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WEEKLY ROTAS		Church Cleaning Cleaning is on the Friday before in preparation for Sunday worship.	Flowers	Coffee	Welcome Stewards	Communion Steward	Steward	Preacher	Sunday
26-Jan	am	Pat	Pat	Gill	Sandra Webb	Rev Andrew Lomax	Rev Andrew Lomax	am	
	pm				Sandra Webb	Rev John Pugh	Rev John Pugh	pm	
02-Feb	am	Heather	Heather/Sandra	Rosemary	Carolyn Thornborrow	Rev John Pugh (S)	Rev Andrew Lomax	am	
	pm				Heather Doda	Rev Andrew Lomax	Rev Andrew Lomax	pm	
09-Feb	am	Sandra and Gill	Tilly/Peter	Kate/Mike	Pat Langstone	Roger Latham	Roger Latham	am	
	pm				Pat Langstone	John/Dorothy Pipet	John/Dorothy Pipet	pm	
16-Feb	am	Janet and Natalie	Kate/Mike	Janet	Carolyn Thornborrow	Anne Temple	Anne Temple	am	
	pm				Sandra Webb	Rev Hugh Cade (S)	Rev Hugh Cade (S)	pm	
23-Feb	am	Joan and Heather	Rosemary	Gill	Pat Langstone	Adrian Speight	Adrian Speight	am	
	pm					No Service	No Service	pm	
01-Mar	am	Tilly	Janet	Pat		Rev David Blatherwick (S)	Rev David Blatherwick (S)	am	
	pm					Rev John Pugh	Rev John Pugh	pm	
08-Mar	am	Sandra and Gill	Gill	Rosemary		John Bateman	John Bateman	am	
	pm					Rev Andrew Lomax	Rev Andrew Lomax	pm	
15-Mar	am	Janet and Natalie	Heather/Sandra	Kate/Mike		Rev John Pugh	Rev John Pugh	am	
	pm					Food & Fellowship	Food & Fellowship	pm	

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NOTICES FOR SUNDAY 26th JANUARY 2020

Our worship this morning is led by Rev Andrew Lomax and we do welcome him and any friends who may be sharing in worship with us today.

You are invited to join us again at 6.00 pm this evening when the preacher will be Rev John Pugh.

WEEKLY DIARY

Playgroup meets every weekday morning and on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons during school terms.

Monday 27 January	6.30 – 9.00 pm	1st BARROW UPON SOAR GUIDES meet in the Hall and Coffee Lounge
Tuesday 28 January	8.45 am–4.00 pm 5.45-9.30 pm	PLAYGROUP + AFTERNOON SESSION FAB FITNESS meet in the Hall
Wednesday 29 January		
Thursday 30 January	8.45 am – 4.00 pm 7.30 pm	PLAYGROUP + AFTERNOON SESSION BIBLE STUDY at 19 Thirlmere Road
Friday 31 January	pm	MINIMARKET PREPARATION
Saturday 1 February	10.00-11.00 pm	MINIMARKET AND COFFEE MORNING
Sunday 2 February	10.15 am 6.00 pm	REV JOHN PUGH – HOLY COMMUNION REV ANDREW LOMAX



are with our own Parish Council and those of neighbouring villages and the residents and businesses of High Street and Long Close

Rooms. If anyone could help with these it would be very much appreciated – please see Tilly.

RIDE AND STRIDE

A belated thank you to all who sponsored me last September in the Ride and Stride. We raised £185 altogether which is divided between this church and Leicestershire Historic Churches Trust - Peter

CHAIRS FOR CHURCH

Thank you for your continued generosity. We have now received donations for 47 chairs. 50 chairs will be delivered in February. We have ordered 20 more chairs, which will follow.

If anyone still wishes to make a donation towards these chairs, please do not hesitate to contact Janet or Kate. We are really looking forward to sitting on comfortable chairs for Worship.

NEWS FROM FUN@CHURCH

Wednesday was the first FUN@CHURCH of the new Decade. We were delighted to welcome 20 children and 6 adults, none of whom are connected with our church and one new helper, increasing our number of helpers to seven.

We had great fun on the theme of "Sheep or Goats?" linking all our craft activities and games to sheep and goats. The point of our session was not that doing good things will get people to heaven. The point is, if we truly belong to Jesus, we will show love for others as Jesus shows love for us. That is how Jesus can tell His sheep from the goats. Our next FUN@CHURCH in February will include making pancakes and taking a journey through Lent to Easter. All families, parents, adults, children and carers are welcome to join us. Please keep all members of FUN@CHURCH in your prayers - Kate, Janet ,Heather, Joan, Gill, Mike and Katie

PIE NIGHT – FRIDAY 13TH MARCH at 6.30 pm

Yvonne is organising another Pie Night? If you would like to go please sign your name on the list or let Yvonne know and indicate if you require a lift. The cost is £12.95 for pie and if you want one of their fabulous puddings it is an extra £5. There is a very varied pie choice with vegetarian options.

We must know by Saturday 1st February so that the booking can be confirmed.

LENT LUNCHESES

Lent Lunches 2020, organised by Barrow upon Soar Churches Together, will run from Friday 28th February to Friday 3rd April at 12.30 pm in the Holy Trinity

BOOK THE DATES
Please tell all your family and friends
SATURDAY 1st FEBRUARY
MINIMARKET AND COFFEE MORNING
10.00-11.00 am
BACON BREAKFAST COBS ON SALE
SPECIAL VALENTINE RAFFLE

LADIES CIRCLE FASHION SHOW AND SALE
Wednesday 4th March at 7.30 pm in the Hall
Tickets: £4 available from Gill or Janet.
All proceeds for Macmillan Nurses and the Kindu Trust.

Another one of our popular
GAMES AND JIGSAW SALE
SATURDAY 21 MARCH
10.00- 12 noon

INVITATION

Saturday 15th February – Indoor Car Boot sale at Sileby Methodist Church £5 per table – Light refreshments available to reserve a table please contact 07706205070

Tuesday 25th February – Pancake Lunch at Sileby Methodist Church from 12.30 to 2.30 pm Tickets: £5 which includes 1 savoury, 1 sweet pancake plus tea or coffee. Tickets available from cafe@chapel or on the door

KINDU TRUST FUNDRAISING EVENTS

David Dipple came to Ladies Circle last week to talk about the work of the Kindu Trust, Ethiopia and David and his team are travelling to Ethiopia in March and you may be interested to know that the following fundraising events have been organised in order that they can take money to buy food and other essentials for the families that they care for:

Saturday 22nd February 1.30 to 3.30 pm

Body Shop talk and demonstration at Barrow upon Soar Library

Saturday 29th February 7.30 – 9.30 pm

Supper, talk and auction at Barrow upon Soar Conservative Club
Pay on the day but David Dipple does need to know if you are going

Wednesday 4th March

SOS Fashion Show and Clothes Sale organised by Ladies Circle – Methodist Church Hall 7.30 pm

Tickets £4 available from Janet or Gill

Thursday 12th March 7.30-9.30 pm

Mr Chan's Chinese buffet, Loughborough £15
Pay on the day but David does need to know if you are going

If you are interested in any of the above please contact David on 07914672531 or email ddipple@sky.com. If anyone would like to donate and David says that the best way to do this is to put the money in an envelope and post it through the door at 70 Thirlmere Road - I think that I am right in saying that David and his group are going to Ethiopia on 19th March.

2020 SHROVE TUESDAY LECTURE

The 2020 Shrove Tuesday Lecture will be held on February 25th at the Baptist Church on Main Street, Woodhouse Eaves. Doors open at 6.15pm for light refreshments, the Lecture will start at 7.00 pm. The topic will be "Christian Spirituality Through the Art of W H Titcomb" and the speaker will be Rev David Leese. Entrance is free but there will be a retiring collection for the work of Soar Valley Community Food Project. To reserve your place please email Gary Lee at garyhlee87@gmail.com or telephone 01509 890642

MORNING WORSHIP

Led by Rev Andrew Lomax

Welcome

Singing the Faith 79: "I'll praise my maker while I've breath"

Opening prayer & The Lord's Prayer

Singing the Faith 620: "Thou God of truth and love"

Bible Readings: 1 Corinthians Chapter 1 verses 10 – 18
John Chapter 17 verses 1 – 11

Singing the Faith 689: "Summoned by the God who made us"

Sermon

Singing the Faith 640: "We turn to God when we are sorely
pressed"

Offering

Prayers of Intercession

Singing the Faith 682: "God of grace and God of glory"

Blessing

EVENING WORSHIP

Led by John Pugh

Welcome

Singing the Faith 87: "Praise to the living God"

Prayer

Bible Reading: Genesis Chapter 1 verses 1-5, 26-31

Singing the Faith 414: "Shalom chavarim"

Bible Reading: Exodus Chapter 3 verses 13-18

Offering

Bible Reading: John Chapter 8 verses 12-21,23-28

Singing the Faith 736: "In heavenly love abiding"

Sermon

Singing the Faith 322: "How sweet the name of Jesus sounds"

Intercessions

Singing the Faith 487: "You shall go out with joy"

Blessing