

The Church in Warden Hill

LITTLE SHEPHERDS Hissing Sid has disgorged another £152 for the Toybox charity to support street children in South America; good news indeed.

OPEN DOORS Monies donated for our Lent project amounted to £249.42 which is excellent and will be of real value to persecuted Christians.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

23rd May	Learning to Listen
30th May	Ascension Day Service at St Peter's (garden) 7.30pm
8th June	Fun Day in Warden Hill 11am—2.30pm
9th June	Joint Pastorate service at St Andrew's 10.30 am
16th June	Team Confirmation service at St Stephen's 10 am
14th September	Heritage Open Day: St Christopher's 2pm-5pm

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 19th MAY
FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**



10.30am Morning Worship

572 Praise to the Holiest
Psalm 148 1-6
475 Now the green blade riseth
565 Praise my soul, the king of Heaven
544 Lord's prayer
574 Purify my heart

6pm Choral Evensong

132 Come, ye faithful, raise the strain
Psalm: 98
Anthem:
433 Love's redeeming work is done
150 Do not be afraid, for I have redeemed you
617 Stand up, stand up for Jesus

Acts 11.1-18
John 13.31-35

Daniel 6.6-23
Mark.15.4—16.8

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 20		16.00 Rainbows at URCC	
Tue 21	10.30 Holy Communion at URC Centre MU corp + coffee	17.15 Brownies at URCC	19.30 House group
Wed 22	9.15 Little Shepherds	14.00 Wednesday Social Group Outing	19.00 Bell ringing Swindon Village
Thu 23	European Elections 10.00 Learning to Listen at St Peter's	European Elections	European Elections
Fri 24			18.00 Choir practice
Sat 25			
Sun 26	10.30 Family Communion		18.00 at URC Centre

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COACH OUTING—WEDNESDAY SOCIAL GROUP The Group are going to the Newent Birds of Prey Centre on this coming Wednesday 22nd May. We are leaving at 1.45pm and the trip costs £20 including the coach, cream tea and a flying display. If you would like to join the outing please see Brian or Ollie for more details. There are a couple of seats still available.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK is 13th to 19th May. (The Church in Warden Hill no longer does a house to house collection.)

LEARNING TO LISTEN This Thursday 23rd May 10am to 3pm. Reserve a place by telephoning St Peter's Church Office 01242 513647 any weekday morning 9am-1pm. Full details are in May Lantern.

THE FORUM AND AFTERNOON TEA Tuesday 28th May at URC St Andrew's Church Montpellier. "Bill Cowie's Choice" An even bigger choice of eats from their bring-and-share tea. Then they will sign off with the outing to Friar's Court and the traditional cream tea on June 11th. This will be the final meeting of the Forum!

A NEXT STEP IN FAITH A course exploring Christian basics. This will be held at St. Peter's Cottages in May and June for those who want to explore faith, are considering confirmation or want a 'refresher' and a safe space to ask questions. More information is on the flyers available in the Entrance Room.

HELP WANTED 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.

GARDENING CLUB the outing on Saturday 13th July is to Upton House & Gardens near Banbury. Departing St C. at 10.00 am and leaving Upton Hse at 4.00 pm. There are some seats still available and non Gardening Club visitors would be welcome to join us (and members who haven't signed up yet). Coach cost is £12.00 for members and £14.00 for visitors. Upton House is National Trust so N.T. members entry is free. Non N.T. to pay own entry of £12 on arrival. Contact:- Secretary on 01242 230074.

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

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PLEASE PRAY THIS WEEK FOR the preparations for our Fun Day

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

PLEASE ALSO PRAY FOR the work of Christian Aid; the elections to the European Parliament

R.I.P. Pat Brett I'm very sad to tell you that Pat passed away last week following a short illness, please keep Jimmy and her family in your prayers. Revd Gary.

Weekly Prayer Focus

19th	Gardeners & Litterpickers	23rd	Flower Guild
20th	Local hospitals & surgeries	24th	Prayer & House groups
21st	Musicians & singers	25th	Faithfull House/care homes
22nd	Parish Council	26th	Persecuted Christians

FOODBANK thank you so much for your support. We are currently short of the following: fruit juice, tinned fruit, tinned tomatoes, Cup-a-Soup, toilet rolls, ketchup, mayonnaise, brown sauce, dog food, cat food, sweets, washing-up liquid, soap powder.

THE CHELTENHAM FOODBANK MANAGER is doing a sponsored cycle ride from Holyhead to Chepstow at the end of May to raise funds to improve the services we provide. There is a form up in church or please speak to Trish if you would like to support this.

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