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**NOTICES FOR EASTER SUNDAY 17th APRIL 2022**



**WEEKLY DIARY**

**Playgroup on Easter Holidays**

Monday 18 April	<b>ALL WEEK</b>	<b>DECORATORS IN THE REAR HALL</b>
Tuesday 19 April		
Wednesday 20 April	12.45 pm ish 2.30 pm 7.00 am 7.30 pm	Funeral Service for Brian Reeves at Loughborough Crematorium followed by Refreshments in the Worship Area here at church Cuppa and Chatta in the Welcome Coffee Bar Gardening Club in the Worship Area Ladies Circle in the rear Coffee Lounge
Thursday 21 April	10.00 am	Fun@Church planning meeting in the Quiet Room
Friday 22 April		
Saturday 23 April		
Sunday 24 April	10.15 am	Roger Latham Coffee: Heather

As Covid restrictions are now lifted our Church Council is advising that you continue to wear a mask while moving around in Church - this now is a personal choice, but we urge you to think of the health and safety of others. If you are unwell or have the symptoms of Covid -19, varied though they are, you are asked to stay at home and isolate.



# ORDER OF SERVICE – EASTER SUNDAY 17<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2022

Led by Angela Latham

Call to worship

STF 314: This joyful Eastertide;  
What need is there for grieving?

Opening Prayers

Readings: John Chapter 20: verses 1-18  
1 Corinthians Chapter 15 verses 1-11

STF 285: Were you there when they crucified my Lord?

Address

STF 272: From heaven you came, helpless babe,

Prayers of Intercession

The Lord's Prayer

STF 298: Christ the Lord is risen today,  
Alleluia

Blessing

Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> April	10.15 pm	Angela Latham Coffee: Tilly
Sunday 24 April	10.15 am	Roger Latham Coffee: Heather
Sunday 1 May	10.15 am	Rev Sandra Marshall - Sacrament Coffee:
Sunday 8 May	10.15 am	Local Arrangement Coffee:
Sunday 15 May	10.15 am	Colin Lamb Coffee:
Sunday 22 May	10.15 am	Local Arrangement Coffee: Janet
Sunday 29 May	10.15 am	Easter Offering Circuit Service at Trinity Methodist Church

As you can see, there are still blanks on the Coffee Rota for next month and beyond – if you feel that you could help in this way then please have a word with Mike.

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12<sup>TH</sup> Church is streamed every Sunday morning at 10.45 am on Facebook

Sunday 17 April	Rev Andrew Lomax
Sunday 24 April	Liz and Rob Newton
Sunday 1 May	Emma Lowe
Sunday 8 May	Karen Wormald
Sunday 15 May	Eleri Bristow
Sunday 22 May	John Pipet
Sunday 29 May	Rev Andrew Lomax



You are asked to bring a few flowers to the Easter Sunday service to decorate the Easter Cross which will then be displayed outside the church – Many thanks

### **FUNERAL SERVICE FOR BRIAN REEVES**

**The funeral service for Brian Reeves will be on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> April at 11.45 am at Loughborough Crematorium and everyone is very welcome to attend. Following the service refreshments will be served in the Worship Area here at Barrow upon Soar Methodist Church and again all welcome.**

### **CUPPA AND CHATTA**

The decorators might be in working but Cuppa and Chatta will still be meeting in the Welcome Coffee Bar at 2.30 pm on Wednesday afternoon – see Sue or Adrian for more information.

### **ANNUAL REPORT**

Our Annual Report is now ready for you to read and digest before our Annual Church Meeting on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> May. We are a bit short of Pastoral Visitors at the moment so if you haven't yet received yours then please see me. Thanks - Janet

### **EASTER OFFERING SERVICE – TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2022**

This year's theme, 'Tell Her Story, Tell Our Story' is about stories of women who have often been forgotten or overlooked. They are stories of courage, compassion and calls for change. The theme has been inspired by the tenth anniversary of Methodist Women in Britain and the work it has done to empower and enable women around the world.

### **YOU ARE INVITED**

To St Bartholomew's Church, Quorn on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30 pm for a Concert for Ukraine. Tickets can be purchased from St Bartholomew's, The Old School Tea Rooms or Bradleys on Station Road priced £10 which includes a glass of wine or juice. All proceeds are for the Red Cross Ukrainian Crisis Appeal

## **PRAYER FOR UKRAINE**

Lord of all people and all nations, we lift before you the people of Ukraine and the people of Russia. Each girl and boy, each woman and man living in fear of what tomorrow might bring. We long for a time you spoke of through your prophet Isaiah, when weapons of war would be beaten into ploughshares, when nation will no longer lift up sword against nation, we cry out to you for peace, protect those who only desire and deserve to live in security and safety, comfort those who fear for their lives and the lives of their loved ones, change the hearts of those set on violence and aggression, fill earthly leaders with great wisdom to find paths to peace. Please Lord come and have your way in your world, may your will be done here, on earth as it is in heaven, may your peace reign. now and always. We lift this prayer to you, our God who is able to do more than we can ever ask or imagine, In the name of Christ our saviour, **Amen**

## **METHODIST CHURCH PRAYER FOR TODAY**

Compassionate God, be with those who need you. The unloved, the friendless, the oppressed, the sick, the dying, the bereaved. Take your love where we can't, or won't, reach. Make your Spirit known in the worst places and times, so that all may benefit from the sacrifice that Jesus made for humankind. It is in his name we pray. Amen