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This Church is proud to be a member of 'Churches Together in Risborough associated with the Baptist Church, Elim Church, St.Dunstan's Church, St. Mary's Parish Church and St.Teresa's Roman Catholic Church.

From the Manse :

Dear Friends,

We are now several weeks into the new year and Easter is already on the horizon – or at least it seems to be in the supermarkets!! However, I think that the time between Christmas and Easter is a gift we should use to reflect on our journey through life. Music is often a wonderful way to help us reflect on that journey and I was looking on YouTube at some of the songs from the 80's and 90's and early 2000's One song I remembered is from a female singer called Dido and the song is called "*Life for Rent*."

I can't remember if it made the No 1 slot but the chorus of the song is quite a spiritual kick in the rear. I checked her website to see if she is a Christian but it doesn't seem like it. The words?

*If my life is for rent, and I don't learn to buy.
Then I deserve nothing more than I get, and nothing that I have is truly mine.*

February does see us moving toward a very early Easter, and in fact Ash Wednesday is the 10th of this month. Lent is also a fantastic opportunity to reflect on the significance of Jesus death and resurrection and the impact it has on our individual lives, particularly our spiritual lives.

Are our lives for rent? Well in a sense yes! Our time on this planet is fleeting. What we do with our lives is important, and if we "*don't learn to buy*" in the sense of living, I mean really living the life that Jesus would have us live then we "*deserve nothing more than we get*." In life as in all things, we get out what we put in. So it is with our spiritual journey with Christ. If we invest time with Jesus, even just 15 minutes a day, then we will reap the rewards.

I was reading The Screwtape Letters by C.S.Lewis the other day and the suggestion there was that the Devil's plan for Christians was to keep them busy with the everyday things of life in order to stop them from forming a real relationship with Christ. Busy with work, busy with possessions, busy with arguments and stress. Busy building up worldly things. This brings in the last line of the song "*and nothing that I have is truly mine*". When we die we take nothing from this world with us, and if all we have is worldly wealth then we have nothing.

So I urge you to spend time with God, quiet, reflective, valuable time with God. So that when the time comes you will have bought from the true source of life, will have everything you deserve and all you have will be truly yours, treasure in heaven. ***Keith Edwards***



Shrove Tuesday - 9th February

Lent is the long build up to Easter and the day before Lent is Shrove Tuesday. 'Shrove' means being forgiven for wrong-doings. Another name for Shrove Tuesday is Pancake Day. Historically this was a day for feasting and having a good time. People went to church to confess the bad things they had done and would be 'shriven' or forgiven before the start of Lent. As rich foods such as eggs were forbidden during Lent, one way of using them up would be to make pancakes.

Its popular to make pancakes on Shrove Tuesday and in some parts of the UK run in pancake races. This custom grew due to a legend dating from 1445. The story goes that on Shrove Tuesday one woman was still making pancakes as the church bells rang. Rather than be late she took her frying pan and pancake with her! So we're having our very own Pancake Day -

Noreen and Vic Baker invite you to join them for

"A Shrove Tuesday Pancake Party"

on Tuesday 9th February 2016 from 2-00pm

at 72 Westmead, Princes Risborough HP27 9HS

Please come and enjoy a time of fellowship. All proceeds for

"The Whitechapel Mission"



Just Think, " We can have: a pancake, have some fun and help others to have a vital meal"





Five good things about

In case you're thinking at this time of year that Lent (as one writer described it) is all about prohibitions, here are five good things about it.

1. It only lasts 40 days. Fasts can't last forever, but Lent has a manageable 40 days. New Year Resolutions stretch off into some impossibly distant horizon, but our Lenten attempts at discipline sweets etc. have an end date.

2. We don't include Sunday. Sunday is never a day of fasting but a weekly celebration of the resurrection of Jesus. So – and this is official – Sundays **don't** count in Lent!

3. A bit of self-denial is better than a lot of self-indulgence. We live in a self-indulgent society. Just for 40 days it's no bad thing to deny ourselves a minor luxury or a bit of self-pampering – especially if it saves some money which could go to people in the world who have no luxuries.

4. It's a journey towards Easter. Lent goes somewhere, and that somewhere is the empty tomb of Easter morning. It's daffodils in the churchyard and new life all around us.

5. The days get longer. The English word for this season is the only one that has no religious significance at all. 'Lent' is simply an abbreviation of the Old English word 'lencten' which means 'lengthen'. On these islands, where weather is always a major topic of conversation, it's not surprising that what people noted about the days of Lent was that they got longer, no more of those ghastly dark tea-times. But the lengthening is all part of item 4 really – moving towards new life. Sadly items 4 and 5 don't apply in Australia and New Zealand, but doubtless they have compensations.

Given these five splendidly positive things about Lent, we should approach its rigours with joyful hearts!

- *David Winter, former head of religious broadcasting at*



Lent Course for 2016

'Face of Mercy'

supported by Churches Together in Risborough and held at our local Costa Coffee from 7.30–9.30pm Each evening will begin with an opportunity to buy refreshments from Costa

Thursday, 18th February:

Introduction to the theme by Liz Duffy, St Teresa's Church & Prison Ministry and Visiting (Margaret Cripps)

Thursday 25th February:

Aylesbury Homeless Action Group (Karen Warner)

Thursday 3rd March: *One Can Trust Foodbank* (Heather Stanley)

Thursday 10th March: *Mercy Ships* (Ken & June Brazier)

Enjoy, listen, chat & discuss

Maundy Thursday

8pm Holy Communion

Good Friday

10am Service at the Baptist Church followed at 11am by the CTR Procession of Witness.

Junior Church & Creche

Our dates for February are the 7th and 28th, - the 14th and 21st being half term. - *Fran McMullan*



To **Ellen Trout** who celebrates her 9th birthday on 1st February and also to **Isabelle and Kristian McMullan** to reach the heights of 15 on 24th February.

Later -



is a group for young people aged 7 to 11 in and around Risborough. Meetings kicked off again in January and will continue on the evening of the 3rd Sunday of the month from 6-8pm at our Methodist Church. The next is Sunday, 21st February.

The evenings feature food, a space to chat, a range of games/activities and a short interactive 'God slot'. For further information please contact our Minister, Rev. Keith Edwards ulysee798@gmail.com;

Rev James Tomkins (St. Dunstan's Church, Monks Risborough)
jamestomkins@btinternet.com
 or Fran McMullan
chris-fran@live.com

If anyone has any large bean bags that the club could use please can you tell Fran. To add a bit of variety to these meetings if you have a hobby or craft that you think the teenagers would enjoy please let Fran know.

Smile - A Bishop was visiting a small Church and wanted the children to understand about the Good Shepherd, so he dressed up in his bishop's long flowing robes and carried his crook.

'Now' beamed the bishop, 'do you know who I am?'

There was a long silence then one small child put up her hand

*'Are you Little Bo Peep?' she asked.
 (Contributed by the Drakes)*

Lighthouse



Christian Holiday Week
25th - 29th July

Fundraising Quiz Night at St. Mary's Church 30th April 7.30pm start. £5 per person. Raffle and 'Heads and Tails' game will also be held on the night. Bring your own drinks and nibbles (*no red wine please as spilled wine will stain the flooring*). Donations for Raffle prizes would be gratefully received.

'No Limits' is a church service for teenagers and young people, offered as a follow-on to the evening 'Fiesta' held daily during Lighthouse week. It meets at St. Mary's Church on the first Sunday of every month 4-6pm. If you have any queries contact Lizzie Tinsley
lizzie.nolimits@gmail.com

Craft activities: Please start collecting rolls of wallpaper, jam jars and empty tins for craft activities. Let Fran McMullan know if you have any donations.

Mothering Sunday

On 5th and 6th March, Mothering Sunday weekend, we have a team of International Children's entertainers/puppeteers coming to the Circuit and we'd like as many children/adults to sample what they have to offer

Ian and Elaine Coules have been all over the world, teaching children and adults about God by the use of puppets. It is also a means whereby everyone can be involved because they will be holding a workshop on the Saturday and then, following tea we will have a demonstration by those who have been working with the puppets.

It is hoped that others will come to the evening, people such as parents or other members of our community who just want to show an interest. We will also have some music with the Circuit Band. I think this could be a great event. We hope to have detailed information next month. - *Steve Watts*.

Mmm ... I have found the best way to give advice to your children is to find out what they want and then advise them to do it. - (*Harry S Truman*)

Concert on Friday 22nd April we look forward to a visit from one of our modern songwriters and performers, Noel Richards with his wife Tricia who come to Aylesbury for a concert. They truly are International stars of Christian music and have been to us before, where they were extremely well received. This is one not to be missed.

On a personal note, this and the puppet weekend are two events which I am promoting when my tenure at Thame and Chinnor comes to an end. Please support us in these two new ventures.

- *Steve Watts*.

Breakout - Meets fortnightly on Fridays from 4pm to 6.45pm at the Oasis Centre in Bell Street. Risborough.

This is a lively action-packed club for 5 to 11 year olds, led by members of the Lighthouse team. All are welcome to come and find out more about our amazing God! The Breakout team leaders are members of various churches in the town. The club will meet on 12th and 26th February and 4th and 18th March. For more details please contact: Doline Gadd; 01844 216502 Doline.gadd@gmail.com

Carry on Camping!

A booking has been made at Mayfield Park (2 miles North of Cirencester) for our circuit camping weekend on 1 - 3 July. Caravans, motorhomes and tents are all welcome. Cost will be £20 per night with electricity, £18 per night without. A £50 excess charge has been paid which will enable the whole group to stay until mid afternoon on Sunday.

Please let us know if you are interested, there need be no commitment at this stage but some idea of numbers and outfits would be useful so we know what to book, so please respond to Chris or Arthur Sara tel. 01296484310 mobile 0751547

A reminder

Ministers' rest days -

Rev. Keith Edwards, -
Wednesdays
Rev. Helen Kirk - Fridays.

Mops, buckets, dusters and elbow grease!

Yes folks, it's that time of the year again. The dates for the church Spring Clean are announced.

We do have a regular Church cleaning rota but there are always extra jobs to be done. Please try to spare an hour or longer to help. Tea and coffee makers are welcome too. The dates are - **5th and 12th March.**

A list of jobs will be printed and hopefully ticked off as accomplished by 13th March.

In addition if anyone would like to add their name to the usual cleaning or grass cutting rotas it would certainly spread the load!

Wanted - a small, ideally armless, desk chair for use in church for the operation of the hi-tech machine! Please speak to one of the Stewards if you can help.

Church Forum

8th March 2016 at 8pm

If anyone has any proposals or suggestions please pass them on to Pam Scott, our Forum Secretary, as soon as possible for inclusion in the Agenda.

Calling All Would Be Treasurers!

There will soon be a vacancy when our current treasurer passes on his counting responsibilities and to date there have been no offers. Please give it your careful consideration! As Joe Needham gave notice of his resignation last year it would be good to hear from anyone willing to take on this important role. We are extremely grateful to Joe for undertaking this work on our behalf for a number of years. He certainly deserves a break!

Try to plan ahead!

It wasn't raining when Noah built the Arc!

Silent Prayer Meetings at

St. Dunstan's Church Hall
Monday evenings at 8pm on

February 15th;

April 4th;

May 9th;

June 20th;

August 1st;

September 12th;

October 24th;

December 5th

We need silence to help us to get a proper perspective on our lives; to hear the still, small voice of God, and to refresh our inner being. All are welcome to these meetings of any faith or none. Each meeting lasts about 45 minutes to an hour. We begin with some simple relaxation exercises, a short passage from the Bible to reflect upon in the half hour of silence, followed by a time of sharing of our experiences if people wish.

The Revd James Tomkins (01844) 275944 or
jamestomkins@btinternet.com.

One Can Trust -

Our Church box goes to the Food- bank HQ in High Wycombe, before distribution. A list of needs is on the box in the church hall. -
Marilyn Dore.

Joint services -

These services, held at 6pm alternately in our Methodist Church and St. Mary's Parish Church, are simply wonderful and we are grateful to Rev. Keith Edwards and Rev. David Williams for leading them. Last month it was extra special as our friends from the local Baptist Church joined us. The scheduled services are below but are subject to change.

*14th February at St. Mary's
13th March at PR Baptist Church
10th April at our Church
8th May at St. Mary's
12th June at PR Baptist Church
10th July at our Church
11th September at St. Mary's
9th October at PR Baptist Church
13th November at our Church.*

SALT

(Sharing & Learning Together)

Everyone is welcome to join this informal group meeting on Thursday evenings in private homes, beginning with a cup of coffee. The next meeting is on 11th February. It is always wise to check times and venues. - Please speak to Victoria, Maureen or Joe for more details

Fairtrade Fortnight

29th February - 13th March

First of all, many thanks to those of you who have supported the monthly Fairtrade Stall, which raised £45 in December and £70 in January. The next stall will be after the service on 7th February.

At the end of February Fairtrade Fortnight starts, it runs from 29th February to 13th March this year.

The slogan for the fortnight is:

'Sit down for breakfast, stand up for farmers!'

As Martin Luther King famously said, *'before you finish eating breakfast in the morning, you've depended on more than half the world'*. Think about where your breakfast comes from. Tea from India or Kenya, coffee from Ethiopia or Honduras, bananas from Colombia or the Windward islands, sugar from Malawi or Fiji. What work by farmers may have gone into producing these products? Many are unaware that sometimes those who produce our food don't earn enough to know where THEIR next meal is coming from.

Despite our dependence on farmers and workers for the

foods, drinks and products that we love, about 795 million people are undernourished globally.

Fairtrade works to change this, because it ensures that producers receive a fair price, can work in decent conditions and the environment is respected. By using Fairtrade products as part of our breakfast and other meals we can support farmers and workers to put food on the table for their own families. So look out for Fairtrade breakfast ideas: muesli, dried fruit, honey, marmalade on our stall and in the shops, and start the day feeling good! - *Judith Gerrard.*

(We continue to be grateful to Judith for collecting the goods, setting up and repacking the stall, dealing with the finances and returning the unsold stock to John)

Atheist! – An atheist went on holiday to Loch Ness in Scotland and whilst out in a boat fishing the Loch Ness Monster reared up and hissed at him. The man cried out ‘O my Lord HELP!’ A voice from Heaven came down and said ‘I thought you didn’t believe in me!’ The man replied ‘A minute ago, I didn’t believe in the Loch Ness Monster!’

(Contributed by the Drakes)

Christmas Spectacular

**10th November - 23rd December
2016 2pm & 7pm
The largest Christmas show in
the country!**

Set in the magical surroundings of mechanical organs and fairground carousels, with a cast of 130 professional singers, dancers and musicians – many of whom are West End performers. The 3 hour performance delivers an extravaganza of non-stop singing, dancing, music, humour and variety. It’s a fast moving celebration of the festive season featuring an eclectic mix of both seasonal and year-round favourites, with famous and much-loved chart toppers being sung alongside traditional carols.

Word of this amazing show has spread and it is now generally recognised as being the largest show of its kind in the country, if not Europe. Up to fifty coaches per day travel from all over the country.

If you are interested in visiting the above spectacular show in Norfolk, please advise Barry Palmer or Vic Baker. . It will depend on which dates are available but it will be either late November or early December.

One overnight stay, day one travel to your hotel for an early dinner, then onto the show. The following morning visiting Norwich before heading home. Cost £149 pp. Travel by Motts coaches. Cost includes entrance to the show and dinner, bed and breakfast at the hotel.

This show is very popular and early booking is essential. Look on line at THURSFORD.com. Any further details please contact Barry or Vic.

Gunpowder!

An eccentric old sheep farmer from Scotland gave some good advice to his granddaughter. He told her that the secret to a long life was to sprinkle a pinch of gunpowder onto her porridge every morning.

The grand-daughter followed this advice religiously until her cremation at the venerable age of 103. She left behind 14 children, 30 grandchildren, and 45 great-grandchildren, plus a huge hole where the crematorium used to be. *(Contributed by ACE)*

A Slimmer's Psalm

For those amongst us who regret recent overindulgence

*Strict is my diet, I must not want
It maketh me to lie down at night,
hungry.
It leadeth me to pass the refrigerator,
it tireth my willpower.
It leadeth me in the paths of
starvation for my figure's sake.
Yea though I walk through the aisles
of pastas,
I will buy no chocolate eclairs, for
they are fattening.
The cakes and pies, they tempt
me
Before me is set with green beans
and lettuce.
It filleth my stomach with liquids
My day's quota runneth over.
Surely calories and weight charts
follow me all the days of my life
And I will dwell in the year of the
scales for ever.*



If you haven't tried this, do it now! Just make that extra effort when shopping online. A simple way of raising money for our Church funds without extra cost. www.easyfundraising.org.uk

–Joe Needham

R.O.P.E.

Relief for Oppressed People Everywhere

Please hand used postage stamps (leaving a border of 2") to Judith Gerrard to raise money for this small local charity. They celebrate their 25th anniversary on Saturday, 5th March with a Thanksgiving Service at King's Church, Amersham.

There will be a retiring collection on 7th February for ROPE. The Tuesday Fellowship will recall that Phillip Derbyshire came to an autumn meeting to talk about ROPE'S work which supports many effective projects on a small budget.

Longwick Art Exhibition

Saturday, 20th February from
10am to 5pm and
Sunday, 21st from 10am to 4pm.

Held at the Longwick School to
raise funds for the school.

Refreshments are served all day
and the exhibition is to be highly
recommended.

The Princes Centre News - Clients, staff and

volunteers enjoyed the festivities over the Christmas period. The new heating system is working and we are grateful to the Heart of Bucks [formerly Bucks Community Foundation] for the grant of £5,000.00 towards the cost of this project.

Due to high winds there was a problem with the roof which has been mended. The renovation of the patio is now in progress. We hope that the aging bus will behave itself. We may be fortunate to receive a grant from W.D.C. to replace it.

There will be another Quiz & Bingo evening at 7pm on Friday, April 8th. The cost is £10 and includes a meal. Please support this fundraising activity if you can by ringing Kim on 01844 345105. .

The Tesco collection in December, raised a magnificent sum of nearly £700 which, with gift aid, will be 25% higher. Some customers were entertained by the Jingers and others by Aunt Sally's Delight, a small band who donated their time to encourage people to dip into their pockets. Many thanks to the volunteers who gave their time and to everyone who contributed towards the success of the day.

Generous donations were received from Monks Risborough Parochial Charity, Princes Risborough Charity, the Owlswick Carol Service at St. Dunstan's, Longwick Evening Women's Institute, TSB Bank, Black Dog Band and Banjovi Revival, another in memory of a client, and others, some as one-offs, some through My Donate, and others from our stalwart supporters who donate via standing orders. The trustees continually comment on the wonderful support received from the community and are grateful for this generosity. These monies will go towards our next project which is the reroofing of the Learning and Development area and internal restructuring. The restructuring is required to accommodate an internal wheelchair lift, which is limited to a particular area to enable wheelchair users to access both halls. It will also provide more space for the clients with various disabilities. – *Maggie Wooster.*

Transport ... If you need transport to a Church service or event please ring Beverley Hudson on 343932 and she will try to help

Christian Aid

A BIG thank you to all those who returned their Christmas appeal envelopes, which meant that we as a church raised a total of £165 of which £110 was gift aided – a fantastic effort which will be doubled by UK Aid.

There will be the traditional monthly luncheon on Thursday 4th February between 12 noon and 1.15pm at the Baptist Church Upper Hall.

This month the AGM will be held at the Baptist Church Upper Hall on Wednesday 24th February at 7.30pm when coffee, tea and biscuits will be served and we will be given an update on the latest projects being conducted by Christian Aid. It would be good to see some of you at one of these events.

The Christian Aid Souper Soup Lunch is on Friday, March 18th in St. Dunstan's Church Hall 12.15 - 1.45 pm Soup, crusty bread and a hot drink £4.50p.
– Margaret Stevens

Be Warned ...
*the clocks go forward on
Sunday, 27th March!.*

Community Open Social Afternoon –

for residents of the Risborough area on **Saturday 6th February** in the Community Centre Main Hall commencing at 2pm, doors open from 1.30pm.

2pm - Introduction by Community Association Chairman, Arthur Edwards.

2.05pm - Presentation by Midshipman Michelle “Mich” Ping QVRM talking about her fantastic career. Michelle won the “Sun Military Award” (Millie) for Reservist of the Year and the prestigious Yorkshire Woman of the Year in 2012

3.30pm – refreshments.

4pm – 4.30pm– brief R&DCA AGM reports from the Chairman/Secretary and Treasurer, election of officials followed by AGM adjournment.

Entry by ticket only - £5 p.p.to include refreshments. Tickets from The Elephant’s Trunk, Duke Street, Art & Office shop, High Street or the Information Centre counter in the Library.

Contact: Arthur Edwards on 01844-342460 or prcommunityassocn@aceifa.plus.com

Women’s World Day of Prayer

Friday, 4th March

This year the service will be held in St. Dunstan’s Church, Monks Risborough, starting at 11am and has been prepared for us by the women of Cuba.

Those taking part are asked to arrive at the Church at about 10am in order to run through the service.

We should have more details in the March Messenger.

- *Chris Palmer.*

Princes Risborough Music Society –

At the Wycombe Swan there will be an evening of two Gilbert and Sullivan Operettas, *The Pirates of Penzance* and *The Grand Duke* on Sunday, March 20th at 7.30pm.

Tickets from Elephant's Trunk, Art and Office, Information Centre, Choir members and at www.princesrisboroughmusicsociety.org. If you need transport the Community Bus will be running- please ring 07941963097.

Vale of Aylesbury Circuit Holiday

Friday 6th to Tuesday 10th May

You are invited to join Rev Helen Kirk for our summer holiday to Devon and the English Riviera. We will stay at the delightful De La Mer Hotel in Babbacombe. It is a privately-run hotel and we will be the only guests there so we will have the run of the place!

- Four nights in the hotel
- Breakfasts and three-course evening meals
- En-suite rooms with TV and tea and coffee-making facilities
- No lift in hotel but ground floor rooms available
- Bar and Lounge (exclusively for us)
- Porterage included
- Three included excursions
- Evenings of fellowship

If you would like more details please ring: Peter and Jane Honeyball on 01844 351096 or Ken and Sylvia Austin on 01844 213285.

Tuesday Fellowship

In November Rev. Rose Williams spoke about the influence her Grandparents had on her life and she read to us poetry that had been handed down to her from them. She made us all think back to our own Grandparents and the effect that they had on our lives.

At our meeting in December Peter Willet led our afternoon with Seven Lessons and Carols. We sang some of the different new carols from our Hymn Book and members took part in the readings. It was good that Keith Edwards was able to join us for this afternoon. We ended the afternoon with Christmas party nibbles.

Our next meeting will be on the 16th February at the Church at 2pm when Brenda and Peter will be telling us about, and showing us pictures of their holiday last year in Australia.

New members are always welcome to join us. - *Pam Scott.*

What's on in February -

4th : Christian Aid Lunch
6th : Community Centre Social Day
7th : Junior Church with Creche
7th : Fairtrade Stall after Morning Service
7th : Retiring collection for ROPE
9th : Shrove Tuesday Pancake Party at the Bakers
11th : SALT group meet
12th : Breakout Club
14th : Joint Service at St. Mary's at 6pm
14th : March material due for Messenger
15th : Silent Prayers at St. Dunstan's Church
16th : Tuesday Fellowship 2pm
18th : Lent Course at Costa Coffee
20th & 21st : Longwick Art Exhibition
21st : 'Later' Group meet
24th : Christian Aid AGM
25th : Lent Course at Costa Coffee
26th : Breakout Club
28th : Junior Church with Creche

Forward dates-

3rd & 10th March -: Lent Course at Costa Coffee
4th March – Women's World Day of Prayer 11am
5th & 6th March – Puppet Circuit Weekend
5th & 12th March – Church Spring cleaning days
8th March – Church Forum Meeting – everyone invited!
12th March – Joint Service at the Baptist Church
18th March – Christian Aid 'Souper Lunch' at St. Dunstan's Church
20th March – Risborough Music Society Concert
22nd April – Aylesbury Concert
27th March – Clocks go forward!
30th April – Lighthouse Quiz Night

"Happy St. Valentine's Day"

February Rotas

Welcoming Stewards :

7th : Mr. and Mrs. B. Palmer
14th : Mr. and Mrs. D. Robbins (pm at St. Mary's)
21st : Mrs. M. Stevens and Mrs. B. Oates
28th : The McMullan family

Bible Readers :

7th : Mrs. C. Palmer and Mr. M. Pullen
14th : Mr. and Mrs. D. Robbins (pm Miss M. Dore)
21st : Mrs. M. Stevens
28th : Mr. D. Robbins and Mrs. V. Haydon

Cleaning :(Saturdays)

6th : Mrs. Chris Palmer
13th : Miss Marilyn Dore
20th : Miss Pam Scott & Mrs. Judith Gerrard (YDA meet)
27th : Mrs. Margaret Stevens

Flowers :

7 th :	14 th : Mrs. M. Judd
21 st : Mrs. S. Hunnisett	28 th : Mrs. M. Laflin

Refreshments :

7 th : Mrs. M. Stevens	14 th : Mrs. V. Spires-Lane
21 st : Mrs. B. Oates	28 th : Miss P. Scott

Stewards' rota-

7th : Mrs. Maureen Judd
14th : Miss Marilyn Dore
21st : Mrs. Judith Gerrard
28th : Mr. Mike Pullen

If unavailable for any date listed, please arrange an exchange or replacement, notify the Steward and amend the porch and vestry lists.

Grass cutting will soon be needed – please consider volunteering for this or any of the other tasks – many hands make light work! Please speak to one of the Stewards if you are able to offer help with any of these duties.



in February 2016

7th : 10am Rev. Peter Hancock

Holy Communion Service and Junior Church

14th : 10am Mrs. Dawn Edwards

21st 10am Miss Marilyn Dore

6pm Joint Service at St. Mary's Church

led by Rev. Keith Edwards & Rev. David Williams

28th 10am Mr. Nick Aylen

Junior Church

Refreshments are served after Morning Service