

BECK COFFEE MORNINGS:

APRIL - Thank you to all who helped and to those of you that attended the Coffee Morning in April. We were blessed to hear from members of the Razon Refugees who are supporting Ukrainian people who have fled the war and are living in the Wolverhampton and surrounding areas. Thanks to your support a total of £227 was raised. Neville from the Charity is delighted to report that some of this money has enabled them to buy a reconditioned fridge and a freezer for a family.

20th May 10.30am - 1.30pm will be our next Coffee Morning and we will be having a Light Lunch. There will be a range of stalls including, books, cakes, plant, bric-a-brac & crafts, raising funds for Christian Aid. Tea, Coffee and cake served between 10.30 - 11.45am, Light lunch (soup, roll and samosas) served from 12noon - 1.30pm.

MANY THANKS to everyone for your cards and good wishes as we celebrated our Diamond Wedding Anniversary. It has been a very joyful time and we are most grateful. Love to all. John and Wendy Bate.

THANK YOU to friends at Beckminster for all the cards and good wishes received following my 90th birthday. Janet Rushton.

MANY THANKS to everyone who supported the Good Friday Frugal Lunch. Donations totalled £172.50 plus gift aid and this will be forwarded to Christian Aid for this years' Malawi Appeal.

CODSALL METHODIST CHURCH have a large amount of preschool toys available if anyone would like to come and offer a donation for them. They are all in good condition, and were previously used for our tots group. All funds raised will go towards sourcing eco-heating options for the building. Please contact Jo or Helen to arrange a visit to see what we have available in the first instance. (evenings only).

OXLEY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP starting up on Thursday, 27 April 2023 at Rakegate Methodist Church, Renton Grove, Oxley, WV10 6XG from 1.30 - 3.30pm. Bring along a photo of your loved one. Grief is a terrible thing to go through alone so please join our new group so that we can support each other at this sad time. Bring along your knitting or crocheting and we'll have a small table top of activities to do. Light a candle in memory of your loved one. This is a free group to join and refreshments will be provided. We will meet every Thursday from 27 April 2023. We'd love to see you. Contact Marie Lane on 07767 092 986.

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Worship and Fellowship

30 April 2023

Easter 4

What's On This Week....
Monday 1 May Bank Holiday Premises Closed 9.30am - 12.30pm Office Closed
Tuesday 2 May 9.30am - 12.30pm Office Closed 4.45 - 6.45pm Dinky Divas 7.15 - 8.45pm Yoga
Wednesday 3 May 9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open 9.00am Zoom Prayer Group 9.15 - 11.15am WeightWatchers
Thursday 4 May 9.30am - 3.30pm Office Open 7.00am - 10.00pm Local Elections 7.00pm Wedding Rehearsal
Friday 5 May 9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open 10.00am - 11.00am Move It or Lose It 6.30 - 9.00pm Gateway
Saturday 6 May

Collect for the Day
To ponder and pray
God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, that great Shepherd of the sheep, with the blood of the eternal covenant: make us perfect in every good work to do your will, and work in us that which is well-pleasing in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Come and join us on
Sunday, 7 May 2023
Easter 5
10.30am Coronation Service
with Holy Communion
led by Rev Dr Paul Nzacahayo
1.00 - 4.30pm Hope City Church

**10.30am Holy Communion
led by Rev Glennys Bamford**

MWB p160, HC for Easter Season

Welcome and Introduction to Worship

StF 297 Christ is alive!

Prayers

StF 476 One more step

Lessons:

I Peter 2: 19 - 25 read by Maggie Marriott

John 10: 1 - 10 read by Christine Pearson

Sermon - Influence

StF 418 We have a Gospel to proclaim,

Intercessions and Lord's Prayer

Peace

Offering

StF 568 Alleluia! Sing to Jesus,

Thanksgiving

Breaking the Bread

Sharing the Bread and Wine

Final Prayer

Blessing

Sending Out

We Welcome You to Worship Today

If you are here for the first time, please
make yourself known to those around you,
or to one of the Stewards or Minister.

Our fellowship will continue after
morning worship with tea and coffee
served in the Coffee Bar.

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE. The service this morning will be live streamed. The camera focuses only on those taking part but the back of your head might be seen. If you wish to remain out of sight of the camera, please sit at the back of the church.

ZOOM PRAYER MEETING on a Wednesday at 9.00am. All are welcome and for further details please contact Sue.

COFFEE MATES. Meet Monday, 1 May 2023 at The Two Greens, Old Hill, Tettenhall, WV6 8BQ from 10.45am - 12noon. Everybody welcome. June Sutton, tel. 07790272865.

CORONATION LUNCH, Sunday, 7 May 2023. Thank you to all who have bought tickets for this event. We would like to start serving the food at 12noon so there will be no coffee/tea after the morning service. We would ask that you make your way into the hall as soon as you can after the end of the morning service. Coffee/tea will be served at the end of the meal. Tim.

EMMAUS. The next meeting will be held at 2.30 pm on Wednesday, 10 May 2023 at 222 Jeffcock Road. All are welcome.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK, 14 - 20 May 2023. Please consider donating this year as generously as you are able, either directly on line or using the envelopes available in church.

In addition, the church Coffee Morning on 20 May will be extended into a Christian Aid Fund Raising Day with light lunches and a variety of stalls available for your support.

You will be very welcome, together with friends and family.

All cake bakers are particularly asked to offer something for the cake stall. Please contact Wendy Bate or Jennifer Cromie for this.

CHURCH OFFICE will close on Tuesday, 16 May at 12.30pm and will reopen on Wednesday, 24 May at 9.30am. Any notices required for the service sheet on Sunday, 21 May 2023 should be received by Monday, 15 May as the service sheet will be printed on Tuesday, 16 May. Any queries get in touch. Sue.

EASTER OFFERINGS DEDICATION SERVICE will take place here at Beckminster on Sunday, 21 May 2023 at 6.00pm.

The Plants in Church for April
are in Loving Memory of:
Ven Venables;
Kathryn Tonks;
Brownie and Betty Carter Brown;
Mr & Mrs Kenneth Corns;
David Boulton;
Anne Jones and her Parents;
Violet Watts;