

Welcome!

Are you new to our church or just visiting?
Please make yourself known to a Steward.
After Morning Worship please stay for refreshments
in Century Hall, through the door behind the pulpit.

We do not take collections during services.
If you wish to make a gift, please use the collecting
boxes which are at various points around the
church. If you would like to donate by standing
order please contact Paul Haslam

**Large print Hymnbooks & Notices are
available; there is also a hearing loop.**

Prayer after Worship

If you would like someone to pray with you or for
you after the service, please see the steward on
duty. Please do ask them.

Sunday May 12 2019



9:15

Worship for everyone in Century Hall
including breakfast

10.30am Circuit service including the Dedication of
Easter Offerings
led by Rev Tim Morris and the ladies of
the Circuit

6.30pm Worship including Holy Communion
Led by Rev Dr Stella Mills

Mustard -attending District Youth Event in
the afternoon

The week ahead...

Sunday May 19 2019

Monday 13 May

NO Morning Housegroup
2-4pm Craft & Chat *in The Cornerstone*
7.30pm Housegroup *at Cherry & Mike's 370908*
7.30pm Church Council *in Century Hall*

Tuesday 14 May

9-11am kids@cornerstone *in The Cornerstone*
10am Housegroup *at Alma's 343751*
1-3pm kids@cornerstone *in The Cornerstone*
6.15pm Minister's Vestry Hour

Wednesday 15 May

9.30am Walk & Talk *contact Chris & John 345280*
7.30pm Housegroup *at Eric & Jenny's 346155*
Deadline for June 'Connections'

Thursday 16 May

9.30am Time for Prayer *in the Vestry*
10am-3pm The Cornerstone Coffee Shop
7.30pm Housegroup *at Becky & Tim's 343494*
7.30pm Housegroup *at Jo & Paul's 342897*

Friday 17 May

10am-3pm The Cornerstone Coffee Shop

Saturday 18 May

10am-4pm The Cornerstone Coffee Shop

10.30am Worship including Holy Communion
led by Rev Mark Broadhurst

Powersource groups meet as usual

6.30pm Praise!
Café style worship led by Sue Leese
in Century Hall

6.30pm Mustard – will attend Praise!

Prayer Topic for the Week

We pray for MWiB Mission Work. May money
raised bring love, hope and justice to this needy
world and it's people who live in war-torn areas, in
poverty, hunger & homelessness.

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Family news

Congratulations to Nick & Becca Dennison on the birth of Otilie Ann, sister for Alfie, granddaughter for Mike & Cherry and to Tim & Heidi Wijsbroek on the birth of Hennie Eva, a granddaughter for Stan & Ruth Durose. The funeral of Hilary Blackwell, Judith Bale's mother, will be held on Monday 13th May at 1pm in the Round Chapel at Markeaton Crematorium. It will be a small family service but anyone who remembers Hilary & would like to attend will be very welcome.

Prayer Please pray for Stuart Mustow, who is back in the Royal Derby Hospital and for the Open the book team at Hilltop School on Monday (story of Ruth)

Road closure next Sunday May 19 – please note that Station Road will be closed early next Sunday morning for the annual Triathlon event. There will be no parking at the side of Church and there will be lots of extra cars and visitors in town. The road will reopen at 1pm

Connections magazine

The deadline for June Connections is Wed 15 May. The deadline for the July/August edition will be 26 June and the publication date 7 July. *John & Daphne*

Thank you

The communion stewards wish to thank Rosemary Webb for the commitment & support that she has given as communion steward over many years. Rosemary is now the communion steward at Brailsford Church & we wish her well in her new position. If anyone feels that they could offer to serve in this role & would like to know more, please contact any of the communion stewards. *Judith Starkie , Joy Watts, Noreen Allen , Susan McKeown , Liz Mawdsley*

Books for Book Aid:

Last chance! I need to deliver them in the next few days. If you would like me to collect any books do give me a ring on 419319 or please leave them in the box in the vestibule or at my house *Richard*

Arts festival knitting

Would you like to knit or crochet any flowers to be included in this year's yarn bombing in June? All contributions gratefully received. Patterns, wool and needles can be provided. Please contact Clare Sales 342321 gatefarm10@btinternet.com

Pennies for Lent I am now starting to collect any monies people have collected during Lent and will be doing so over the next few weeks. I am more than happy to come and collect the money (often quite heavy!) from you at home; just give me a ring if you would like me to do so. Thank you. *Pat Fielding 345695*

Looking Ahead – Shoeboxes

We are doing shoeboxes again this year for Samaritan's Purse. It's so good we can bring love to so many children who have nothing. Empty shoeboxes are needed please. If anyone would like to do any knitting please see one of the team. Wool can be provided. *Sheila Cook, Chris Dakin, Margaret Heaton, Brenda Micklethwaite, Diane Warburton*

Concert, 8 June "Rhythm of Life"

Would you help by baking a cake &/or helping to serve refreshments on the night? I will put up a list for cakes & serving, on notice boards in the Vestibule & Century Hall. Please sign up. Thank you *Enid*

Good news from Nepal: "I come with some really good news to share with you! Praise the Lord! The General Secretary of Nepal Christian Society, along with the others arrested with him have been released after an all day court hearing on April 29 and much prayer by the Christian Community"

Thank you for your prayers. *Richard Odell*

Tissington Well Dressings 30 May - 4 June

Thank you to all who have signed up on the list in the vestibule to be a 'welcomer.' There are still a few gaps. If you could be a friendly face to chat with visitors or just be there (make yourself tea or coffee), just sign up or let me know and I can add your name. You can park your car at the Chapel. *Joyce Odell 419319*

Tissington Well Dressing Cake Stall

The rota for staffing the stall and a list for baking cakes are on the notice board. See current Connections for more detail *John Hurfurt*

Strawberry Tea - Saturday 1 June

MWiB Circuit Committee are holding a Strawberry Tea on Saturday 1 June from 2 pm - 4.30 pm This will be held at Sandra and Cliff's at The Old House, Bank End Farm, Roston. All proceeds are in aid of The Link Project. We know this is a busy weekend but we hope you will make the effort to call in for tea and scones/cakes for this worthwhile cause. All welcome

Our Creative Faith: A Month of Readings and Reflections

A huge thank you to everyone who has already offered to write a piece for the summer reflections booklet. Do consider whether you might be able to offer to join this project – it's a whole church and all age activity! See Connections for more details or get in touch with Fiona (343011 onesmallflock@btinternet.com). We shall be sending out the readings to volunteers within the next week or so. Thank you also to everyone who has offered support and encouragement – it is much appreciated. *Fiona, Stuart and Wendy*

Greenbelt Festival 23-26 August

Would you like to join us at Greenbelt Festival this year? There are 16 in the group from Ashbourne so far aged 8 to 73, and we'd be really pleased to welcome anyone else. Please speak to Catherine Green 01335 300338

Dates for your Diary

22 May -MWiB afternoon tea at Willersley, details from Alma
24-27 May -Cliff College Festival. Details -Jane Bowley
Saturday 1 June – Afternoon tea at Cliff & Sandra's
Saturday 8 June – Musical Extravaganza with the Chameleon Choir, organist Greg Barker, 'A Little Light Music' sax quartet. Proceeds to the Link Project.

Notices for next week: Please e-mail items to noticesamc@gmail.com, or phone 342859 by noon on Thursday.

Thank you.