

Forthcoming Services

Sunday 24th February

10am Holy Communion (CW)

Sunday 3rd March

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6.30pm Evening Prayer (BCP)

Ash Wednesday 6th March

Services of Holy Communion with ashing

11.00am St. Paul's Over Tabley

7.30pm St. John's High Legh

Sunday 10th March

8.30am Holy Communion (BCP)

10am All Age Worship

4pm Storytelling

Sunday 17th March

10am Holy Communion (CW)

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:

Shrove Tuesday 5th March

6.00pm onwards Pancake Supper, Church Room.

Pancakes supplied, bring your own filling. Call Elaine on 753111 to let us know if you will be coming.

Donations welcomed on the night.

Thursdays 7.30pm from 14th March – 11th April
5 week Lent Discussion Group: "Nothing More and Nothing Less" based on the 2016 BAFTA award winning film: "**I, Daniel Blake**"

An opportunity to discuss the causes of injustice, oppression and suffering. Looking at examples from Jesus' time as well as today, we will consider how our response will be shaped by the example and teaching of Jesus.

For more information contact: **Chris**

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Electoral roll

A new electoral roll is being compiled, requiring everyone to re-apply. Please collect a form from the back of church & complete and return to Tom Drury or Church Wardens by Sunday 10th March.

Sunday 24th Feb

Services in the United Benefice

St. Mary Rostherne

8.30am Holy Communion (BCP)

9.30am Storytelling Service

Holy Trinity Little Bollington

11.00 Holy Communion (BCP)

St. Paul's Over Tabley

11.00 Holy Communion (CW)

Wel come to
ST. JOHN'S High Legh

Sunday 17th February 2019

10am Holy Communion (CW)

Readings

1 Corinthians 15: 12-20

Luke 5: 1-11

Today's Collect:

The Third Sunday Before Lent

Almighty God, who alone can bring order to the unruly wills and passions of sinful humanity: give your people grace so to love what you command and to desire what you promise, that, among the many changes of this world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, 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:

Keith, Tom, Pat, Simon, Margaret; the residents of Hobshill Lane and Whitson Close and High Legh Parish Council

Sunday

The deep love Jesus gave us empowers us to forgive others as we realise we need to ask him to help us. God gives us the strength to let go of the past and walk forward with Him. His love restores and renews us to an abundant life in Him.

"The forgiveness of God is the test by which I myself am to be judged". Amen

Monday

Lord Jesus, thank You that there is nowhere that I can go that is outside of Your loving gaze. Knowing that You see me, please help me to honour You with all my words and actions.

"We are never outside the watchful care of our Heavenly Father". Amen

Tuesday

We do not always understand, but we can always trust that God is working in our lives and the lives of our loved ones. He will always give us the strength, courage and clarity we need to persevere in following Him.

"Thank you for knowing us so well and for providing what we need most. Give us eyes to see You and a heart to understand Your Word". Amen

Wednesday

Lord, please help us to trust your abundant love and generosity, so that we can give to others as You so faithfully give to us.

"Generous giving displays courageous confidence in God's loving and faithful provision for us all". Amen

Thursday

God honours those who are engaged in the building and sustaining of the poor, hungry, cold and homeless. Those who are oppressed and ill-treated need our care and kindness and we must give without expecting reward.

"Selfless service to others brings honour to God ". Amen

Friday

When God charges us with a task He gives us whatever skills and strengths are necessary to complete what he has asked us to do, no matter how difficult and whatever challenges come our way.

"God equips us to overcome obstacles and complete the tasks He's given us to do". Amen

Saturday

Father in Heaven, we are awed by Your love for us. Help us to tackle everything before us today with grace, enthusiasm and joy, knowing that my attitude may affect others in ways that I'm not even aware of.

"The best way to do satisfying work is to do it for the Lord" Amen

Prayers taken and amended from Our Daily Bread.