Way, Bramble Walk, Bramley Close. Prayer Ministry and Healing (organiser Rosemary Marcuse).

Sick: Peggy Williamson and all who are unwell.

Departed: Richard Smith, Roland Stott.

Year's Mind: Those who died at this time last year
Douglas Baverstock, Derric Harvey, Margaret Sharp.

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Monday 11th February

12.30pm Monday Lunch Club – STH
2.30pm Julian Meeting – The Vicarage

Tuesday 12th February

10.00am Toddler Group – STH
10.00am Funeral of Richard Smith – STC
6.00pm Meet the Vicar (by appointment) – STC

Wednesday 13th February

10.00am Poetry Corner – STH
10.15am Vistas Café including soup and sandwich lunch till 1.00pm – STH
11.00am Holy Communion with sermon on this week's topic, followed by refreshments

Thursday 14th February

10.00am Stitch and Knit – STH
10.15am Vistas Café – STH
11.00am Matins
11.00am Linden House Holy Communion
7.30pm Bellringers' Practice – STC

Friday 15th February

8.00am Holy Communion
9.45am Friday Fellowship – STH
10.15am Vistas Café – STH
6.15pm Junior Choir Practice – STH
7.00pm Full Choir Practice – STH

Saturday 16th February

9.00am Prayers for the work of the parish (all welcome) – STC
12noon Audio/Visual Link to Jo's Institution – STH
3.00pm 'Gateaux Concert' – STC

NEXT SUNDAY 17th FEBRUARY 3 BEFORE LENT

Theme: Bible Society Bible Course

Topic: Exodus and Promised Lane

Readings: Exodus 3: 1-12
Luke 6: 17-26

8.00am Early Communion

9.15am Choral Communion

11.00am Life & Soul Informal Service

4.45pm Bible Course – STH

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

16 Feb 'Gateaux Concert', 3pm, STC
9 Mar Organ Recital and Book Signing, 11am, STC
16 Mar Rock Choir Concert, 12noon, STC
23 Mar Hampshire Youth Orchestra Concert, 7.30pm, STC

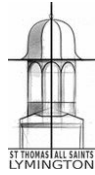
Would you like to join a house group?
Please contact the parish office
(676194)



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Preparation of a new Electoral Roll

This year every parish is required to prepare a new Electoral Roll — both new and existing members need to complete an application form available at the back of the Church or from the parish office. Please return completed forms to the parish office pigeon hole in the narthex.

Traidcraft Stall: open today Sunday, 10th February following 8am and 9.15am services. As there is a baptism at 12.30pm please shop before 11am or order goods directly with either Denise or Maureen during the week. Thank you.



CTLP Lent Course 'The Bible Course' – Daily Bible Readings: Week 2

- Day 1 – Exodus 1: 1-22 & 2: 1-10 Egypt and slavery
- Day 2 – Exodus 2: 11-25 & 3: 1-15 The call of Moses
- Day 3 – Exodus 12: 1-50 The way of freedom
- Day 4 – Exodus 19: 1-25 God meets his people
- Day 5 – Exodus 20: 1-21 The law
- Day 6 – Numbers 13: 1-33 & 14: 1-9 The Promised Land

Richard Smith Funeral: Tuesday 12th February, 10am Thanksgiving Service at St.Thomas followed by 11.30am Burial Service at Hinton Park Woodland Burial Ground, refreshments at Hinton until 2pm. Family flowers only, donations to Parkinson's UK.

'Gateaux Concert': Saturday 16th February, 3pm in St.Thomas Church. Nova Foresta Quartet playing Elgar, Beethoven and Haydn. Tickets £15 (including tea and cake) from 07896 198709, on the door or www.ticketsource.co.uk/nova-foresta-classical-players.

Jo's Institution as Rector of St. Saviour's, Bridge of Allan: Saturday 16th February, 12 noon. For those who would like to support Jo, but are not in Scotland, we are hoping to have an audio-visual link from Bridge of Allan into St.Thomas hall so that we can participate remotely in the service.



We mark Fairtrade Fortnight 2019 with "Cocoa Fair?": Saturday 2nd March, 10am to 12noon in St.Thomas hall. Save the date to support the cake competition, Vistas Café, Traidcraft Stall, a 'Fairtrade Tombola!' and a view of Cocoa producers in Africa!

Parish Mission Action Planning Vision Day: save the date: Saturday 4th May, starting with a shared lunch at 12 noon and ending about 4pm. An opportunity to find out more, contribute ideas and get involved as we start to work on our three objectives: reaching younger people, telling the Christian story through our land and buildings, and helping people discover their gifts and vocations.

The Future use of All Saints: in December 2018 the PCC and Tops Day Nurseries submitted a Listed Building application to the NFDC. Details of the application may be found on the NFDC website <http://planning.newforest.gov> under the references 18/11660 and 18/11661. A copy of the application and diagrams may be viewed on a display board in St.Thomas church. If anyone would like to discuss the proposed changes please contact either Bill Gulland or Jonathan Cook via the Church Office.

Flowers in Memory: for a small donation to the flower fund, the flower arrangers would be happy to dedicate a week's flowers in memory of a person of your choice who would also be mentioned in the weekly news sheet. Details from the parish office.

Church Mission Society (CMS): new editions of **The Call** and **Prayerlines** are available at the Mission table. **The Call** has many interesting articles about how Mission Partners are spreading the Gospel, often in remote areas, and bringing people to know Jesus, including here in the UK, ie in Southall and Hull. In **Prayerlines** you have a daily opportunity support the work of Mission Partners in prayer. Thank you for your continued prayerful support of the work of CMS. Sandy White

Vistas Café Needs Your Support: could you join one of our serving rotas for a three hour stint once or twice a month? We're open Tuesdays through to Fridays. For further details contact Jenny Stott (678547) or j.stott@uwclub.net.

Tuesday Toddler Group need more volunteers to join our team. No expertise required just a happy disposition and a willingness to help out. We meet Tuesday mornings in the hall but attendance does not need to be weekly. For more information phone Barbara Clapper (678193) or the Parish Office.

Holly Holman writes: Greetings from Kachin state in the far north of Burma. There are so many displaced people here because of the war. Lots of the children in the orphanage have lost their parents in the fighting. Having amazing times of ministry with both adults and the older children on healing trauma and loss. Please pray that this might happen at every orphanage we go to.



Seated Exercises with Stuart: Tuesdays 12.30pm-1.30pm in St.Thomas hall. Recommended by Susan Ewer for anyone who can walk into the hall and sit in a chair! Pay by the week.