

St Thomas' @ Holy Trinity & St John's, West Ashton

Welcome to our Morning Service

15 March 2020

You are very welcome... especially if you are visiting us. If there is anything that you are unsure of, please ask somebody.

Do join with us after the service for a drink and chat (at Holy Trinity). A hearing loop is installed: please set hearing aids to 'T'.



Sunday 15 March 2020 Arab World Mission Focus Lent 3

- 10.30am Morning Service, Arab World Mission Focus, Holy Trinity, Ed Greening
- 10.30am Holy Communion, Kingfisher Church, Colin Turner
- 10.30am Holy Communion, St John's, Allan Coutts
- 12.30pm *Tear Fund Bread and Cheese Lunch, Holy Trinity*
- 6.00pm Your Kingdom Come & Holy Communion, Holy Trinity, Allan Coutts

Sunday 22 March 2020 Mothering Sunday Lent 4

Hospitality: Steve & Sue Oldrieve, Geoff & Kay Carter

- 10.30am All Age Service, Holy Trinity, Allan Coutts
- 10.30am All Age Service, Kingfisher Church, Steve Hockett
- 10.30am Service of the Word, St John's, John Self
- 6.00pm Your Kingdom Come, Holy Trinity, Ruth Barber

Prayer for the Church Development Project

Give thanks that Emery and DM music have completed their work, and that God has been with us throughout Phase 1. Pray for:

- ◆ The worship and sound teams as they get used to the new equipment.
- ◆ Michael, the architect as he finalises the contract costs.
- ◆ God to direct our steps as to when we need to move to Phase 2.

What's on - for your prayers/attendance...

Cell groups happen in various places and on different days - please contact Jane Goldstone for details if you are interested in joining one.

Mon 16	10am & 1pm	Parent and Toddlers, Holy Trinity
Weds 18	10.00am	Beracah: Banner making
	7.30pm	Frome Rd Housegroup, 70 Azalea Drive
Thurs 19	9.45am	Messy Church, St Thomas' rooms
Fri 20	10.00am	English Conversation group, St Thomas' AP room

Help needed with setting up for Parent and Toddlers

Sorry

The Toddler team would like to say sorry if you've been moved out of the way during coffee time by people playing some sort of mad, extreme musical chairs game, as the set up for Toddlers has happened during important fellowship time after the service.

Thank you

Thank you for being so gracious about this and not moaning at us! (not out loud anyway). Thank you also to everyone who has helped. The willingness from people of all ages has been overwhelming. Thank you especially to people who have taken my very dodgy floor plans and organised helpers—this has been much appreciated!

Please

Obviously the set up will still need to continue as we move on to a refurbished St Thomas'. We hope to establish rotas, so no one has to do it more than once a month. We could then work out when is the best time for the work to happen, straight after Church or about 3.30pm? Please let me know if you're able to help in this way. We especially welcome families who are great at setting train tracks etc.

Thank you so much for all your help and support, the Toddler sessions would not happen without it.

Jane Bullock and team

APCM Reports

If you have been contacted, please make sure you write your APCM report and send to the Church Office **by 20th March**. Thank you.

Storehouse Foodbank

Please note that the Storehouse is closed until further notice, so please **do not** bring any items for the trolley this week.

Thank you.

Hot Buffet Lunch

Sunday 5th April

When we move back to St Thomas' on Sunday 5 April there will be a celebration lunch.

We look forward to sharing this fellowship but also want to raise some more money towards finishing the development project.

It will be a two-course lunch with wine and soft drinks provided.

Tickets now available: £10 per adult, £5 per child, £25 per family from Kay Carter, Pat Kerbey or Vicki Turner



Church Electoral Roll

Every year the Electoral Roll is updated in time for the APCM. Electoral Roll forms are available by the door of the church. Please return the completed form by March 22nd. **John Reynolds**

Experience Easter

10am until 4pm Thurs 26th March

You are warmly invited to St James' Church, Trowbridge, for "Experience Easter". Use the visitors' leaflet to visit the six scenes, and reflect on the message of Easter from Palm Sunday through to Easter Day.

Monthly News

Copy date for the next issue, for March and April, is **19th March**
Get writing!

Cake Sale: Thank you so much for your kind donations at our cake sale last Sunday. We raised **£96** which will go to the World Wildlife Fund (WWF), which supports animals and their habitats from becoming endangered. This is a really good way to care for God's creation. My friend, Emily, and her family were amazed at how nice and supportive St Thomas' is! Thank you so much,
Miriam Shields

Annual Parochial Church Meeting

28th April at 7.30pm in St Thomas'
Make sure you've put the date in your diary!

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Curry Evening

7.00 to 9.45pm Fri March 27th
Trowbridge Rugby Club

Guest Speaker: George Rabczak,
Roads Policing Officer (rt'd)

Book your place by March 23rd:
Via the website:

www.menunited-ba14.co.uk

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Viney Hill 2020

25th to 27th
September

Booking forms
now available!

