

The Church in Warden Hill

AFIA This year is the 140th anniversary of the Mothers' Union. To mark this, £140 of the proceeds of the MU Coffee Morning has gone straight to our Diocese for their 'Away from it All' fund, which provides holidays/days out for families in need. The grand total was a magnificent £240, and the remainder will be divided between various other MU projects worldwide.

EVEN MORE MONEY Another Lent box containing £35 has come in for GARAS making our whole donation to refugees £1,176.35 which is quite a record and will be put to good use. More thanks.

THE STONES OF SAINT STEPHEN'S Drinks Reception and Illustrated Lecture by Adrian Barlow in aid of St Stephen's Roof appeal, at St Stephen's Church Wednesday 22nd June 7.30pm. See May Lantern for further details. To book a place call Natalie Norman on 573508 or email natalienorman2014@gmail.com

VOLUNTEERS WANTED HOLIDAY CLUB 8-12 August 2016 2-4pm at URC Centre. Can you help with crafts, refreshments, story-telling or generally supporting the children? There is a sign-up sheet on the notice-board at the back of St Christopher's for volunteers. Your help would be greatly appreciated, for one or more days. You do not have to be DBS checked. The more help we have, the greater will be the success of this venture.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2016

4th June	Community Film "Brooklyn" URC Centre 2.30pm
25th June	Family Fun Day—TCiWH with CNC at the URCC and play area
17th August	Summer Lunch & Garden Party (Ministry 60+)
September 11th	Heritage Open Day 2-5 pm
20th September	Induction of Team Vicar at St. Peter's
25th September	Welcome service for Revd Gary Grady (afternoon)
2nd October	Harvest Festival 10.30 am

Arrangements for Thanksgiving for the Birth of a Child, Baptism, Confirmation, Banns of Marriage, etc., should be made with Maz Allen, Elders or Wardens.

If you are aware of anyone who is ill, in hospital, or in need of a pastoral visit please contact the Pastoral team co-ordinator on 519568

Without your information we are unable to provide pastoral care.

If you have anything for the Grapevine please hand it to

Edna Willox (grapevine@tcivh.org.uk Tel 510773) by Wednesday midnight.



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(Anglican & URC)

Welcome



The GRAPEVINE
15TH MAY ~ DAY OF PENTECOST

10.30 Family Communion

6 p.m. Choral Evensong

294 Come down, O love divine
(Sheet) She sits like a bird
751 Come Holy Ghost
308/309 Spirit of the living God
373 Lord Jesus Christ

84 Breath on me, breath of God
Psalm: 33. 1-12
612 Spirit of God within me
419 Lord, the light of your love is shining
613 Spirit of mercy, truth and love

Acts 2: 1-21
John 14: 8-17, 25-27

Exodus 33. 7-20
2 Corinthians 3. 4-18

Please join us in the hall after the Sunday morning service for tea or coffee

Calendar: Morning Prayer is said at St C's:
8 a.m. Monday, Wednesday Thursday & Friday and 8.30 a.m. Tuesdays

Mon 16		16.30 Rainbows @ URC Centre	17.30 Brownies @URC Centre
Tue 17	10.30 HC + Tuesday MU corp + coffee at URC Centre	14.00 Window visitors	19.30 House group 19.30 CURC at URC Centre
Wed 18	9.15 Little Shepherds	14.15 Senior Club	19.00 Bellringing
Thu 19		17.30 Beavers	18.00 Brownies 18.45 Cubs 19.45 Scouts
Fri 20			18.00 Choir practice
Sat 21		14.15 Classic Film at URC Centre	
Sun 22	10.30 Family Communion		18.00 at URC Centre

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SENIOR CLUB This Wednesday 18th May at 2.15pm “James Hopkins Trust” by Ria Heap . All welcome, visitors £2.50.

CLASSIC FILM This Saturday 21st May at URC Centre 2.15pm (doors open 2pm). “Vertigo” a Hitchcock psychological thriller starring James Stewart and Kim Novak. Free entry, refreshments available in the interval. Come along and bring your family and friends.

QUEENS 90TH BIRTHDAY There will be a Community Party to celebrate the Queen’s 90th birthday on Saturday 11th June at St Christopher’s 2.30pm to 5pm. Admission by ticket (contact Dorothy Baker) Adults £3 each as a donation to Young Gloucestershire (registered charity 281797) & Prince’s Trust ‘Team’ in Gloucestershire. Accompanied children free.

PRAYER VISITING this year will be in Warden Hill from 20th June-3rd July with a training evening on Wednesday 8th June at URC Centre at 7.30pm. See Lantern page 21 for details or speak to Reg Hitchings.

ORDINATION TO PRIESTHOOD Natalie Burfitt is being ordained priest on Saturday 18th June at Gloucester Cathedral at 3pm. She would be delighted if you can be there. There is a coach leaving from Pip & Jim’s church at 1.30pm (no charge) for those who would like hassle free travel. If you’d like to reserve a seat please contact Laura Evans 01242 573508 or (saintspjleckhampton@gmail.com)

FOOD BANK Please remember those in need in our area. Current urgent requirements are long life fruit juice, 500g bags of sugar, tinned curry & tinned mince, tinned cooked meats, e.g. ham, instant mash, tinned pies, savoury snacks, table sauces, tinned fruit, sweets & chocolates, pot noodles, nappies, size 4-5.

IN BLOOM FOR WARDEN HILL has a Coffee Morning, Cake and Plant Sale on Saturday 21st May 10:30 - 12:30 at St. Christopher’s Church Small Hall. (The plants are of the bedding variety and extras to those which will soon be put out in the planters around the Warden Hill area).

LANTERN Paper copy today, emails next Sunday.

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Please pray this week for ongoing prayers and discussions in the Diocese to plan for the next five years.

We continue to pray for everyone named in the book in the prayer corner.

Please also pray for the people of Canada affected by the wildfires.

Weekly Prayer Focus

15th	Dinas Close & Dinas Road	19th	Ferndales Close & Genista Way
16th	Alma Road & Caernarvon Road	20th	Justicia Way & Jasmine Way
17th	Chelmsford & Hidcote Avenues	21st	The Greenings & Barwick Road
18th	Davallia Drive & Crythan Walk	22nd	Gardenia & Tayberry Groves

NEXT SATURDAY LEADING INTERCESSIONS 21st May St Peter’s Cottages 9.30- 12.30. Nick Davies and Natalie Burfitt will be running a morning on leading intercessions. The course is both for those thinking of leading intercessions or those who are looking for a refresher and to share their own ideas. The programme will include sessions on ‘Why pray?’ and ‘Preparing intercessions’ and there will be a resource booklet to take away. Coffee and croissant will also be included! For further details or to book your place please email Laura at info@pipandjims.org.uk. Those already leading intercessions have received an individual invitation, but if any of them would like to get involved please contact Laura.

FAMILY FUN DAY Planning meeting on the evening of 25th May for all those involved in this event. Probably 8pm at the URCC (to be confirmed)

LITTLE SHEPHERDS Hissing Sid has been emptied and counted and £174.51 sent to the Toybox charity to help street children in Latin America. Many thanks to generous donors.