

## PRAYER WORKS!

We are thrilled at the answers to prayer we see in the lives of many in our community and the blessings and encouragements in our church family. Also, don't forget the Saturday morning prayer time 7.30-9.00am in the Church.



## COLLECT

### The 2nd Sunday of Lent

Almighty God,  
by the prayer and discipline of Lent  
may we enter into the mystery of  
Christ's sufferings,  
and by following in his Way  
come to share in his glory;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

## SERVICES AND TOPICS TODAY

8.30 ,10.30am and 12

'Opposition to Jesus '  
*John 10 v22-42* David Hall

6.30 pm

'Growing as a Disciple -  
The tools of Discipleship':  
2 Timothy 3:1-17 and  
2 Timothy 4:1-5, Simon Tulett

## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK?

### Sunday 8th March

8.30 am, 10.30 am, 12.00 noon  
and 6.30pm services  
4.00pm Tea Concert

### Monday 9th March

10.00 Language Café  
3.15-5.00 pm Illuminate (for years 4-5)  
4.30 - 5.45 pm Going Deeper (for year 6)

### Tuesday 10th March

10.00-11.30am Toddlers  
6.30 pm Real (for years 7-9)  
Input Prayers 7.45-9.30pm

### Wednesday 11th March

10.00-11.30am Toddlers  
3.15 -4.45 pm Lighthouse (for years 1-3)  
7.30 pm YPF (for years 10-13)

### Thursday 12th March

10.00-11.30am Toddlers  
Discovery 7.30pm

### Friday 13th March

10.00-11.30am Toddlers

### Saturday 14th March

7.30 - 9.00am "Come Lord Jesus"  
Open prayer in Church

### Sunday 15th March

8.30am Holy Communion  
10.30am  
12.00 noon Church @12  
6.30pm Informal Evening Worship



**Sunday 8th MARCH 2020**

**WELCOME**

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**God's love - know it, show it, share it,  
declare it**

## NEWS, NEWS, NEWS!!!

### CONFIRMATION

**15th March 6.30pm.** Do let the office know if you'd like more information or talk to any of the Clergy or Youth Team if you feel this is the next step for you.



### PRAYER MINISTRY TRAINING

Save the date!

**Thursday, 2 April** - 7.30 pm for refreshments with a prompt start at 8.00 pm and an equally prompt finish at 9.30 pm. This is for members of the team who missed the last training, and for those who would like, without obligation, to learn more about this ministry, available after the Sunday services. You don't have to be "super spiritual" but love and know our Father God and have a desire to come alongside others in prayer and also praise.

Further details from Sylvia Mann,  
Co-ordinator of the Prayer Ministry Team  
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### SAVE THE DATES!

**Discovery** Thursday 12th March 7.30pm.

**Visiting morning** is planned for **Saturday 21 March**. Get ready to join us as we knock on doors and invite people to our church.

### SERVICE OF MEDITATION

There will be a service of meditation at 2.30pm on Good Friday. This will take the form of a talk, readings, hymns and music to enhance our meditations. We are hoping to include a choir to sing three items. The music will be thoughtful and relevant to the message of The Crucifixion to allow us all to dwell on the words and sacrifice of Jesus.

There will also be a children's activity programme in the Point, allowing parents to attend.

If you feel you would like to contribute to the Easter choir please contact [delia.meehan@gmail.com](mailto:delia.meehan@gmail.com) or [david-heath@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:david-heath@hotmail.co.uk).

Rehearsals will take place on Monday evenings from 8:00pm - 9:00pm commencing on March 9th.

We would love you to join us!



### EASTER EGG-STRAVAGANZA

Christ Church is hosting an evangelistic outreach event for Children and Families in our parish and community on Monday 6th April between 2 and 3.30pm. We would really appreciate volunteers to help run this amazing event. If you are free and would love to be involved, either speak to Bri or Alistair or email Bri on [brianna.ricciardo@cccw.org.uk](mailto:brianna.ricciardo@cccw.org.uk)

### EASTER VISITING

We plan to visit about 700 homes on Saturday 21st March. The more people who take part, the more houses we can call on! We're also looking for people to drop Easter cards through letterboxes. Each card, with a message from David Hall, is an invitation to our Easter services. Please contact Geoff Marshall-Taylor for more information:



### RICKMANSWORTH

**FOODBANK** would really

appreciate donations of the following items: Size 4, 5 and 6 nappies, washing up liquid, washing powder (NOT capsules or liquid). Donations can be made at Tesco and Waitrose or the Mill, Methodist Church, Berry Lane WD3 7HJ (Tues 2-6).