

The Messenger

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

From the Manse

Dear Friends,

We have just had a wonderful celebration of Easter, the most important time in the Church's calendar, even more so than Christmas. At Easter we remember who we are in Christ, who we are to God and perhaps why we are called to the commitment and service of a God who loves us so much that he would send His only son to pay the price of our rebellion and so to restore our relationship with Him.

So what do we do now that Easter is past and we have months before Pentecost and even longer until Harvest or Remembrance or even Christmas, the times when the church is more visible in the community?

The Great Commission (Matt 28:18-20) and the Great Commandment (Matt 22:36-40) help us to understand what our purpose in life should be - to serve God in Ministry, Mission, Evangelism, Discipleship and Fellowship, and to recognise that we need to be engaged equally in all 5 areas.

To be engaged equally in all 5 areas takes great commitment from us all and we start where we are with what we have - and what we have is the body of Christ our church. Each of us has a part to play no-one should ever feel that all they can do is come to worship on a Sunday - we are all worth much more than that. God calls us and empowers us through his Holy Spirit to offer service to Him our whole lives through. Philippians 4:13 says, *"For I can do everything with the help of Christ who gives me the strength I need"* (NLT).

Not some things, not a few things, not nothing but *EVERYTHING!!* In all things Christ calls us and sustains us.

So I encourage you to explore the many ways you can serve both Christ and the church as we seek ways of reaching out to our community and **BEING** the church in this place.

My vision for our church is that we should be a vibrant witness to Jesus Christ in our community with everyone knowing and feeling that they have a part to play in that vision, and everyone knowing just how much God loves them and longs for them to be a part of His family.

May God bless us as we seek to do his will.

Keith.

Junior Church & Crèche -

We meet on 17th and 24th April
when all children are welcomed.

- Fran McMullan.



To **Robinson Trout** who will be
12 years old on 4th April.

Greetings also to **Fay Shephard**
who celebrates a special birthday
on 21st April.

Amazon has launched a
button that goes on the
wall of your home or a
household appliance. When it's
pressed, it will order something
you're running out of, e.g. soap
powder or kitchen roll. Called
the Dash Button, it is a little hook
marked with a brand name. The
button is free but only available
to Amazon Prime members in the
US. So far more than a dozen
products are available.

*(Is this a true story or an April
Fool? Is this an April Fool? Is
there another?*

Later -



A group for young people aged
11 to 17 in our area held on the
evening of the 3rd Sunday of the
month from 6-8pm at our
Methodist Church, but organised
by CTR. The next is Sunday, 17th
April.

The evenings feature food, a
space to chat, a range of games
/activities and a short interactive
'God slot'. For more information
please contact our Minister, Rev.
Keith Edwards
ulysee798@gmail.com;
Rev. James Tomkins (St.
Dunstan's Church)
jamestomkins@btinternet.com or
Fran McMullan [chris-
fran@live.com](mailto:chris-fran@live.com)

We would welcome large
beanbags for the group to use
and, to add some variety to the
meetings, volunteers having
hobbies or craft skills are
encouraged to come along to
help the evenings go with a
swing. Please contact Fran for
any information.

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 gladly 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. Please direct any queries to Lizzie Tinsley
lizzie.nolimits@gmail.com

Craft activities: Please start collecting **rolls of wallpaper, jam jars and empty tins** for craft activities. There is a box in the store cupboard where these items may be stored.

Anniversary Service and lunch

We were delighted to have Rev. Ralph Waller to lead our worship with an inspiring message about grasping new opportunities.

The lunch which followed was delicious as usual, due to willing helpers preparing different dishes, and so many of you who helped with the tables, chairs, washing up etc. so that the load was shared. Thank you to everyone.

We are happy to report that £85 was raised for Home Missions.

- Judith Gerrard.

Fairtrade

The stall in March took £50, and there will be more opportunities to buy Fairtrade goods from the stall after the service on 3rd April, kindly manned by Margaret in my absence.

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

Cake and Plant Stall

*Sunday, 24th April for
the Karibuni Trust*

This stall, which is available after Morning Service, is a great opportunity to share our skills in baking and growing plants, and enjoying others' produce.

Please contribute delights from your efforts in the kitchen or garden:- *jam, chutney, bread, pies, cakes (but mainly cakes, as they are so popular)*, any plants surplus to requirements (it's an ideal time of year for summer plantings) and any other items of bric-a-brac or anything that you think might sell. Offers of help with setting up and serving customers would be greatly appreciated.

Please support the stall by contributing or buying, and let Judith know (01494 449732) if you need anything collected.

Misleading Church Notice -



This Sunday :
*Blessing of the animals
BBQ after the service*

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.

A reminder

Ministers' rest days are Rev. Keith Edwards, Wednesdays and Rev. Helen Kirk, Fridays.

Wanted - a small, ideally armless desk chair for use in church for the operation of the hi-tech machine!



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

Tuesday Fellowship

Thank you to Peter and Brenda Willett, who at our February meeting told us about and showed us pictures of their trip last year to Singapore, Australia and Hong Kong. It was great to see many of the wonderful places they visited.

Our next meeting is on 19th April when Rev. Keith Edwards will again be showing us some of his wonderful collection of photographs.

We would love you to join us at our meetings. - Pam Scott

Parables

How well do you know the parables Jesus told?

Jesus used Parables – earthly stories with a hidden spiritual meaning, to teach his Jewish listeners what God and the Kingdom of Heaven was. Now, which Parables deliver these messages?

1. Jesus knew that amongst the crowds of people who came to listen to Him, there would be varying degrees of understanding and responses to His teachings.

2. The Kingdom of Heaven on earth began with only Jesus but would spread across the world.

3. Don't prejudice anyone based solely on their nationality/culture/colour/faith etc. Don't pre-judge your fellow human beings at all.

4. God forgives anyone who repents of their mistakes and seeks His forgiveness.

5. It's not the number of years you've been a Christian that qualifies you for entry into the Kingdom of Heaven.

And for questions 6-10, what is the 'message' in these Parables?

6. The Parable of the Sheep and the Goats? Matt.25v31-46

7. The Parable of the Rich Man and Lazarus? Luke 16v19-31

8. The Parable of the Hidden Treasure? Matt.13v44

9. The Parable of the Lost Sheep? Luke 15v1-7

10. The Parable of the Talents? Matt.25v14-30.

(Answers on page 16)

It's a relationship, not a religion!

A new survey has found that Christians experience higher levels of happiness, life satisfaction and self-worth than people who do not have a faith.

As part of the "Measuring National Well-being" research, the Office for National Statistics (ONS) questioned 300,000 people between 2012 and last year. In a table measuring happiness, Christians apparently scored themselves higher than every religious category except Hindus. According to the ONS, Christians are happier than those with no religion, plus Buddhists, Jews, Muslims and Sikhs. Similarly, Christians came in joint first place with Hindus in the life satisfaction index and ranked second in terms of self-worth, behind followers of Judaism.

Speaking on Premier Christian Radio's News Hour, Christian psychologist and retired psychology teacher, Nadia Foster, said *"People think all religions are the same but they're not. Those of us who are Christian say it's a relationship and not a religion. That makes a difference because you're having a relationship with a living God."*

Silent Prayer

Meetings at

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

*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. More details from Revd James Tomkins (01844) 275944 or jamestomkins@btinternet.com.

Coffee Morning

*in aid of the Children's
Society*

10.30am to noon on Friday, 6th
April at Hazel Trees, 12 Bell
Crescent, Longwick. There will
be a Bring & Buy Stall and Raffle.

Arguments!

The best argument for Christianity is Christians – their joy, their certainty, their completeness.

But the best argument against Christianity is also Christians – when they are sombre and joyless, when they are self-righteous and smug, when they are narrow and repressive.

Then Christianity dies a thousand deaths. *C. S. Lewis.*

Thank you

to everyone who came to help with the Church Spring Clean over two Saturdays. Everything looks much brighter now. Thanks also go to our regular Church cleaning volunteers, a small band of hardy souls. If anyone would like to help occasionally as a 'cleaning assistant' please contact the person on the rota and brighten their day by joining them at the appointed hour, even if just to make them a cup of tea..

Ok to read the Bible in public ...

A UKIP peer has questioned whether new plans to combat extremism could result in those who read the Bible in public being found guilty of a hate crime.

Speaking in the House of Lords, Lord Pearson of Rannoch asked the government to respond to the potential risk of the changes which come into effect in April.

He'd suggested some might be offended if they claim that Jesus is God and denies the "divinity of Allah."

Home Office Minister Lord Ahmed replied stating that reading the Bible in public would never become a criminal offence. He said; "Reading texts from the Holy Bible in public or preaching the divinity of Christ is not a crime and never will be in this country. "The government's counter extremism strategy makes it clear that the government will protect free speech and the right to profess, practice and propagate any religion or indeed none."

The Princes Centre News -

It's wonderful to hear of a grant from WDC enabling a replacement of our old bus. Special thanks to a trustee, D/Cllr Alan Turner, who helped to make this possible.

We continue to improve our work to make safe the area leading from the Peter Robinson room to the garden has been completed with the relaying and extension of the paving and the fitting of new hand railings. Many thanks to the Rotary Club for partially funding this project.

Due to a donation from the P.R. Market Traders Group, the Lower Hall has new carpets and blinds. We are grateful to everyone who supports us by pledging funding. A trustee has produced a very comprehensive list detailing all the improvements required at the Centre. Although we hope to obtain some grant funding we will continue our fundraising activities.

1. Quiz and Bingo night on Friday April 8th at a cost of £10, including a meal of Lasagne and garlic bread or Shepherd's Pie. Please ring Kim [01844 345105] to book a table.

2. Bingo on Thursday 28th April.

Other events in the pipeline are a Golf Day on the 21st April which is being organised by Tom

Winkworth with help from Princes Risborough Rotary Club, a further collection outside Tesco in May, and a Bisley Day organised by Peter Cullimore, one of our patrons.

Details of recent donations are not yet available but we do know that we have received two donations from Churches Together in Risborough (CTR) for which we are very grateful.

If you would like to offer support in any way Kim would welcome a phone call from you on 01844 345105. – Maggie Wooster.

Smiles

1. A nun working with small children in the Middle East ran out of petrol. She trudged to the nearest garage with the only thing she had in the car, which was a baby's potty, filled it with petrol, made her way back and, with difficulty, poured the petrol into her tank. A couple of Arabs at the next pump saw her and said, "*Sister, although we don't share your religion, we greatly admire your faith.*"

2. An old Norfolk farmer who sold his produce locally said to his friend, "*I don't mind all this stuff I hear about a common market, as long as they don't hold it on Thursdays to clash with ours.*"

Christian Aid

There will be the traditional monthly luncheon on Thursday 7th April between 12 noon and 1.15pm at the Baptist Church Upper Hall.

The Christian Aid Week Lunch is on Saturday, 21st May and the United Service is on Sunday, 15th May at 6pm at St. Dunstan's Church, Monks Risborough.

- Margaret Stevens

Pause for thought -

There is so much good in the worst of us and so much bad in the best, that it hardly behoves any of us to talk about the rest!

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 meetings are the 14th and 28th April.

St. George's Day

Celebrate 23rd April

St. George's Day used to be a national holiday in England. It is now an observance that is celebrated with parades, dancing and other activities. Flags with the image of St. George's cross are flown on some buildings, especially pubs, and a few people wear a red rose on their lapel. Church services on the Sunday closest to April 23rd often include the hymn 'Jerusalem', written by the poet William Blake.

The Lord's Prayer

You cannot pray the Lord's
Prayer and even say one 'I',
You cannot pray the Lord's
Prayer and even once pray
'my'.

Nor can you say the Lord's
Prayer and not pray for
another;

For when you ask for daily
bread, you can't miss out your
brother;

For others are included in each
and every plea.

From beginning to the end of it, it
does not once say 'me'.

Joint services -

These 6pm services, which have been running for some years alternately in our Methodist Church and St. Mary's Parish Church, now include our friends from the Baptist Church whilst their Minister, Rev. Richard Allwood has been indisposed. We are grateful to Rev. Keith Edwards and Rev. David Williams for leading them so successfully. The schedule is:

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.

U **Update** - You may remember Rev. David Hughes who served as a Minister in the Baptist Church. On retiring 12 years ago, he and his wife, Margaret, moved to Clacton-on-Sea.

Mrs Jean Packwood arranged to send them the Messenger each month; a well established procedure at the time, 10 years ago, when I took over from Geoff

Bending in distributing the Messenger.

As Mrs. Packwood is now living with her daughter in Lacey Green, I contacted David to see if he still received the Messenger. Although he had not received it for some time he had been pleased to receive a copy closer to his time here. However, he now told me that it's better not to send them anymore. I had sent him the March edition, which he enjoyed reading and was interested to see how many names he recognised.

David told me that soon after arriving in Clacton, they were both asked to go on the Methodist Circuit Plan, and so they are regularly leading Sunday worship at the churches in the area. Margaret stays fairly local while David goes out a bit further. He says he now knows his way around the Methodist Service Book and Hymns and Psalms (very few churches here have invested in 'Singing the Faith') and he asked me to pass on their good wishes to everyone at our church. - Peter Willett.

M **mm ...** Many things are opened by mistake, but none more than the mouth!

Concert

7pm 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 perform at Aylesbury Methodist Church.

Tickets cost £5 with children free. Please ring the Church Office on 01296 426526 for information or Rev. Steve Watts on 01296 747892..

Princes Risborough Music Society -

Our Summer Concerts will be on 30th June, 1st and 2nd July at Longwick Village Hall when we will perform a concert version of La Belle Helene by Offenbach.

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

Tea for Two

An afternoon of songs, tea & cake

With 'High Octane' with songs from 1920 to 1950s shows

Saturday, 23rd April 2.30 to 4pm
At Stoke Mandeville Methodist Church, Eskdale Road.

Tickets £7 with tea & cakes.in the interval. Profit to the Karibuni Trust.

Contact Pat Starr on 01296 613430/pat@p3learning.co.uk

Lacey Green Singers

A Celebration of Music from Around the British Isles.

Saturday, 23rd April at 7pm.
St. John's Parish Church, Lacey Green. Tickets at £5 to include wine, soft drinks and savoury nibbles.

Tel:01494 564512 or 01494 563080
laceygreensingers@hotmail.com

Celebrate St. George's Day with 'Sway' ...

Saturday, 23rd April at 7.30pm at
St. Dunstan's Church, Monks
Risborough.

This is a 6 piece Jazz Band who
play a mix of swing, Latin,
popular show tunes and a
sprinkling of Ballads, Beatles and
boogie. Come along; you may
even be tempted to get on the
dance floor.

Tickets cost £8 to include a
complimentary glass of wine or
soft drink from Jenny Powell on
01844 343996 or Rachael Ungi on
01844 761535.

Be proud to be British!

Only in Britain – *can a pizza arrive
quicker than an ambulance.*

Only in Britain – *do supermarkets
ask ill people walk to the back of
the shop for a prescription, but sell
cigarettes at the front entrance.*

Only in Britain – *do banks leave
both doors open and chain pens to
the counter.*

Only in Britain – *are there disabled
parking places in front of a
skating rink.*

Methodists in demand!

Whilst investigating the word
'tenterhooks' an interesting fact
emerged. Tenterhooks aren't
directly connected with tents or
hooks. A tenter is a wooden
frame used to hang woollen or
linen cloth to prevent it from
shrinking as it dries. The
tenterhooks are, not surprisingly,
the hooks on the tenter used to
hold the cloth in place.

In the village of Helmshore,
Lancashire, during the late 19th
and early 20th century, there were
a number of woollen mills that
used the 'fulling process'. Before
Fuller's Earth, human urine was
used as a fulling agent as it had a
similar effect.

Villagers were issued with
earthenware pots which were
kept outside their front doors
which they filled from their
chamber pots. They were
emptied by the mills and
households earned 1d (one
penny) per pot.

Some mills only took the pots
from Methodist (non-drinking)
homes as it gave them a stronger
product!

A Teenager or a Seenager?

I am a Seenager - a Senior teenager. I have all I wanted as a teenager, only 60 years later..... I don't have to go to school or work..... I get an allowance I have my own pad..... I don't have a curfew...I have a driving licence and a car. I can go into pubs. I don't have acne..... Life is Good! You'll feel much more intelligent after reading this, if you are a Seenager.

Brains of older people are slow because they know so much. People do not decline mentally with age, it just takes them longer to recall facts as they have more information in their brains. Scientists say this also makes you deaf as it puts pressure on your inner ear. Much like a computer struggles as the hard drive gets full, so too do humans take longer to access information when their brains are full.

Researchers say this slowing down process is not the same as cognitive decline. The human brain works slower in old age, but only because we have stored more information over time. The brains of older people do not get weak. On the contrary, they

simply know more.

Older people often go to another room to get something and when they get there, they stand there wondering what they came for. It is NOT a memory problem, it's thought to be nature's way of making older people do more exercise.

Kitchen prayer -

Lord of pots and pans and things, since I've not time to be, a saint by doing lovely things or watching late with Thee.

Or dreaming in the dawn light or storming Heaven's gates, make me a saint by getting meals and washing up the plates.

Although I must have Martha's hands, I have a Mary's mind, and when I black the boots and shoes Thy sandals Lord I find.

I think of how they trod the earth, what time I scrub the floor, accept this meditation Lord, I haven't time for more.

(found tucked into the pages of an old cookery book)

Parable answers -

1. The Parable of the sower - Mark v1-20
2. The Parable of the mustard seed - Mark 4v30-32
3. The Parable of the good Samaritan - Luke 10v25-37
4. The Parable of the prodigal son - Luke 15v11-32
5. The Parable of the labourers in the vineyard - Matt.20v1-16
6. Your earthly life will be judged by God.
7. You determine whether you go to Heaven or Hell by your own actions during life.
8. Becoming spiritually awake to God and eternal lie supersedes all else.
9. God loves, and looks for the repentance of sinners. He forgives them.
10. Use your God-given skills and abilities to the full. What you don't use, you lose.

R.O.P.E.

**Relief for Oppressed People
Everywhere**
www.rope.org.uk

Please hand used postage stamps (leaving a border of ¼ ") to Judith Gerrard to raise money for this small charity.

Retiring Collection for ROPE

There will be a retiring collection after the service on 3rd April.

Please support this event detailed below in support of ROPE.

Swingin' Sounds of Soundforce Big Band

**Friday 20th May at
St. Mary's Church, Princes
Risborough**

Fund-raising event to support the work of ROPE. Music from 8 pm
Dancing, refreshments, raffle.
Tickets: £20 each from the Parish
Office or J Biddlecombe 345367
Tickets limited, so don't delay!

Risborough Good Neighbours

This is a volunteer scheme to help people who do not have transport to get to medical appointments. It operates for the people of Princes Risborough and surrounding villages to attend medical appointments in Stoke Mandeville, High Wycombe, Thame, Amersham and within Risborough itself.

Unfortunately, because of the current lack of volunteers, the scheme is in danger of having to cease operation! We desperately need **Telephone Co-ordinators** (who arrange the trips) and **Drivers** with their own vehicles (who undertake to take people to their appointments and return them to their home afterwards). Telephone call costs can be reclaimed and drivers get 45p per mile (maximum rate allowed). No-one is tied to particular times and each trip is arranged individually.

Please consider volunteering to help this worthwhile scheme continue. The number to ring is 01844 342600 (9.00am to 4.30pm) if you feel willing to offer your services or require more information about the service. Thank you.

Bereavement 'Drop In'

This monthly group offers a warm welcome to anyone who is struggling with the grief of bereavement. We share together, drink tea or coffee, talk about our experiences or just listen. Many find comfort in talking about their loved ones with others who know what they are going through.

We meet on the second Monday of each month to avoid Bank Holidays in the Chapter House at the back of St Mary's Church, Princes Risborough, between 3 and 4 o'clock. Everyone is welcome, of any faith, or no faith at all. Further details from Rose Williams 01844 27422.

Belief -

Bestowing trust
Expressing faith
Living with optimism
Inspiring contentment
Encountering peace
Feeling supported
= **belief.**

April diary -

- 3rd : Retiring collection for ROPE
- 3rd : Fairtrade Stall after Morning Service
- 4th : Silent Prayer Meeting at St. Dunstan's Church
- 6th : Children's Society Coffee Morning in Longwick
- 7th : Christian Aid Lunch
- 10th : Joint Service at our Church 6pm
- 14th : SALT
- 17th : Junior Church with Crèche
- 17th : Later group for young people
- 19th : Tuesday Fellowship
- 22nd : Concert at AMC 7pm
- 23rd : Tea for Two at Stoke Mandeville M.C.
- 23rd : Concert at Lacey Green
- 23rd : SWAY at St. Dunstan's Church
- 24th : Junior Church with Crèche
- 24th : Cake/Plant/Bric-a-Brac Stall after Morning Service
- 28th : SALT
- 30th : Lighthouse Quiz Night

Forward dates-

- 15th May – Christian Aid United Service 6pm at St. Dunstan's
- 20th May – Swingin' Sounds on 20th May for ROPE
- 21st May – Christian Aid Lunch

Stewards' Rota :

- 3rd : Miss Marilyn Dore - 01844 345537
- 10th : Mrs. Judith Gerrard - 01494 449732 (am)
- 10th : Mrs. Maureen Judd (pm) - 01844 344935
- 17th : Mr. Will Richmond - 01844 342448
- 24th : Mr. Mike Pullen - 01844 343188

April Rotas

Welcoming Stewards :

3rd : Mr. and Mrs. D. Robbins

10th : Mrs. M. Stevens and Mrs. B. Oates (pm) Mr. J. Needham

17th : The McMullan family

24th : Mrs. F. Shephard and Mr. J. Needham

Bible Readers :

3rd : Mr. and Mrs. D. Robbins

10th : Mrs. M. Stevens and Mr. W. Richmond (pm) Mr. J. Needham

17th : Miss M. Dore and Mrs. V. Haydon

24th : Mrs. F. Shephard and a Junior Church member

Church duties : (Saturdays) Cleaning Grass Cutting

2nd : Mrs. K. Trout

Mr. N. Trout

9th : Miss P. Scott

Mr. D. Wilson

16th : Y.D.A. Mrs. C. Palmer

Mr. B. Palmer

23rd : Mr. D. Stevens

Mrs. M. Stevens

30th : Miss M. Dore

Mr. J. Needham

Flowers :

3rd : Mrs. W. Carter (via Chris Palmer) 10th : Mrs. B. Oates

17th : Tuesday Fellowship

24th : Mrs. S. Hunnisett

Refreshments :

3rd : Mrs. C. Palmer

10th : Mrs. B. Oates

17th : Mrs. V. Spires Lane

24th : Mrs. C. Palmer

Lead hymn singers: (please try to alternative, ensuring all dates are covered)

3rd : Mr. Vic. Baker

10th : Mr. Neville. Trout

17th : Mr. Vic. Baker

24th : Mr. Neville. Trout

If unavailable for any date listed, please arrange an exchange or replacement, notify the Steward and amend the porch and vestry. Please contact a Steward if you are able to offer help with any of these duties



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**3rd : 10am Rev. Keith Edwards with
Holy Communion**

**10th : 10am Rev. Ann Henman
6pm United Service held at this Church**

17th : 10am Local Arrangement

**24th : 10am Mr. Arthur Sara
Followed by our charitable cake,
plant and bric-a-brac stall**

Refreshments are served after Morning Service

