

# THE KIDDERMINSTER EAST PARISH NEWSLETTER

Churches of St Cassian's, St Cecilia's, St Chad's, St George's & St Mary's Stone

5<sup>th</sup> May 2019

3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

A warm welcome to our services

### COLLECT

Risen Christ, you filled your disciples with boldness and fresh hope: strengthen us to proclaim your risen life and fill us with your peace, to the glory of God the Father.

### **READINGS**

Acts 9: 1 – 20 Revelation 5: 11 – end John 21: 1 – 19

SUNDAY 5TH MAY			
ST CASSIAN'S			
9:30am	Holy Communion		
ST CECILIA'S			
11:00am	Holy Communion		
ST CHAD'S			
9:30am	Worship for All		
ST MARY'S, STONE			
11:00am	Worship for All & Baptism		
ST GEORGE'S			
11:00am	Morning Prayer		
6:30pm	Holy Communion		

8:00am Holy Communion @ St Mary and All Saints, Kidderminster



We welcome

Brian Conway, representative from the Bible Society, at the morning service at St George's today.

Members of the Parochial Church Council (**PCC**) will be meeting with Fr Tim Williams, Rural Dean, on **Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May at 7:30pm at St Cecilia's Church for the Final Vacancy (Section 11) Meeting**, which will progress us to the next stage for advertising for a new team rector. Please pray for the meeting and all those involved in the process.

# "Building Healing Ministry: The Bricks and Mortar"

Healing Ministry Training Session

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2019 10:00am to 2:00pm
(Refreshments from 9:45am) at the
Museum of Carpet, Green Street, DY10 1AZ.
A motivational workshop, led by Dr Michael
Harper & the Revd Sally Jones, looking at the
place of healing ministry in our worship.
The workshop is suitable for all, not just those
who are active in prayer ministry.

Please see flyer for further information.

To book your place, please contact the
Kidderminster East Parish Office:

Telephone: 01562 822131

e-mail: office@kidderminstereast.org.uk

by Thursday 9th May 2019

Following on from the training session on 18<sup>th</sup> May, there will be a

Healing Service at St Chad's Church on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May at 9:30am,

to which everyone is very welcome.

The **Archdeacon's Visitation** to meet with all Churchwardens from the Kidderminster Deanery, where they will discuss the Articles of Enquiry, is taking place on **Tuesday**, **7**<sup>th</sup> **May** at St George's Church. Please pray for Archdeacon Nikki, the Churchwardens and all others involved.

# Parish Messy half-term event at St George's Church on 28<sup>th</sup> May from 10.00am to 12.00noon

aimed at children up to primary school Year 6 and their parents/carers (though all ages are welcome). Crafts, games, drinks and homemade cakes.

Voluntary helpers are needed, please contact Alison Riddell if you can help

The next Marriage Preparation
Course will be held at St Cecilia's
Church on 1st, 8th and 15th June from
10.00am to 2.00pm for the first two
Saturdays and 10.00am to 12.00noon
for the final day. Volunteers are
needed to help meet, greet and
support the couples and serve the
buffet lunch. Please contact Robert
Legge on 01562 827214.

Prayer for the work of the Cooper family @ 2:30pm will be on Mon 13th May.

The next **organ recital** in the Kidderminster Town Hall series will be given by Nicholas Freestone, Assistant Director of Music at Worcester Cathedral, on **Thursday 9**<sup>th</sup> **May at 1.10pm**. (Admission members £3.00).

A **Contact Centre** usually takes place at **Trinity Methodist Church**, Churchfields on the first and third Saturdays of each month, for estranged parents to meet with their children. Unfortunately, this service has currently been suspended, as there are not enough volunteers to run the sessions. It is hoped that it will resume in September. If you would be interested in helping, please contact Revd Nick Collison on 01562 823300 as soon as possible, so that arrangements can be made for training prior to the re-opening. (1:00pm – 4:30pm on first & third Saturdays of each month.)

**St George's Church** are holding a **Quiz Night** on **Tuesday 21**<sup>st</sup> **May** at 7pm. Price £10 including fish and chips or chicken and chips. Teams of six or less. Bring your own drinks. Contact Jan Ferguson on 01562 630431 or hferg@blueyonder.co.uk

**St George's Coffee Shop** is celebrating it's tenth anniversary in May. All welcome to join us on Fridays from 10.00am to 12.00noon in church. There will not be a charge but donations will be most welcome during May, all monies received to be split between KEMP Hospice and Kidderminster Food Bank

Unfortunately this year there is **no Bluebell Walk** at **St Mary's**, **Stone** but hopefully this will be resumed next year.

# **Requests for Prayer:**

- Adrienne, Cal & family following Oliver's inquest on 26<sup>th</sup> April.
- The family & friends of **Robin Burford**, who died on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April. Her funeral will be on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May at Holy Innocents Church at 1.15pm.
- The family & friends of Norman Tatlow, who died very quietly but quite suddenly on 15<sup>th</sup> April. Funeral at Wyre Forest Crematorium for immediate family. A service of thanksgiving for his life will be held at St George's at 3.00pm on 16<sup>th</sup> May. Family flowers only. Donations to Co-op Funeralcare, Lion Square, Kidderminster. Black need NOT be worn.

Would you like to be included in the Parish Newsletter for prayer? Please contact the Parish Office for more details.

# **DIARY PAGE**

# COFFEE SPOT:





CAFÉ CHAD open every Mon & Weds 9:15am - 12:30pm.

ST GEORGE'S COFFEE SHOP: open every Friday from 10am to 12noon.

MEET AND EAT: Every Monday at 5pm in Morrisons Café.

## TUESDAY 7TH MAY

Tuesday Group 10am @ St Chad's St George's Toddlers 10am - 11:30am

### FRIDAY 10TH MAY

St Chad's 'Babies & Toddlers' 10:00 - 11:30am

#### WEDNESDAY 8TH MAY

Knit & Natter Outing leaving St George's at 9:00am

Holy Communion:

10:15am @ St George's

Young @ Heart 2 – 4pm @ St Cecilia's

Afternoon Prayer 4:30 – 5pm

@ St George's

# SUNDAY 12TH MAY

8:00am	Holy Communion			
1:00am	Holy Communion			
6:30pm	Evening Prayer			
St Cassian's				
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St George's

Worship for All preceded by 9:30am breakfast from 8:30am

6:30pm Evensong

	St Mary's Stone		
	11:00am Holy Communion		
	St Cecilia's		
	11:00am Morning Worship		
	St Chad's  9:30am Holy Communion preceded by		

listening prayer in "The Barrel" @ 9am K.E.Y. (Kidderminster East Youth) meet at St. Chad's from 6:00 - 7:30pm

**READINGS:** Acts 9: 36 – end Revelation 7: 9 – end John 10: 22 - 30

SUNDAY 19TH MAY				
St George's	St Cassian's			
11:00am Worship for All & Baptisms	9:30am Holy Communion			
6:30pm Evening Prayer	St Cecilia's			
St Mary's Stone	11:00am Holy Communion			
8:00am Holy Communion	St Chad's			
11:00am Morning Worship	9:30am Healing Service			
<b>READINGS:</b> Acts 11: 1 – 18 Revelation 21: 1 – 6 John 13: 31 – 35				

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