



Welcome to our Service

Please take this newsheet with you

Readings: Acts 10: 34 - 43 John 20: 1 - 18
Acts 4: 32-35 John 20.19-end

Sunday 1st and 8th April

Easter day and Easter 2

Healing prayer is available during or after services, or at home by request.

There is a loop system operating at our main morning services; please turn your hearing aid to the 'T' position. If you have a mobile phone, please ensure it is switched off.

Newsheet deadline is

HEADLINE:

Prayer Focus

Isaiah 42:9 "See, the former things have taken place, and new things I declare; before they spring into being I announce them to you."

As we wait patiently for news of a new Rector lets pray for the candidate that has been recommended to, and accepted by the Bishop and for ourselves that we will all be open to change and to move forward in faith into a new phase in the life in our Churches.

Joan Welsh

Joan's funeral will be a Mappleborough Green Church on Friday 20th April at 1.00pm followed at the Crematorium at 2.00pm.

Help

If anyone could help with the setting up and operating the sound system at Studley Church please contact Phil Pattison on 852065

HEADLINE:

Annual meetings

The Annual meeting is at Studley Church on Wednesday 25th April at 7.15 for ADCM (DCC annual meeting) and followed at 8.00pm for the APCM (PCC annual meeting)

Everyone is welcome to attend but only those on the electoral roll can vote. We are approaching the time of year when we will be seeking people to take up the vacancies on our District and Parochial Church councils. We will also the opportunity to nominate Churchwardens and Deputy Churchwardens. Please pray over the next few weeks that those who God is calling to fill these roles will respond to His call.

Situations Vacant

We have a few vacancies that we must fill on our DCC's and PCC. Will you help us by being a representative of your congregation? At Studley we need:

- 1 DCC member for a term of three years
- 3 PCC members, 2 for terms of three years and 1 for a one year term

At Mappleborough we need:

- 1 DCC member for a term of three years
- 3 PCC members, 2 for terms of three years and 1 for a one year term
- AND a deputy church warden.

Please speak to your church warden if you have any questions about what being a DCC and/or PCC member means and how much of your time you will be committing to the post.

Nomination forms will be available in each church.



Parish Outing

The balance payment for the parish outing to Oxford to be paid to Eric Lee by 20th APRIL please.

Any one still interest in the outing there are still 4 seats left.



Electoral roll

The electoral roll is being revised, please check the copy in church and notify the church wardens of any errors or omissions. If you are new to our church then enrolment form are at the back of church.

Joyce Middleton

Joyce is very poorly, the doctor had been and said that her heart is failing. Carole Holt rushed over to see her, she was still with it, and was very lucid, but could not eat or drink, she was very

frail and in bed. The family are with her all the time.

TRAMPS

All welcome, including dogs, on Tramps day-time walk – first of the season!

Saturday 21st April. Starting at 2pm Meet at Mickleton Church. Parking available on the High Street or at Kings Arms Inn High Street (GL55 6RT). 5 mile walk with optional stop at Hidcote Gardens tea rooms. National Trust card is not needed to use these tearooms.

Contact Sue Maher, walk leader, for more information or to check if walk taking place should the weather be uncertain on the day. Tel 01564 795625

MAPPLEBOROUGH GREEN CHURCH presents

A MUSICAL AFTERNOON

The brilliant professional organist/pianist/vocalist **MATTHEW BASON** will perform his **VARIETY SHOW**



2-00 for 2-30 pm
Saturday June 2nd 2018

Tickets from John Parker (852365)
£8 each to include light refreshments

This event is in aid of church funds and will be supported by a raffle, a tombola and a bookstall

SERVICES AND COMING SOON

Sunday 1st April Easter Day

10.00am Holy Communion
Mappleborough Green
Holy Communion
+ Junior Church
Studley

11.15am Holy Communion
Oldberrow

6.30pm Holy Communion
Osprey House

Thursday 5th April

9.30am Holy Communion (BCP)
Parish Centre

Sunday 8th April

8.00am Holy Communion
Studley

10.00am All Age Celebration
Mappleborough Green
Morning Worship
Studley
Centre+Point
Parish Centre

4.00pm Evensong
Oldberrow

Monday 9th April

2.30pm Compassion Group
Parish Centre

Thursday 12th April

9.30am Holy Communion (BCP)
Parish Centre

Sunday 15th April

10.00am Morning Worship
Mappleborough Green
Holy Communion for all
+ Junior Church *Studley*

6.30pm Evensong
Osprey House

Monday 16th April

2.30pm Compassion Group
Parish Centre

Thursday 19th April

9.30am Holy Communion (BCP)
Parish Centre

Sunday 22nd April

8.00am Holy Communion
Studley

10.00am Holy Communion for All
Mappleborough Green
Celebration+Praise
Studley

4.00pm Evensong
Oldberrow (MB)

Monday 23rd April

2.30pm Compassion Group
Parish Centre

Thursday 26th April

9.30am Holy Communion (BCP)
Parish Centre

Sunday 29th April

8.00am Holy Communion
Studley

10.00am Group Service
Holy Communion
Mappleborough Green

3.00pm Blue Bell Walk followed by
Service
Greenhills Morton Bagot

6.30pm Holy Communion
Osprey House

Monday 30th April

WHERE TO FIND US

Studley, Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary (B80 7AB)
Mappleborough Green, Holy Ascension (B80 7DJ)
Morton Bagot, Holy Trinity (B80 7EJ)
Osprey House (Archer Close, B80 7HX)



Studley Parish Centre (B80 7SG)
Ankorn House (B80 7DJ)
Oldberrow, St Mary's (B95 5NU)

MIDWEEK GROUPS, MEETING WEEKLY, FORTNIGHTLY OR MONTHLY

Compassion Bereavement Group All welcome at the Parish Centre, every Monday 2.30-4pm.

Friendship Group All welcome, meet on the last Friday of the month, March to November.

Home Groups We have home groups that meet on alternate Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

Children & Young People

Sunbeams toddler group, Fridays from 9.30am at the Parish Centre. (term time only)
Hot Chocolate Project, Fridays 7.00-8.30pm at the 'Rec', by the Millennium Gate, teenage.
We also have *Rainbows, Brownies, Guides and Rangers* who meet weekly during term time at the Parish Centre.

Lunchbox At the Parish Centre on the 2nd Wednesday of every month, from 12.15 to 1.15pm.

Food Bank Tuesdays 2.00-3.30pm at the Methodist Church

Mothers Union 1st Wednesday each month, 2.00pm, Parish Centre

Bell ringing practice Studley Every Thursday, 7.30 - 9pm. Entry via the North Door. All welcome to watch, learn or join in the ringing, but under 18s must be accompanied by an adult.

More information and contact details are on our website.

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

Please Pray For:

- Our clergy and lay readers, church wardens and all who serve on PCCs, DCCs and MLT.
- The various groups for children and young people: Friday Night Outreach, Sunbeams, Rainbows, Brownies, Guides and Rangers, and all the schools in our villages.
- All those who are preparing to lead or preach at our services this week and on Sunday.

Please Pray For:

- Baptisms: 8th, Elodie Hutchinson, Studley
- Weddings: None this week
- Funerals: None this week



Prayer List

The prayer list is for urgent and critical situations, names remain on this list for four weeks.

Please let us know if the person needs to be kept on for additional weeks.

Please remember in your prayers especially this week: **Joyce Middleton and John Charles**

We remember before God and pray for the families of all who have died recently, including: **Ken Dyer, Joan Welsh, John Amor and Claire Jolly**

We also remember those for whom the anniversary of their death falls this week: **David Shakels and Deryk Jewsbury**

THE COLLECT Easter Day

Lord of all life and power, who through the mighty resurrection of your Son overcame the old order of sin and death to make all things new in him: grant that we, being dead to sin and alive to you in Jesus Christ, may reign with him in glory; to whom with you and the Holy Spirit be praise and honour, glory and might, now and in all eternity.

THE COLLECT Easter 2

Almighty Father, you have given your only Son to die for our sins and to rise again for our justification: grant us so to put away the leaven of malice and wickedness that we may always serve you in pureness of living and truth; through the merits of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

CONTACT INFORMATION

General Enquiries (Parish Office)

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Safeguarding Officer

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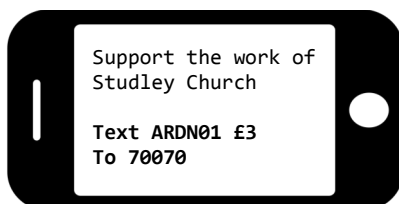
Church Centre Bookings

Ankorn House:
Maxine Mould 525948
Studley Parish Centre:
Tony Drake 850434

Gift-Aid Scheme

Studley: Joyce Duffin 458636
Mappleborough Green: Erica Hayton 455396

Studley Fabric Fund Envelope: week No. 2 + 3



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