

LIFE @ TRINITY

4th February 2018



8.45am Peter Holwell – Early Communion

10.30am Mary Bellshaw

4.00pm Rooted

6.00pm Connect

Welcome!

A warm welcome to worship at Trinity today.

We hope you enjoy meeting with us as we worship God together.

If you are here for the first time, why not fill in a

Welcome Card and continue to keep in touch with all that goes on at

Trinity. Just speak to a Steward and they will help you.

We hope you will join us for tea and coffee in the Café after the Service.

Children @ Trinity

All children are welcome to take part in YOUNG CHURCH during main church Service. We have a supervised crèche for children aged 3 yrs and under in the Breamish room.

We have **Explorers** for 3-6yrs in the **Coquet room** (next door to crèche).

We have **Enquirers** for 7-11yrs in the **Derwent room** (opposite the crèche).

We have **Elevate** for 11+ upstairs in the **Allen Room**.

Children attending for the first time need a responsible adult to accompany them to sign the necessary safeguarding forms before returning to the Main Service.

'Meet God, Meet Friends, Live Life Better'

Flower person for the month

Maureen Stewart

Today

Carole Eke

Women's Fellowship

Next meeting

Tuesday 6th February 2018 at 2.15pm

'Own Programme'

All ladies welcome

NOTICES

Thank you for all the cards, messages and flowers which I received after my heart attack. They all made me and my family feel very loved and blessed. I now feel much better. *Jo Dyson.*

Armistice Centenary Commemoration – An early notice. On November 11th 2018, it will be 100 years since World War 1 ended. We are planning a Commemorative Service event that weekend with displays, afternoon tea, evening concert and Remembrance Services. Help will be needed to staff the Church, as well as assist with flower arrangements, food preparation and serving. Also – have you any relevant artefacts we could borrow, e.g. a mangle, washboard, tub and/or dolly stick, small tables, chairs etc? Anything relating to 100 years ago. If you can help, please contact Joan Kirk. Many thanks.

Poppy Appeal 2017 – The Royal British Legion (local branch) have let us know that Trinity's collection raised £63.34p. Many thanks to those who contributed.

'ARE YOU FREE?' - Trinity does some amazing work with families within the Gosforth and wider community. Some of this work is done through the Monday and Wednesday Toddler Groups. We desperately need some new volunteers to come along and help 'plug the hole.' Do you think that you could give up a morning once or twice a month to help set up toys, or make coffees or listen to mums? If so please chat with Andie Cozens, Margaret Gillon or Jennifer Kernahan. We would love to hear from you. Thank you in anticipation.

Fire Evacuation Plan - would all desk volunteers please ensure that they have read the Fire & Evacuation Plan, and signed the sheet to confirm this. This should be done as soon as possible. Thank you, *The Centre team.*

Creating Safe Space – Foundation & Refresher Safeguarding training sessions. Dates: **Thursday 15th February**, 2pm Refresher & 7pm Foundation at Trinity. **Saturday 17th February**, 10am Refresher & 2pm Foundation at Blucher Methodist Church, NE15 9SL. **Tuesday 6th March**, Refreshers at 2pm & 7pm at Heaton Methodist Church, NE6 5JX.

Please book in advance to: Peter Michell, 01661 871885 or David Stabler, 0191 232 1693 or email: circuitoffice@brunswickmethodist.org.uk.

Gosforth Passion: Can I encourage you to take part in the Passion - you do not need to be 'A' list celebrities but have a willingness to see how you could get involved. **Rehearsals Sundays at 4pm.** The actual performance of the Passion will be on Thursday, March 29th in the evening – this is a great opportunity to present the Easter Story in a very accessible, yet moving way. If you would like to be part of this production, please let me know. *Peter Holwell.*

Palm Sunday: I would like to invite you to be a member of the choir for the Circuit Service at Brunswick on **Palm Sunday, 25th March at 6 p.m.** This will be a Circuit United Service with the Salvation Army and will start the Circuit's Holy Week of witness and worship. The Service will consist of readings, songs and prayer and I do hope that you will be able to be part of this act of worship. It is intended that this Service will complement the 'Gosforth Passion' presentation at Trinity on Maundy Thursday evening. The readings are taken from one of Nick Fawcett's books and the choir items are likely to include: Let a little sunshine in your heart, Lord make me a mountain, the processional from Stainer's Crucifixion (fling wide the gates) &/or The appeal of the crucified, Ernest Young's 'sacramental music' and The Hallelujah chorus, Handel. Contd..

The choir practices at Brunswick on Wednesdays, 7.45 on the following dates: January 31st, February 7th, 28th and March 7th, 14th & 21st. It would be very helpful if you are able to attend most of the practices! If you would like any more information please contact me – it would be most helpful to know if you intend joining us, so that I can ensure that there are enough copies of the music. *David Stabler.*

Gosforth Community Minibus – Drivers and Escorts wanted. GCM is in **urgent** need of volunteer drivers and escorts, drivers must hold a D1 Licence and be prepared to spare a few hours of their time each month to help keep this valuable community service going. If able to help, please call Margaret Gillon on 07926 563160.

EVENTS AT TRINITY

Friday 9th February – 10.30am – 8.30pm – Trinity Church. Mark Deeks presents sponsored piano play – in aid of CEOSleepOutUK (Changing Lives and Newcastle United Foundation). Request a tune and donate what you want.

Saturday 10th February at 8am – Men's Breakfast. Guest - Paul Waugh, Co-ordinator of Newcastle Street Pastors. I hope you can come and join us for this one. Please let me have your 'yea' or 'nay' as soon as you can get round to it. Thanks, everyone! *Peter Waugh.*

Women's Breakfast - Saturday 17th February at 8am in the Coquet Room. We meet for a continental breakfast followed by a speaker, who this month will be Alison Wilkinson. Alison is the minister at Jesmond and Longbenton Methodist Churches. Breakfast is £5 and all ladies are welcome. I would be grateful if you would let me know if you are coming (0191 2362466 or hazel.nelson56@btinternet.com). Many thanks. *Hazel Nelson.*

Trinity Word Games and Cake Party will be held in the Tyne Hall, Saturday 24th Feb, 2 – 4 pm. A Scrabble competition, followed by Cake and drinks, and a game of Just a Minute, with a variety of informal word-based activities (puzzles, games, books, writing, sign language etc.) for all. Why not bring a friend. Contact: Lucy Tanser, Fiona Holdsworth.

Saturday 10th March – 'Music from the Masters' – 7pm. Well-known choral music by composers such as Bach, Handel, Mozart and Verdi, with choir and Bede Wind – conductor, Ernest Young. Admission £5.00. There is a workshop in the afternoon at 2.15pm – come and sing – fee £3.00. For information and bookings, contact Monica Goldfinch on 285 6223 or monica.goldfinch@btinternet.com.

Diary note - Memorial Concert for Kathleen Mackintosh - on Saturday 12 May 2018 at 7pm here at Trinity Church, featuring Bede Band & Bede Chorus, plus our own Trinity Church Choir under the direction of Ernest Young, and The Ravenswood Singers under the direction of Joan Trainor. Further information will be available at a later date. *Ray Mackintosh.*

EVENTS ELSEWHERE

The Turning, next date, 17th February (area to be reached Byker, Shields Road, Chillingham Road and Heaton Road) @ Elim@Newcastle Dream Centre, Heaton Road, NE6 1SB.

ReIMAGINE CIRCUITS (4, 1 day conferences around the UK) – Planning for Life, Wednesday 28th February 2018. 9.45am – 4.30pm, (refreshments provided). Brunswick Methodist Church. Main speakers Jorge Acevedo and Patti Nemazie from Grace Church, Fort Myers, Cape Coral and Sarasota, Florida and Elaine Lindridge, Mission Enabler, Newcastle District. Free entry but booking necessary: www.methodist.org.uk/reimagine-circuits.

Thursday 8th March at 9.30am (for 10am start) – 3pm - Storyteller Day with Bob Hartman at Holy Nativity Church, Hillhead Parkway, NE5 1DR. There is no cost for day, other than 50p for a hot drink. Please bring a packed lunch. To book a place, contact Judith Sadler on 0191 270 4152 or email: j.sadler@newcastle.anglican.org.

Creating a Culture of Invitation, Tuesday 20th March 2018, 10am-1pm, (Getting Ready for the National Weekend of Invitation) @ Chester le Street Methodist Church, North Burns, DH3 3TF. Speaker Michael Harvey (an amazing enabler/encourager – helping Churches in 18 countries/over 14 years, see fresh ideas and be more effective). All welcome.

Early diary note: District Walk – May Bank Holiday Monday, May 7th 2018 – start and end at Strathmore Road Methodist Church, Rowlands Gill, NE39 1HX. Coffee/tea 10am – walk begins 11am – bring packed lunch – return by 3pm for tea/coffee – followed by a short Service. Any enquiries to Wes Blakey 0191 251 9813.

Sundays @ Trinity

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11th February 2018	10.30am 6.00pm	Peter Waugh Connect
18th February 2018	10.30am 6.00pm	Tom Leighton Mary Bellshaw
25th February 2018	10.30am 6.00pm	Peter Holwell Communion Peter Holwell



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