

The Church in Warden Hill

READING SOMETHING NEW FOR LENT? There are three books in the Prayer Corner for anyone to borrow who would like to try something new for Lent. I have enjoyed these in past years and can recommend them. MM

COME AND SING EXTRACTS FROM HANDEL'S MESSIAH! On Good Friday, St Philip and James are welcoming singers to join them for a solemn performance of appropriate extracts from this masterpiece. The rehearsal is from 4pm-5.30pm and the performance will be at 6pm. Contact the parish office on info@pipandjims.org.uk or 07498 623855 if you would like to be a part of it.

CHRISTIAN ARTS FESTIVAL IN CHELTENHAM lots of events (many have to be booked) - brochures are in the Entrance Room. 23rd April to 12th May. There will be a Coffee Concert at St. C's on 27th. April

LADIES GROUP Charity Event, 8th May, tickets available from Dorothy Baker.

FUNDAY will be on **Saturday 8th June**. We would like volunteers to help on the day, supply cakes for refreshments and cupcakes for the decorate a cupcake stall. If you are interested or would like more information please speak to Debbie Cypher or Rev Jo Pestell.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

19th March	Learning to Listen, 7-9pm St Peter's Cottages (see poster)
23rd March	MU Coffee Morning 10am to 12 at St Christopher's
24th March	TCiWH AGM following 10.30 service
27th April	Coffee Concert 10.30am to 12 at St Christopher's
27th April	Community Film URC Centre 2.30pm
28th April	APCM at P&J following the morning service
8th June	Fun Day in Warden Hill
9th June	Joint Pastorate service at St Andrew's 10.30am
16th June	Team Confirmation service at St Stephen's am

Arrangements for Thanksgiving for the Birth of a Child, Baptism, Confirmation, Banns of Marriage, etc., should be made with any one of the Clergy.

If you are aware of anyone who is ill, in hospital, or in need of a pastoral visit please contact Clergy, Elders or Readers.

Without your information we are unable to provide pastoral care.

If you have anything for the Grapevine please hand it to

Edna Willox (grapevine@tciwh.org.uk Tel 510773) by early Wednesday evening



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(Anglican & URC)

Welcome

THE GRAPEVINE 17th MARCH
THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT



10.30am Morning Worship

249 Great is thy faithfulness
Psalm 27
300 I am trusting thee, Lord Jesus
741 When we walk with the Lord
221 God is working his purpose out.

6pm Choral evensong

349 Jesus Christ is waiting
Psalm: 135.1-14
Anthem: Be thou my vision
211 God be in my head
161 Father, hear the prayer we offer
551 O worship the King, all glorious above

Genesis 15.1-12,17-18
Luke 13.31-35

Anointing Jesus feet
Luke 7.36-50
Ephesians 1.3-10

No collection is taken during the service but there will be a box at the back of church before and following the service for your offerings.

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

Calendar: Morning Prayer is said at St C's:
8am Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday and 8.30am Tuesday

Mon 18	10.30 Lent Group at URCC	16.00 and 17.15 Rainbows at URCC	
Tue 19	10.30 Holy Communion at URC Centre MU corp + coffee	17.15 Brownies at URC Centre	19.00 Learning to Listen at St Peter's Cottages 19.30 Lent House group
Wed 20	9.15 Little Shepherds		19.00 Bellringing
Thu 21		17.30 Beavers 18.00 Brownies	18.45 Cubs 19.45 Scouts
Fri 22			18.00 Choir practice
Sat 23	10.00 Mothers' Union Coffee Morning		
Sun 24	10.30 Family Communion	12.00 TCiWH AGM	18.00 at URC Centre

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ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING - NEXT SUNDAY (24th) the Church in Warden Hill's Annual General Meeting will take place. Please do stay after the morning service for this. This is your chance to make sure you know what's happening in your Church.

LEARNING TO LISTEN Tuesday evening at The Cottages. See poster for details

PRAYER WALKING There will be another Prayer Walk round Warden Hill next Saturday 23 March, starting from Sardar's café at 11 am. It lasts about an hour, gentle pace of walking and all are welcome.

MOTHERS' UNION COFFEE MORNING NEXT SATURDAY 23rd MARCH All are welcome to come to our Coffee Morning in the small hall, starting at 10.00am. Donations for the Bottle Tombola and Raffle can be left in the box under the MU table by the font. Cakes are welcome on the morning.

500 YEARS OF MUSIC A concert by Musica Vera at St Andrew's United Reformed Church, Montpellier in aid of their church spire, Saturday 23rd March at 7.30pm

STREET PASTORS The Street Pastors 'mobile space' will be visiting us on Sun 24th March and will be parked in the car park at St. Christopher's. Please take some time before/after the service to visit.

ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING The APCM of St. Philip & St. James with TCIWH will be held at St. P+J at 12.15pm on Sun 7th April, please put the date in your diaries and come along if possible.

INVITATION FROM HOUSEGROUP Are you interested in deepening your prayer life? Our church House group is keen to host the Shapes for Living course that offers teaching and space for reflection on how our attention to God can be more consciously part of the whole of our lives. The course will last the 5 weeks during Lent, so if you are interested in joining us – perhaps just for Lent – please speak with Roy or Margaret.

ELECTORAL ROLL: The new roll is complete and has to be displayed for at least 14 days. It is in the Entrance Room for inspection. Many thanks for everyone's co-operation.

Website for The Church in Warden Hill is www.tciwh.org.uk

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PLEASE PRAY THIS WEEK FOR our Church's AGM; giving thanks for those who have served on Council, and are standing down, and those offering to stand.

We continue to pray for everyone listed in the Prayer Corner book and on the prayer board.

PLEASE ALSO PRAY FOR all involved in making arrangements as Brexit approaches

R.I.P. Binnie Stevenson, funeral at St. Christopher's
10.30a.m. Monday 1st April.

Weekly Prayer Focus

17th	Church halls & users	21st	Musicians & singers
18th	S. Cheltenham team clergy	22nd	Parish Council
19th	Gardeners & Litterpickers	23rd	Flower Guild
20th	Local hospitals & surgeries	24th	Prayer & House groups

CONFIRMATION IN 2019 There will be a South Cheltenham Team Confirmation Service on Sun 16th June, 10am at St. Stephen's with Bishop Robert. Confirmation classes will be held on a Wed evening, beginning 1st May, 7.30pm @ St. Peter's Cottages. If you are interested in being confirmed, then please speak to Revd Gary or one of the other ministers.

LANTERN The deadline for the April Lantern is Sunday 17th March at Midday.

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