

## Forthcoming Services

### **Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> March**

10am Holy Communion CW

### **Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> March**

10am Palm Sunday Choral Communion CW

### **Easter Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> April**

10am Holy Communion

6.30pm Evening Prayer

### **Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April**

8.30am Holy Communion BCP

10am Café Church

4pm Storytelling

### Intercessory Prayer

Please inform the church wardens or a member of the ministry team if you would like to add anyone to the weekly intercessions or to receive communion at home.



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## Highlights of the coming weeks:

*Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> March*

**2.00pm** Coffee Create & Chat

*Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> March*

**9.00am** High Legh Prayers

*Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> March*

**7.00pm** Lent Course, 21 North Drive

*Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> March*

**9.00am** High Legh Prayers

**12.30pm** Parish Lunch

*Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March*

**7.00pm** Lent Course, 21 North Drive

*Wednesday 28<sup>st</sup> March*

**9.00am** High Legh Prayers

**4.00pm** Messy Church

*Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March*

**1:30pm** School Easter Service

## Welcome to St John's

Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2018

**8.30am Holy Communion CW**

Ephesians 2: 1-10

John 3: 14-21

**10am All Age Worship (Mothering Sunday)**

**4pm Storytelling**

Today's 'Collect':

*Fourth Sunday of Lent*

Merciful Lord, absolve your people from their offences, that through your bountiful goodness we may all be delivered from the chains of those sins which by our frailty we have committed; grant this, heavenly Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our blessed Lord and Saviour, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever, Amen

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# St John's Prayers for this week

## Please pray for:

Annabel, Jon Roe, Keith Ridler, Tom Banks, Teddy James, Pat Carrick, Simon, Brian Greenhalgh, Rod Bradley, Margaret Talbot, Kath Wright  
The residents of Peacock Lane, Pheasant Walk,  
Groups using the Village Hall for clubs, meetings and celebrations.

## **Sunday**

Lord Jesus Christ who came to share our life here on earth , and lived with his Mother and family in Nazareth , we thank you for our homes and families and especially today for our mothers and all they do and have done for us.

Bless them and keep them safe and help us all in our family lives to love and respect one another for you sake. Amen

## **Monday**

Father we thank You for the gift of sleep. Please grant us this gift tonight and every night. As we settle down to rest, help us to leave the cares and business of the day in Your hands. To relax our minds and bodies so that we may gain renewal for the work of another day. Amen

## **Tuesday**

Dear Lord, Thank you for this bed of mine , and bless all who are sleeping rough in this bitterly cold weather. Bless all who go to bed hungry, are cold and frightened, or homeless or lonely.  
Thank you Father for all you have given me and make me always mindful of the needs of others.  
Amen

## **Wednesday**

Father God, Please bless those whose life work is to care for others. Strengthen them for the work their hands and minds have to do. Pour down on them the courage, fortitude and humour they need to continue their labours of love. Amen

## **Thursday**

Heavenly Father thank you for our world. We pray for peace and unity among all nations, freedom for hostages, shelter for the homeless, food for the hungry and medication for the sick. We ask for the Spirit of faith and hope to do your will and we ask for an end for all cruelty and destruction.  
Amen

## **Friday**

Lord Jesus help me through each day In all I think and do and say. Help me to be good and kind so that your Love shines through and maybe eases a troubled mind, through a word or smile, a kind deed or a helping hand . Amen

## **Saturday**

God of the morning we pray for strength.  
God of noon-time we pray for the hungry,  
God of evening we pray for fellowship,  
God of Night -time grant us peace. Amen