

Sunday April 23rd 2017

Morning Worship led by Mr Nigel Lightfoot

Call to Worship

Hymn 34: O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness

Prayers of Adoration and Confession

Hymn 531: What a friend we have in Jesus

Prayers of Intercession – led by Linda Cornall

The Lord's Prayer

Responsive Reading – Psalm 16 (802 in StF)

Hymn 489: All I once held dear

Offering

New Testament Lessons

1 Peter 1:3-9

John 20:19-31

Hymn 661: Give me the faith which can remove

Sermon

Hymn 557: Let Him to whom we now belong

Benediction

Notices for the coming week

Sun 23rd 6.30 Prayers in support of Hamptons East at Park Road

Tues 25th 10.30 Pause for Prayer in Walsingham
2.00 Crafty Capers in Walsingham

Weds 26th 10.30 Circuit Intercessions in Lindisfarne
1.00 Wednesday@1 at the Cathedral
2.00 Bluebell Tea in Lindisfarne
7.30 Peterborough Theological Society, at Friends Meeting
House, speaker Revd Dr Harvey Kuyam – African
Christianity in Britain – Emerging Missional Impulses

Sat 29th 10.15 – 11.45 Coffee morning, in Walsingham
12.30 – 2.30 Food Bank, in Walsingham

Sun 30th 10.30am Morning Worship, led by Mrs Ann Tooth

Notices

FoodBank Deliveries

Since the Westgate FoodBank opened in 2013, we have been fortunate in having a volunteer Deena, who has regularly supervised the incoming deliveries from the Warehouse, with Manny's help, to unpack and store items ready for the FoodBank sessions on Saturdays. Now she and her husband are moving away and we urgently need a volunteer to replace her.

The hours are 10:30-11:30-11:45 on Fridays on a 1:3 rota to receive deliveries. If you feel you can help, please contact Ewan Cappitt, Ian Cornall or Monica Pumphrey. Thank you.

FoodBank Request

We have been notified by FoodBank that they are short of all items except Baked Beans and Pasta. They need more donations, so please could you help as much as you can. Thank you.

Bluebell Tea

On the 26th April, we will be hosting a Bluebell tea between 2pm-5pm. If you feel you could help with this, for example making and serving tea or coffee, washing up, etc... could you please see Audrey. We would love to see many members supporting the event (regardless of whether you can volunteer), so please come along on the day if you can.

A Heart for Hamptons East

This initiative supports the development of a new community in Hamptons East. The next meeting is at Park Road Baptist Church on 23rd April 2017 at 6.30pm.

Tuesdays Till Two

This series of concerts is starting again this Tuesday 25th April, with Jill Crossland playing the piano. Then there are weekly concerts until 13th June. Admission is free, with a suggested donation of £4 and refreshments are available. The events are at St John The Baptist Church, between 1.00pm-1.45pm.

Faith & the Environment Conference

This is a day-long conference to explore living well as individuals, church and community and our faith and how it links to the environment. It is on Saturday 13th May, 9.30am – 4.30pm at Edward King House, Minster Yard, Lincoln, LN2 1PU. More details and to book visit

<https://faithandenvironmentlincoln.wordpress.com>. Tickets are £6.96 including booking fee.

Equipping for Mission and Evangelism

This series of sessions, open to all but aimed at Worship Leaders and Preachers, is run by Rev. Jill Marsh. It is on Saturday 20th May, 10:00-15:00 at Open Doors, Telfer House, Range Road, Witney, OX29 0YB. Contact maiseyandrew@gmail.com for more information or to book.

Puppet Ministry

For those who would like to train in using puppetry, especially those who work in Children's ministry and evangelism. Puppets will be provided on the day for the training, so you can come even if you don't own a puppet. The event is at Park Road Baptist Church on Saturday June 17th from 10.00am to 4.00pm, please bring a packed lunch.

Circuit Work in Welland

The Circuit is looking to appoint a part-time pioneer team leader to continue the good work started by Deacon John in Welland, one of the poorest areas in the UK. This appointment is for a three year period. Grant funding has been applied

for, but there is still a shortfall in the cost that needs to be met by pledges and donations towards the work. If this is something you wish to contribute to, a donation form is available at <http://www.peterboroughmethodistcircuit.org>. Please do this today if possible as the Circuit will be reviewing the position in April.

Crafty Capers

On the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month, Westgate New Church are hosting craft afternoons, from 2 to 4pm in Walsingham. Bring your own craft project, enjoy a chat, share skills and learn from each other. Tea and coffee will be available.

SUGGESTED PRAYER ACTIVITY FOR THIS WEEK:

...and Joanna, the wife of Herod's steward Chuza.... and many others, who provided for them out of their resources.

Luke 8:3 -

Prayer Activity:

Make yourself a cup of tea. Think about the story of that tea, who brought it to your table, who produced it, cared for it, blended it, grew the leaves, harvested it, and who themselves may never have tasted it.