



Welcome to our worship: please use the time before the service starts for quiet prayer. You are welcome to join us for refreshments after the 9.30am Service.

13 January 2019

Hearing Aid Loop (both churches)
St Edmund's: please sit on the left hand side of the church. Please switch your hearing aid to the "T" position.

Service Information

On Sunday 20th January we will be joining our friends at Wootton Bridge Methodist Church in Station Road for a United Service.

Please be aware that this will start at **10am** and there will be parking available in the station carpark opposite.

There will not be a 9.30am service that morning.

Little Lions

We are pleased to announce that the Little Lions toddler group is coming to St Mark's! This is for pre-school children (with responsible adults) during term-time. The cost is £1 per family. Little lions will meet on 2nd, 3rd, 4th & 5th Wednesdays each month from 10am—11.30am, and will start on **16th January**.



An increase in young people means we now need dynamic youth leaders to have fun teaching our 11-16 year olds and younger children.

Prayer for youth leaders:

Lord, create an atmosphere here that encourages our children to find You. Help us to attract youth leaders who will remind each child of the marvellous things You have done.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

Isaiah 43: 1-7; Acts 8: 14-17; Luke 3: 15-17, 21-22

Wednesday, 16th January 9.30am St Edmund's

Hebrew 2: 14-end (NT 216)

Sunday, 20th January Third Sunday of Epiphany

Nehemiah 8: 1-3, 5-6, 8-10; 1 Corinthians 12: 12-31a; Luke 4: 14-21



PLEASE PRAY FOR...

... Bishop Christopher, God's mission and our ministry in Wootton, School and Street Pastors, Cathedral Church of St Thomas of Canterbury

...*those sick or in any kind of need*: Matthew, Our Arab Christian brothers and sisters in the Middle East and all on our 'Luke 11' Prayer Line

...*those who are in Our Year's Mind*: 13th Cecil Jolliffe, 13th Dorothy Grellier, 14th Brian Wratten, 14th Peggy Morgan, 16th Carole Marshall, 17th Margaret Bennett, 17th Michael Mansbridge, 19th Michael Worthington

If you would like a name to be added to the prayer list (with the consent of the person named) please let Helen Davison know. Names will remain on the list for an initial period of 4 weeks. Please inform Helen if you wish a name to be included after this time, or when prayers have been answered or are no longer needed.

The intercessions books in each Church may be used for additional prayers to be offered silently during the Services.

Names in our 'Year's Mind' will be published for three years and then removed unless otherwise requested. Thank you.

Mission Prayer:



God of Mission, who alone brings growth to your Church, send your Holy Spirit to give vision to our planning, wisdom to our actions, and power to our witness. Help our church to grow in numbers, in spiritual commitment to you, and in service to our local community, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PLEASE SUPPORT THESE FORTHCOMING EVENTS:

Volunteers needed

Margaret King needs more volunteers to help with all aspects of laying up and clearing away the altar before and after Communion services, or for administering the chalice during the service. Training for these roles would be given. Please contact her on 882417 or Mike Broadsmith if you think you are called to serve!

Winter Shelter—Volunteers needed

Volunteers are needed to help cover sessions from 10pm—7.30am in a Newport Church. The shelter is now open until 31st March 2019. Please contact Kay on 812743 if you can help.

Handbell ringing

Why not come along to our next handbell ringing session on **Tuesday 15th January** at St Mark's and give it a try? No musical experience is required!



Emmaus Supper

Emmaus Suppers for exploring discipleship are free of charge and now take place on the fourth Wednesday each month at Holy Cross Church from 7.30pm—9.30pm. All are very welcome. The next will be held on **Wednesday 23rd January**. Together we will worship, pray, share a meal and study the Word and its application to our lives.

‘Cuppa Time’ and SingAbout!

Playlist for Life ‘Cuppa Time’ involves cake, coffee and music! This will take place on the 1st Wednesday of the month at St Mark's from 1pm—2pm and will be followed by Singabout from 2pm—4pm. Singabout sessions are run and funded by Independent Arts and are accessible (but not limited) to people living with dementia.

The next ‘Cuppa Time’ and SingAbout will both be happening on **Wednesday 6th February** and all are very welcome.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

TODAY

Sun 13th No 8am Holy Communion
9.30am Holy Communion with Explorers (St Mark's)
6pm Evensong (St Edmund's)

THIS WEEK

Mon 14th 8am Morning Prayer (St Edmund's)
10am Village Coffee Morning (WB Methodist)
6.30pm—7pm 'A Time to Pray' (Wherever you are)

Tues 15th 10.30am Tuesday Discussion Group (St Mark's)
1.30pm MAP meeting (Niki B's)
6.30pm Handbell Ringing (St Mark's)

Wed 16th 9.10am Mini Worship (St Mark's)
9.30am Holy Communion (St Edmund's)
10am—11.30am Little Lions (St Mark's)
10am Coffee Morning (Havenstreet Community Centre)
10.30am Open House (Wootton Bridge Methodist)
10.30am—2.30pm 'Wight Maid' Craft Fair (WBMC)
12noon Coffee and light lunches (WBMC)

Thu 17th 7pm Choir practice (St Mark's)

Fri 18th 12noon Funeral Gordon Price (St Edmund's)

NEXT WEEK

Sun 20th 8am Holy Communion (St Edmund's)
10am United Service (WBM)
No 6pm Evensong

Mon 21st 8am Morning Prayer (St Edmund's)
10am Village Coffee Morning (WB Methodist)

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Parish of St Edmund's and St Mark's Wootton Bridge

Parish Priest: Rev'd Veronica Brown, The Rectory, 32 Church Road,
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Churchwardens: Ann Capps and Mike Broadsmith

Weekly Sheet co-ordinator: Helen Davison (882330)

If you are new to our church - welcome! Please make yourself known to a churchwarden or sides person. If you are visiting and pay tax, please consider using a Gift Aid envelope for your offering. Thank you.