



For your Information
Thank you to all those who serve.

INTERCESSIONS ROTA

If you have a prayer request for the church on a Sunday morning please have a word with the person leading intercessions that day.

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| 17 Jan | Sean |
| 24 Jan | Nigel |
| 31 Jan | Paul |
| 07 Feb | Abbey |
| 14 Feb | All-age worship team |

SIDES PERSONS ROTA



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| 17 Jan | Ayesha |
| 24 Jan | Gwen |
| 31 Jan | Matt & Katie |
| 07 Feb | Betty |
| 14 Feb | Pete |

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CLEANING ROTA

Please clean the church before the date marked.

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| 24 Jan | Bill |
| 31 Jan | Sandra's HG |
| 07 Feb | Jane |
| 14 Feb | Deb P |

TEA & COFFEE ROTA



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| Deb & Nigel | 17 Jan |
| Chris, Matt & Katie | 24 Jan |
| Jane & Gwen | 31 Jan |
| Pam & Maxine | 07 Feb |
| Val & Andrew | 10 Feb |

FOOD BANK COLLECTION POINT

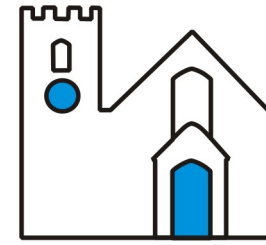


We now have a permanent collection point at church so that we can support the Swadlincote Food Bank throughout the year.

Please take a shopping list and put tins and packets of food in the collection box in the kitchen.

NEWSLETTER

If you have any notices to include in the newsletter and/or website www.hartshornechurch.org.uk please speak to Jane Horan 07966194954 or 211333 or email jane.horan52@gmail.com



St Pefer's Hartshorne

www.hartshornechurch.org.uk

Sunday 17th January
Second Sunday of Epiphany

Welcome to our service today.
Tea and coffee will be served after the service.
All welcome!

10:45 Morning Worship
led by Rev Graham Rutter
with Sandra O'Toole preaching
on the work of Open Doors

Prayer for today

Eternal Lord,
our beginning and our end:
bring us with the whole creation to your glory,
hidden through past ages
and made known
in Jesus Christ our Lord

Services next Sunday

10:45 Holy Communion
Led by Rev Graham Rutter

4:00pm Church Gresley Methodist, York Rd
United Service: Theme 'Food for Thought'

Check out our website



We are also on
Facebook and
Twitter



Interesting items from Parish Magazine, January 1904

We have received some beautiful gifts for our Church. We have to thank Mr. and Mrs. Young for their gift of a handsome purple frontal and super-frontal, which was both designed and carried out by their skilful hands. It came in time for Advent. Then, just in time for Christmas Day, came a magnificent white frontal of costly material and excellent workmanship, which is the joint gift of Mrs. Morant, and of the ladies of the St. Paul's, Knightsbridge, Needlework Guild. At the same time, the St. Peter's, Eaton Square, Guild have presented us with 2 sets of Altar Linen. The Sanctuary Lamps, presented by Mr. Mansfield and by General Lord Grenfell, are now on their way from Florence, in Italy. And our old friend and former resident in this Parish, Mrs. Mynors, has presented us with some mats which she worked for us herself. Truly we in Hartshorne are deeply indebted to the generosity of many outside our Parish. God grant that this fact may enlarge our hearts, and make us cheerfully and generously respond to any fitting calls which may come to us, not only in our own parish, but also from outside. Freely we have received: let us freely give.

WE have had very helpful addresses at our Thursday night Advent Services, from the Vicar of St. Chad's, Lichfield, the Vice-Principal of Lichfield Theological College, and from the New Vicar of Ashby. And al-

though the bad weather and darkness kept many away, the attendance on the whole, was encouraging. On Tuesday, Dec. 2nd, the Rev. H. B. Freeman, Vicar of Burton-on-Trent, gave us a most helpful address on preparation for our Christmas Communion. On Christmas Eve we tried an Evensong at 6.30, but few came to it. The decorations were completed and the Church looked very bright and cheerful - so different from the Christmas of 1902! There were 30 who came to the early Christmas Celebration to meet their Saviour on His Birthday Feast. There was a fair attendance at the 11 o'clock Service. Yet there were some, even of our Church people, who did not care to bear in mind that "Christmas Day" means "Christ's Mass Day", that is "Christ's Holy Communion Day" and they made it a day for festival and communion with each other but not with Him. They left Him out: there was no room for Him in their Inn. It is right that Christmas should be a very bright and happy time, but not only for our bodies: It ought to mean well to our souls; - and above all it ought to be a day of deep gratitude and thanksgiving to Him who "for us men and for our Salvation came down from Heaven" then; - down, down to the stable of the Village Inn at Bethlehem. Surely it is a matter for our shame, if we make Feasts for ourselves on Christ's Birthday, but neglect to attend His Birthday-Feast!

News from



Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 18th - 25th January

Opportunities for us to pray and worship together:

Mon 18th Jan 7.00pm at St Peter and St Paul (junction of Newhall Rd and Darklands Rd)
Theme: Care of the World

Tues 19th Jan 7.30pm at Hill Street Baptist an opportunity to pray for all the churches locally using the theme of Salt and Light.

Wed 20th Jan at 7.30pm led by the Churches Together School Assemblies Team at **St George and St Mary, Church Gresley**

Fri 22nd Jan from 12.15pm-1.30pm at Newhall Methodist Church (Orchard Street Entrance DE11 OJS) simple lunch (provided) followed by prayer

Sunday 24th Jan at 4.00pm Church Gresley Methodist, York Rd. United Service: Theme 'Food for Thought'.



THIS WEEK

Wednesday 20th Jan 9.30am
Little Sparks in the church hall

Wednesday 20th Jan 7.30pm
Bell ringing practice

Thursday 21st Jan 6.30pm
Choir practice

Friday 22nd Jan 9.30am
Little Sparks in the church hall

Saturday 23rd Jan 10am
St Peter's Football Academy
Goseley Recreation Ground

Saturday 23rd Jan 3pm
Wedding of
Mark Howard and Alice Romans

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sunday 24th January
10:45 Holy Communion
Led by Rev Graham Rutter

Wednesday 27th January
7.30pm PCC meeting
in the church hall

Sunday 31st January
10:45 Morning Worship
Led by Sean O'Toole

Sunday 7th February
10:45 Morning Worship
Led by Sandra O'Toole