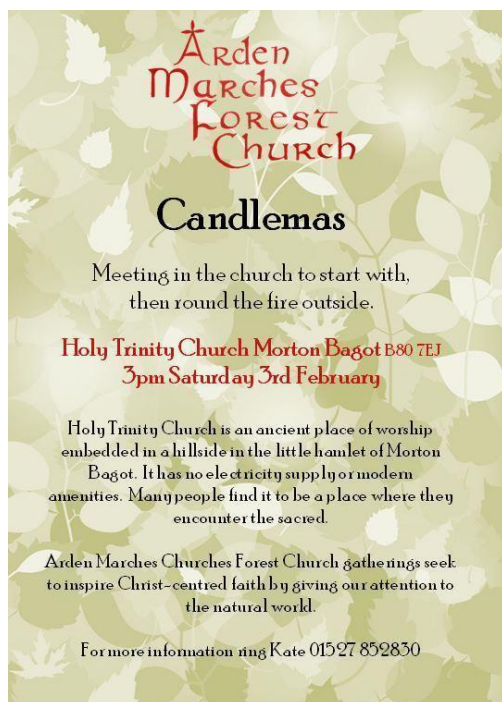


## Worship Services



### 4th February

**Studley** 10am Holy Communion - Jesus presented in the Temple  
**Mappleborough** 10am Morning Worship - Ankorn House  
 following a much enjoyed first session in January, Alan Tostevin will lead the second of three meetings to unpack and enjoy the Bible together

### 11th February

**Studley** 8am Holy Communion  
 10am Prayer and Praise  
 3.30pm Messy Church - Parish Centre  
**Mappleborough** 10am Holy Communion for All - with children's group  
**Oldberrow** 4pm Evensong



### 18th February

**Studley** 10am Opening the Bible  
 6pm Holy Communion - Parish Centre  
**Mappleborough** 10am Café Church

### 25th February

**Studley** 8am Holy Communion  
 10am Worship for Everyone - children and adults together  
**Mappleborough** 10am Holy Communion  
**Oldberrow** 4pm Holy Communion

10am services in Studley church: The theme for Studley 10am services in February and March will be 'Journey to the Cross', looking at the events of Jesus life. Children will have their own groups for most of the service on 1st and 3rd Sundays, young people on 2nd Sundays. Contact Angela for more details about activities for children and young people.

## News, information and events coming up

### Lent course

This year we are again attempting a lent course based on the film The Greatest Showman which we started in March 2020 but came to an abrupt stop with lockdown. There is a book 'From now on' by Rachel Mann which is available as a paperback or electronically. If you would like a paper copy we are willing to place a bulk order so please let me know. Hilary Volrath

### Studley What's App group

During lockdown we set up a Studley whats app group to enable us to support each other and keep in touch. It is still operating though now used more for notice/ reminders of meeting, requests for help, prayer requests, songs we may find helpful and the occasional photo of new puppies! If you attend Studley church and would like to join the group please text or what's app me on 07890 448778 and I'll add you. Hilary Volrath

### Studley Churchyard

The weather forecast for Saturday is dry and warmer so the monthly churchyard working party will be on. Plenty of tidying up, weeding and trimming to be done. Come and help, 9:30 am onwards, if you can.

**Pew cushions in Studley Church** a big thank you to Barbara Beaman for a very generous donation which has funded the majority of the cost of the lovely new cushions that are keeping us warm and comfortable this winter.

### Care home visits

Do you have an hour to spare?  
 Singing hymns, bible readings and prayers  
 Tea and chat

*Four Acres, Studley*

2nd Wednesday 11-12

*Sebright, Leamington Spa*

3rd Wednesday 2-3

*Studley Rose, Studley* – 4th Wednesday 2.30-4.30

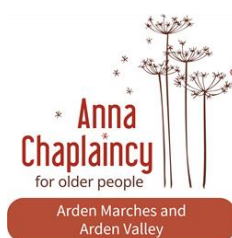
Popular songs – old and new

*Haywood Lodge, Mappleborough Green* – 2nd Wednesday 2.30-3.30

Contact Celia if you'd like to come along or to find out more: 07710 198009

**Interested in helping our planet?** Come to the next Deanery Synod Thursday 8th February 7 for 7.30pm Claverdon Church Centre, and hear Nicola Perryman, Forest Church practitioner, and Colin Angus, diocesan net zero project officer.

**Lent** is early this year. We will gather from Churches Together for Holy Communion at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre on Ash Wednesday 14th February. On Saturday 17th 7pm we will show the film **The Greatest Showman** in the Methodist Church, then hold **Lent Course** discussions based on the film on following Thursday evenings 7 for 7.30pm in the Methodist Church.



### **Studley Dementia Café 7<sup>th</sup> March 2024**

Every first Thursday of the month at the Parish Church Centre 2-4pm. A warm welcome, chat, coffee and cake.

For more information contact

[felicity.jones22@gmail.com](mailto:felicity.jones22@gmail.com) or Celia: 07710198009



### **Tea, Cake and Friendship**

Come and join us for a cuppa and some company at the Parish Centre, Needle Close, Studley

Between 2.30 – 4pm

Every Monday (except bank holidays)

### **Souper Bowls 13<sup>th</sup> February**

All welcome to our warm place to chat and enjoy some delicious homemade soup. Soup served from 12:00 until 1:30pm 2nd and 4th Tuesdays. At the parish church centre, Old Vicarage Gardens, Studley. No charge. Donations welcome.



### **Welcome to Arden Marches churches**

We are delighted to welcome newcomers, and we hope you quickly feel 'at home' among us. If you would like to get to know us better, please complete a 'Keeping in Touch' form available in church and hand it to a warden or minister. We offer a range of midweek small groups to encourage each other in living out our Christian faith: to find out more please speak to Kate our vicar.

### **Prayer**

Just a reminder that we have now stopped offering Morning Prayer on Facebook. Thank you to everyone who has taken part in or led our sessions - we have shared a lot of prayer together!

There is a book and App called Reflections that has the readings and reflections we've been using with other prayers - in case you'd like to continue.

### **Prayer the Powerhouse of the Church**

Meeting 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month. (NB: We will not be meeting on 3rd Thursdays in Lent)

#### **7<sup>th</sup> March 10.00am in the Parish Centre**

We will be reflecting on what God for what he is doing and praying for the current needs and direction of our churches and community. For more information contact Kate or Alan &

Rosemary Tostevin

All are welcome.

### **For your prayers**

*Contact Judith McLelland to add the names of people in urgent and critical need of prayer (with their permission). People remain on the list for 4 weeks (do contact Judith if they need to remain after this) People with ongoing difficulties remain in our prayers even if their names no longer appear below.*

We pray for people in particular need including: **Chris Tennant, Mark Spray, Ursula Lowe, Emilia, Heather Wersock and Ken Lammis**

We commend to God all who have died recently and pray for their families: **Louise Priest, Gwillem Thomas and Raye Bird**

We remember those for whom the anniversary of their death falls at this time:

### **Prayer for vacancies for volunteers**

Please pray for: a Treasurer for Mappleborough, a Foundation Governor for Mappleborough School, a Churchwarden for Studley from 2024. If you are interested in one of these roles please speak to Kate for more information.

### **Prayer for the week: Second Sunday before Lent**

Almighty God, give us reverence for all creation and respect for every person, that we may mirror your likeness in Jesus Christ our Lord.

### **Churches open for personal prayer:**

Studley Church: open daily 10am-3pm

Oldberrow Church is always open.

Morton Bagot Church is usually open 10am-4pm

### **Parish Giving Scheme**

If you wish to give regularly to one of our churches we recommend using the Parish Giving Scheme. It is easy to set up your gift via the website or by phone. The church postcode and name of village will identify the church:

Studley church: B80 7AB

Mappleborough Church: B80 7DJ

Morton Bagot Church: B80 7EJ

Oldberrow Church: B95 5NU

<https://www.parishgiving.org.uk/donors/setting-up-your-gift/>

telephone: 03330021260

### **Contact details**

#### **For safeguarding concerns:**

**Parish Safeguarding Officer:** Charlotte Fitchett 07540323174

[safeguarding@ardenmarches.co.uk](mailto:safeguarding@ardenmarches.co.uk)

Diocesan safeguarding Team (24hrs) 024 7652 1345

#### **Rector: Revd Kate Mier**

3 Manor Mews, Studley B80 7PR [rector@ardenmarches.co.uk](mailto:rector@ardenmarches.co.uk)

01527 852830 07894444351 *Rest day: Friday*

#### **Church Administrator: Judith McLelland**

Available 2.00pm-4.30pm Monday to Thursday

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*News sheet deadline 2pm Thursday*

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#### **Anna Chaplain for older people: Celia Spiers**

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