

Alpha - help wanted

'The Parish Alpha Course will start on September 25th, and a training evening for group leaders and helpers will be on September 18th. If you feel that you would like to help in either of those capacities, please see Gary as soon as possible, so that a team can be established before the summer break.'

FOOD BANK SHOPPING LIST

UHT or powdered milk
500g sugar Soup
Fruit juice Cereals
Tinned Sponge pudding
Tinned tomatoes Jam
Tinned Rice pudding Soap
Tea bags /Instant coffee
Instant mashed potato
Tinned meat / fish
Tinned vegetables
Tinned fruit Deodorant
Biscuits or snack bars
Pasta sauces Toothpaste
Tinned Beans

Diary

Sat 15th June 9.30-2pm BROTHER NICHOLAS FROM GLASSHAMPTON.
Tue 18th June SPICE at Fladbury close - all welcome.
Friday 21st June 6.30pm Marriage Blessing for Andrew and Sharon Brazier
Sat 22nd June DCC Awayday at Inkberrow.
Thu 27th Jun 7.30pm Parish Prayer meeting St Peter's.
Sat 29th Jun Richard Bubbers priesting service at Cathedral.
Sat 6th Jul PCC/DCC Away Day Together.
Sat 20th Jul Messy Church at Woodrow Community Hall.
Sun 21st Jul P.M. Church family at Warwick Park.
Mon 5th Aug Woodrow Fun Day.
Sat 24th Aug Wedding of Roy Bush and Zami Sawu.
Thur 19th Sept 7.30pm Living Faith - Bishop Michael Nazir Ali.
W/E 4th-6th Oct Church weekend away - Cloverley Hall.
Wed 23rd Oct 7.30pm Parish Prayer meeting at Christ Church.
Thur 21st Nov 7.30pm Living Faith - Matt Summerfield.
Sat 5th April 2014 Diocese Childrens Training - Worcester.



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Notices Sunday 2nd June

A very warm welcome to St John's!

Prayer Day - don't miss it!

Many of us struggle with prayer or can get stuck from time to time. Make a date in the diary to come and listen to Brother Nicholas from Glasshampton Monastery. Saturday 15th June 9.30am-2.00pm here in St John's; bring a lunch if needed. A donation for Brother Nic's work would be appreciated.

To Gaza with Christian Aid -Tuesday evening

Old Palace, Deansway, Worcester, WR1 2JE 7pm - 9.30pm

Talk by Rt Rev John Inge, Bishop of Worcester, about his trip to Christian Aid projects in Palestine, that is the West Bank and Gaza. There will also be a display of children's art from a school for deaf children in Gaza City. Free admission. Free refreshments. Palestinian produce for sale.

Contact information:

Lorna and Colin Archer. 07970 755530 or 07973 448827

Pastors Piece

I've just returned from my annual trip to Wales, where I go mountain walking with my dear friends James, Nick and Martin. We managed Cader Idris again, and, for once, it was a perfect day, with clear views all round! We have clear views here, too, in St John's....as long as we keep close to Jesus. Our collect today reminds us that we can't do anything without him, and we constantly need his sustaining grace. Wherever we are walking, it must always be in the way of wisdom, so that we can find true life, Where is that true life?

Only in Jesus Christ our Lord. May that be true for all of us as we continue to serve him here in St John's and our community.

Every blessing,

Gary

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Collect of the day

O God,
the strength of all those who put their trust in you,
mercifully accept our prayers
and, because through the weakness of our mortal nature
we can do no good thing without you,
grant us the help of your grace,
that in the keeping of your commandments
we may please you both in will and deed;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever
Amen



Please pray for:-

- ❖ Gary and April, Garth and Jenny, Richard and Sally, Richard and Wendy.
- ❖ Those who are mourning.
- ❖ Those known to us who are suffering ill health.
- ❖ Those without enough to eat.
- ❖ Rob and Jo Adams.
- ❖ Sylvia Czink and family.
- ❖ June Young and family.
- ❖ Allison and Rosie as they undertake ministry training.
- ❖ Children's and Jump Leaders.
- ❖ Bowls and parents and toddlers groups.
- ❖ Ventures and Soul Survivor.

Please sponsor us

Katrina Forrest and Hannah Hunt will be walking around Arrow Valley Lake (6 laps) for Christian Aid. If you would like to sponsor them please ask for their form - thank you.

News

If you have anything you would like to include in the notices email Sharon.forrest@sky.com or call 01527 541492.

Today – First Sunday after Trinity

10.30am Worship For Everyone with Vicki Quarton.

6.30pm Evening service and Holy Communion, Pastor Gary Noyes will be leading. Revd Garth Nathaniel will be speaking on Genesis 4:1-16 and Luke 7:1-10.

Next Sunday: Trinity 2

10.30am Morning Worship with April Noyes and Pastor Gary Noyes. Readings: Galatians 1:11-end and Luke 7:11-17.

6.30pm Evening Service with Pastor Gary Noyes, Vicki Quarton will be speaking on Genesis 8:15-9:17 and Mark 4:1-20.

This Week:

Monday Bowls in the hall
2.00pm Funeral of Mick Campion at Redditch Crematorium.

Tuesday 10-12noon Parents and toddlers in the hall.
Gary interviewing at Woodrow First School.
Standing committee at the Vicarage.
7.00-9.30pm Bishop of Worcester-Christian Aid talk.

Wednesday 7.45pm Children's leaders meeting at the Skelton's.
7.30pm Jump in the hall.
7.30pm How God became King - Worcester Cathedral.

Thursday Deanery Synod at Beoley.
10-12noon Parents and toddlers in the hall.
7.45pm PFT at Peter and Eileen Bishops.

TOM WRIGHT - How God became King

On Wednesday 5 June at 7.30pm in Worcester Cathedral, Professor Tom Wright, previously Bishop of Durham, will be leading a teaching session on "How God became King." Tom Wright's ministry has been greatly appreciated by many people, and all are welcome to attend.

Notices

Remember if you are unable to attend, you can keep up to date with the notices at Ipsley.org.