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ST MARGARET'S WHITNASH

NOTICES

Sundays 16th & 23rd March 2025

Our mission at St. Margaret's is:

"To receive God's love in Christ and to share it with all"

Website: WWW.SMCW.ORG



Sunday 16th March

10:00 a.m. **All Age Worship**

Reading 1 John 3:16-24

4:00pm **Connect @ 4** at the Church Centre

Thursday 20th March

10:30 a.m. **BCP Holy Communion**

Sunday 23rd March

10:00a.m. **Morning Worship**

Reading: 1 John 4:17-21

4:00pm **Connect @ 4** at the Church Centre

Thursday 27th March

10:30 a.m. **BCP Holy Communion**

COLLECTIONS AT SERVICES: Please make your offerings on the wooden plates or on the ConnectTin machine, at the entry and exit doors to the Church, as we don't pass the offertory plate around during the service. Many thanks.

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Your prayers are asked for the following people:

Beverley Rye, Sophina Huggan, Alan Sperring, Ben Stafford, Julie Winup, Jeanette Oubridge, David Lloyd, Michael Roberts, Alistair McFarlane, Hallie-Rose, Avril Baker, Roger Perrin, Fay, Shirley Simms, Stuart Forrest, Paul Yarwood

For the bereaved family & friends of: Barbara Clemmey, Dawn Harris, Keith Banner, Josephine Godfrey, Mary Reading, Keith Orme, Jane Anstey

Requests for Foodbank donations:

Tins of fruit, Tins of veg (peas, sweetcorn), Small bottles of squash
Custard, Deodorant

...with thanks for your continued support. Ros

Electoral Roll: Every six years the Electoral Roll is completely revised. Being on the electoral roll is a way of demonstrating your willingness to help shape the future of the church and enables you to participate and vote in the Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) Those who want to be on it or if you have any questions need to apply or reapply to the Electoral Roll Officer, Julia Davies.

Please fill in the form at church and give to Julia or contact

jlizlouise@yahoo.co.uk. Thank you.

Warwick and Leamington Deanery Synod: There will be a Deanery prayer evening in place of the usual Deanery Synod business meeting on Monday 24th March at St Paul's Church, Leamington. We will start at 7:30pm (tea/coffee will be available from 7:15pm) and finish by 9pm. Anyone from any churches in the deanery is welcome.

Lent Theme: Living Hope: I encourage those of you who are able to, to download the Everyday Faith app so you can get the readings and reflections straight to your phone

<https://www.churchofengland.org/node/25598>

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MISSION PRAYER



(*Christian Outreach Relief and Development*).

Ndikumana's Story

Ndikumana Patricia's whole life had focused on survival: surviving the prejudice she faced due to dwarfism: surviving as a refugee, surviving and fleeing violence; surviving resulting illnesses. Ndikumana Patricia experienced discrimination from a young age on account of being a woman, and a dwarf. At school, in Burundi, she was verbally and physically abused. Instead of protecting her, teachers reinforced the prejudice.

Praise God she is now thriving as a female leader. This follows support from CORD which built her confidence, removed her fear of others and helped her to build relationships at home and in her community – this is one of the many stories CORD could tell us about God changing lives.

Please pray for CORD and its workers, sharing the love of Jesus with the peoples of Burundi, Chad, Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar, the Philipians and Vietnam. *for more info to aid your prayers visit www.cord.org.uk*

Pauline, church rep for Cord

Job Opportunity School Crossing Patrol: Are you looking for a part time role that gives you the chance to make a positive difference in your local community? If so, this could be the opportunity for you.

We provide School Crossing Patrols across Warwickshire who help children and adults safely cross the road on their way to and from school.

Approximate hours per week: 5

Monday to Friday AM & PM

Term Time Only (38 working weeks)

Permanent

St Margaret's Road, Whitnash for Whitnash Primary. Full training and uniform are provided. [Please click here to view the full Job Description and Person Specification.](#)

Men's Breakfast: Saturday 3rd May 2025

9am at Leamington Golf Club, Golf Lane. £10 per person, please let Ben know if you would like to come.

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Loving Whitnash Leaflets - Easter addition.

Please can you help?

We are endeavouring to deliver a copy to every house in the parish of Whitnash. We have split it into 23 rounds of approximately 200 houses per round. 13 people have very kindly volunteered to deliver already, thank you very much. We are just wondering if anyone else would be able to join us in this task. Please let us know.

Thankyou Linda and Alan Perkins

Contact details lindamaryperkins @hotmail.com Tel 07749438948

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MOTHERS' UNION:

2pm in Chapter House Tuesday 18th March.....Catherine Bartlem with an update on "Coffee Tots".

10.30am St Margaret's BCP Holy Week Communion Thursday 17th April, followed by Hot Cross Buns.

Advance notice of Easter events:

Easter prayer trail - Tuesday 15th - Wednesday 16th April 10am-4pm on both days & additionally 7:30-9pm on Tuesday 15th. Interactive prayer stations at St Margaret's Church.

Christians Together Good Friday Walk - 18th April 11am - A walk of witness with Christians in Whitnash starting at Whitnash Methodist Church. Finishing outside the Plough and Harrow Pub with refreshments after in the pub.

An Hour at the cross - Friday 18th April 2pm - An hour of reflection and worship at Church

Family-friendly Easter Trail - Saturday 19th April 1pm - 4pm - starts at the church centre. Follow a map, find the clues and discover the story of Easter! Join us for Hot cross buns and crafts after your trail!

Easter Sunday services - 20th April 10am at Church and Connect at 4pm at the church centre. Join us as we worship Jesus - HE IS RISEN!

If you'd like to add a notice in our newsletter, please contact me: anne@horsley.uk