

# Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2020 The Third Sunday before Lent

Welcome to our service today. Please stay for tea, coffee and fellowship after the service.

10:45 Morning Worship led by Sandra O'Toole with Helen Davis from SDYFC

#### Prayer for the week

You may want to use this as part of your prayers this week:

Eternal God, whose Son went among the crowds and brought healing with his touch:
 help us to show his love,
 in your Church as we gather together,
 and by our lives as they are transformed into the image of Christ our Lord.

## Services next Sunday

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> February 10:45 Morning Worship led by Sean O'Toole Check out our website













# INNOVATIVE EVANGELISM IN SOMALIA (#3)

Most Somali Christians keep their faith completely secret. Islam is an important part of a Somali's identity, and if you decide to leave Islam and follow Jesus it's seen as a huge betrayal - one that could lead to immediate execution. That's one reason Somalia is still number three on the World Watch List.

Open Doors supports isolated Somali believers in the Horn of Africa through the radio, partnering with others to produce radio programmes in the Somali language which bring the gospel to those who may never have heard it before.

### A PRAYER FOR SOMALIA

Lord Jesus, thank You that You have not forgotten the people of Somalia.

Reveal Your love and mercy to more and more Somalis. Strengthen those who have already chosen to follow You. Bless those who make and broadcast radio programmes that tell of Your saving power - may they reach more and more people and transform more lives. Amen.

# ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING (APCM) Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> April, following the morning service

It's nearly time to review another church year. I'm sure there is a lot to share about all the good work you are doing in and around church life. If you normally complete a report for the APCM, please complete and pass on to Christine asap to enable documents to be completed.

Part of the APCM is to review any vacant PCC, Deanery or Warden positions. This year we have two (2) Deanery Synod posts, two (2) PCC members and each year we have to advertise the warden roles as they are annual posts.

At the back of the church there will be application or nomination forms available for people who wish to apply for any of these roles. If you would like to nominate someone please check with them first that they are happy to stand. In the event of several people being nominated, a vote will be taken at the APCM by all members eligible to vote.

This year we would like to move towards a more paperless APCM. We plan to produce a smaller number of hard copies and intend on posting the APCM on the church web site for all to view. If you would like a hard copy of the APCM or would like to know more about the roles that are vacant please talk with myself or Christine Gardner.

Nigel Worth (Vice-Chair PCC)

# WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK?

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2pm Hartshorne Primary School Eucharist Journey in the church

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February 9.30am Little Sparks in the church hall

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February 7.30pm Bell ringing practice

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February 10am Coffee, Conversation & Company Goseley Community Centre

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February 9.30am Little Sparks in the church hall

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February 12.00 Funeral of June Woods

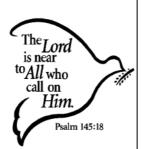
# WEDNESDAY EVENING PRAYER MEETINGS

We meet in the North Aisle every other Wednesday at 7.30pm to pray for our church in this time of change. The following members of our fellowship are leading the meeting on these dates:

19<sup>th</sup> Feb Sean 4<sup>th</sup> March Stella 18<sup>th</sup> March Nige 1<sup>st</sup> April Sean 15<sup>th</sup> April Stella 29<sup>th</sup> April Debbie 13<sup>th</sup> Mav Sandra 27<sup>th</sup> May Nige 10<sup>th</sup> June Debbie 24<sup>th</sup> June Stella 8<sup>th</sup> July Sean

Sandra

22<sup>nd</sup> July



# News from St Pefer's

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> February 10:45 Morning Worship led by Sean O'Toole

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> February 11:30 Make Lunch at Goseley Community Centre

Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 10:45 Holy Communion led by Rev Stella Greenwood 4pm Pilgrim Course in the church hall

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> February 7.30pm Ash Wednesday Service with Holy Communion led by Rev Stella Greenwood

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February 10am**Coffee, Conversation & Company
Goseley Community Centre

Sunday 1st March 10:45 Morning Worship led by Debbie Patrick 4pm Pilgrim Course in the church hall 6pm Cafe Church

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 9am Post Office Coffee Morning in the Dethick Hall

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> March 10:45 Morning Worship led by Nigel Worth 4pm Pilgrim Course in the church hall

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March 10:45 Holy Communion led by the All-age Worship Team 4pm Pilgrim Course



# For your Information

Thank you to all who serve.

### PRAYER REQUESTS

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

#### **SIDES PERSONS**

Please come 30mins before the service starts to welcome people, hand out newsletters and do a head count.

9-Feb-2020	Margaret
16-Feb-2020	Gwen
23-Feb-2020	Jean & Gina
26-Feb Ash Wed	Wendy
1-Mar-2020	Margaret
8-Mar-2020	Jean & Gina

### **CLEANING**

Please clean the church before the date marked.

16-Feb-2020	Jane
23-Feb-2020	Sean and Sandra
1-Mar-2020	Deb P
8-Mar-2020	Nige & Deb
15-Mar-2020	Bill

#### **TEA & COFFEE**

9-Feb-2020	Deb & Nigel
16-Feb-2020	Sean
23-Feb-2020	Christine
1-Mar-2020	Pam & Maxine
8-Mar-2020	Val & Andrew

#### **FOOD BANK**

We have a collection point at church so that we can support the Swadlincote Food Bank throughout the year. Please put tins and packets of food in the collection box in the kitchen.

#### **OFFERINGS**

We do not have a collection during our services as we do not want anyone to feel obliged to give. What is important is that you experience the Lord's blessing during your visit.



If you would like to support the work and upkeep of our church, there is a blue bag on the

side of the sound desk for offerings. Alternatively, if you regularly attend our services, please speak to our treasurer Deb Worth, who can advise you on effective ways of giving.

# Need a lift to church?



Then please call Andy or Val on 07834800577 and we will arrange to collect you and take you home.

### **NEWSLETTER**

If you have any notices to include in the newsletter and/or website please speak to Jane Horan 07966194954 or 01283 211333 or email jane.horan52@gmail.com

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