# PRAYER PAGE

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### Mission of the Month

Christian Aid Week runs from 13th - 19th May, and focuses this year on the plight of displaced people, particularly in Haiti where

they are coping with the aftermath of earthquakes, storms and hurricanes. 40 million people in the world today are 'internally displaced' - this means they have been forced to flee their homes, but remain inside their own country.

- Thank God for all the voluntary local Christian Aid organisers and collectors who take part in the annual house-to-house collection
- Pray for strength and encouragement for them this week, as they demonstrate God's love in action for the world's poor.

#### **Kingdom Prayer**

Holy God, in Your Kingdom the strong need the weak.

The rich are transformed by the poor. The fortunate are welcomed by the homeless. Your Kingdom is built by those who expect their God to come. Amen.

We pray for those in need: Ryan Bain, John Beaumont, Mary Lou Brown, Peter Burchell, Sylvia Burdett, Louise Burrows, Eunice Carter, Cynthia Dimmock, Paul Eccles, Daniel Grange, Gwen & Tony Hayward, John Jeffries, Sheila Johnson, Brian Mawhinney, Eileen Murphy, Elizabeth Parker, Philip Sewter, Dorothy Sumner, Eileen Turpin, Liz Waller

Sometimes we face particular crises in our lives. Our Pastoral Care Team is there to support those in need. If you, or anyone you know, needs any care or support, please let the office know.

We pray for those who mourn following the death of a loved one: Peter Brock, Sandra 'Alex' Crosby, Lucy Moynehan, Anna Webb, Alan Waller

**Belonging to St Peter's** We are a church who want to grow in faith and grow in numbers as we share the good news of Jesus. Together we are learning what it means to be his disciples. We encourage all who want to belong to our church family

- ⇒ to consider joining a home group where we get to know one another better;
- ⇒ to be part of one of the various teams that help out with our activities and ministries;
- ⇒ think through how we might give of time, talents and finance in a regular committed way in order to support the work of St Peter's.

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#### WELCOME! IT IS WONDERFUL TO SEE YOU HERE!

If you are here for the first time, do make yourself known to one of the Welcome Team, they would love to meet you and have a chat. If you intend to join us regularly, please fill in a 'Welcome' card at the back of the church.

If you need the hearing aid loop, please sit within the pillared area.



<u>The 8:00 - Holy Communion</u> led by Stephen Webster and Mark Donnelly Collect: Page 146 of BCP

#### The 9:45 All In

led by Jema Ball with help from children from OPS

### Reading:

Selected Proverbs
A baby and toddler area is in the North Aisle.

### The 11:15 - Holy Communion

led by Stephen Webster and Mark Donnelly

### Readings:

Acts 1:1-11 Church Bible p 1030

Hymns:
In Service Sheet

18:00 - Choral Evensong led by Stephen Webster and Mark Donnelly

Next Sunday, 20th May 2018: we will be celebrating Pentecost with all the Churches in Oundle with a Together@10:30. This will be followed by a 'Bring and Share' lunch and the Oundle Churches Youth Association (OCYA) AGM. OCYA is an organisation that links all the Oundle Churches together in Youth Work. They support Chattabox Holiday Club, Chattabox +, Youth Worship, Ignite, Soul Survivor and other ad-hoc activities throughout the year. Please come along and hear all the Good News they have been sharing with the youth of Oundle. All Welcome!

Youth Minister Update: Thank you to everyone who has responded either through prayer or giving. We are now in a position to proceed with appointing a Youth Minister. Please continue to pray for this role and that the right person will be interested in joining us. If you would still like to review your giving, then you can do so at any time, just speak to David Varley our Giving Officer.

## **JUNIOR CHURCH**

**Back Next Week!** 



Today marks the beginning of Christian Aid Week which will run until 19th May. There

will be the usual house-to-house collection in the town and some of the local villages. We are short of collectors particularly in the Wentworth Drive area, and in New Road/Rock Road. If you could offer to help, Eleanor Rayden (205287) would gladly give you more details.



LADIES SAVE THE **DATE!** Saturday 16th June 2018, 9am 10am. Ladies

Breakfast at No4 Café. Come and enjoy a hour of fellowship over breakfast. Got some good ideas on ways we can get together? Then bring them along, we would love to hear about them! More information to follow soon!

Arrow Leadership Programme: Jema is about to start an 18-month course run by CPAS to help her develop as a godly leader. This will involve her being away from Oundle for a week on four occasions over the next year or so. The first of these weeks starts today. Please be praying for Jema, for Jonno and their children, and for the rest of the team as they make it sible for her to take part in this course.

OPEN GARDEN, in Aid of St Peter's Church Youth Work, on Saturday 19th May, from 3pm to 5pm, at 1. Newbold Close. Oundle. Althea and John Strzebrakowski invite you to come along for a cup of tea, and a cake.

Corby Male Voice Choir Concert in Glapthorn Church, Fri 1 June 7.30 pm. Tickets £12.00 from Ursula Wide (01832 272594) email glapthornchurch@btinternet.com.

**OPEN GARDEN and Coffee Morning**, in Aid of USPG, on Saturday 26th May, from 10am to 1pm, at David and Sheila Wills. 62 Benefield Road, Oundle.

Rushden Brass Band: After their 'riproaring' success last October, the Friends of Oundle Parish Church present the award winning RUSHDEN BRASS BAND who will be playing music from Films and TV in St Peter's Church on Saturday 9th June - 7.30pm. Tickets available from Oundle in Stitches -£7.50/ Concessions £6.00. DON'T MISS OUT last year's concert sold out within a few days!!



Summer Chattabox Holiday Camp: Booking is now **OPEN!** This camp for primary school age children

(Foundation to Y6) and each morning is packed full of a huge array of activities.

We also still need teenagers and adults to help in the mornings. For 11-18's (School Yrs 7-13) there's the opportunity to camp on site all week and take part in Chattabox+ (activities for teens in the afternoons and evenings as well as helping with the kids camp in the mornings). Application forms for both can be found at the back of Church or on the St Peter's website.

John Piper: Stained Glass Designer, Artist and Author Talk by Rev Ian Browne, Sun 3rd June at 6pm in St Mary's Church, Lower Benefield. Tickets £7.50 (incl. glass of wine) and available from Jane Berridge (205283), Tessa Watts-Russell (205377) or Alan Rayden (205287)

Looking Ahead - Prayer Now - Church of England. The Rev John Dunnett, **6.30pm**:Coffee, **7pm**:Buffet Meal, **7.45pm**:AGM. **8.10pm**: **Presentation etc.** – come when you can. Thurs 24 May at St Peter's Church, Midland Road, Rushden NN10 **9UJ** (Car Park in Station Road).

## **Sunday 13th May**

St Peter's

08:00 Holy Communion

09:45 The 9:45 All In

**11:15** Holy Communion 11:15 Confirmation Group

18:00 Choral Evensong

Glapthorn

09:15 Holy Communion

Benefield

09:15 Holy Communion

#### THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday 14th

Tuesday 15th

09:00 Morning Prayer Lady Chapel

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10:00 Holy Communion

10:30 Coffee and Chat South Transept

Balcony

Vestrv

11:15 S.A.G.E Course

**13:15** Oundle School Lunchtime Concert

**18:00** The Wav

Friday 18th

Thursday 17th

**09:30** Explore

Wednesday 16th

08:30 Morning Prayer

15:30 West Porch Cafe

11:30 Funeral of Mr Peter Brock

18:30 Youth Confirmation Course

09:00 Morning Prayer

**09:30** Office Meeting 12:00 Clergy Prayers

09:00 Celtic Morning Prayer Lady Chapel

Saturday 19th Upper Room

09:00 Morning Prayer 11:00 Band rehearsal 15:00 Messy Church

# **Sunday 20th May**

St Peter's

08:00 Holy Communion

10:30 Together@10:30 - Pentecost

16:00 Confirmation Group

18:00 Youth Worship

Benefield

09:15 Morning Prayer

Glapthorn

09:15 Family Service

New General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR): There will soon be a change in the current data protection laws. On May 25th 2018 this new law will come into force. Your data is very important to us which is why the last time we updated the Parish Directory we asked for your consent on how you would like us to use and share your data. However, it is recommended that this process should be renewed to ensure we have the correct explicit consent in place and to make sure everyone is aware of our current data policy. We are therefore asking everyone to fill in a consent form otherwise we will have to remove your data from our database. Forms can be found at the back of Church, on our website and via a link in the electronic weekly sheet. Please return as soon as possible. Thank you for letting us continue to communicate with you!