

ST PAUL'S Church, New England

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Celebrating St Paul's 150th Anniversary 1869-2019
Come Sun May 26th at 3pm to the Anniversary Service

Children/Families Worker-Part-Time: Gill Thompson

Licensed Pastoral Minister: Val Watkinson

Vicar: Rev Ron Watkinson

24 March 2019: 3rd Sunday of Lent

If this is your first time here please fill in a **Welcome Slip** so we are able to let you have further information & please do **take this Notice Sheet home**.

All baptised members of this church or another Christian church can receive Bread & Wine (let us know **prior** if **non-alcoholic wine /gluten free bread** is needed), or, if not baptised, you are welcome to receive a prayer of Blessing- take a service booklet up with you.

Music: 314; 938; 84; 631 (Jonathan & Sam)

Reading: Isaiah ch55v1-9; 1 Corinthians ch10 v1-13 (read by Anne)

Gospel: Luke ch13 v1-9

Sermon: 'Come, Listen and Seek' – Rev Ron

Please stay on for tea/coffee after the service.

Happy Birthday to Diana for today.

Please see the Welcomer for access to the Hall where the toilets are.

☺ **4pm All welcome at 'T@4' Church..come & see what it is like! Bring & Share Tea @5pm**

St Paul's Magazine (March) – 50p. 5min

Prayers; Diary Dates, Photographs of events, etc.

Up to 4 April applications can be received, using the Church Electoral Roll Form, to go on the **NEW Church Electoral Roll**.

The **E.R. Form** explains who is eligible to be on the Roll & what it is for. i.e.

Only those on the E.R. are eligible to vote at the Church

APCM & AGM on Sun 28 April. Please

see Val (PCC Secretary) for a Form & more info.

✠ **EASTER MISSION EVENTS**..please **display** the Easter flier. Also sign up if you can offer help eg: cooking; provide venue for evening meal; bring 1 or more people, wash up, do any outreach, etc

Your regular financial giving blesses God & St Paul's. Details from Jenny Turner re Gift Aid.

*See info on Notice Boards & on back table. *

****Safeguarding** Notice in Porch & on N.Board.

Peterborough **Foodbank**-dried or tinned food please.

THIS WEEK

27 Weds: 10.30am said Eucharist. Also 7th birthday of Zig Zag Nursery.

29 Fri: 2pm Eucharist @ Shakespeare Centre.

30 Sat: CLOCKS go forward at midnight 🕒

31 Sun: 10.30am **Mothering Sunday Eucharist.**

Events you can invite people along to:

Monthly 'T@4' service at 4pm on Sundays in Church. For all ages & especially those with young children. At 5pm there is refreshments & finishes 5.45pm approx. **May 5th & June 30th.

'OASIS Time' drop-into church from 2pm-3.30pm. Relax in a safe space in church, chat over refreshments. Invite others. **Thurs 25 April;** Tues 28 May (A 12noon said Eucharist also being held as on 1869 Consecration date.)

PALM SUNDAY procession - 14 April
Easter Mission events from 18 April-Maundy Thurs to Easter Sunday. FLIER has dates.

18 April **INVITE** to 'Food for Thought' meal 5-7pm in church+ a team speaker. Free. Invite friends along. Help & food is needed please.

GOOD FRIDAY INVITE to BREAKFAST-9.15am. Men meet in church & ladies at the Vicarage. Why not ask someone to join you?

1.40 Walk of Witness & 2pm INVITE to **Stations of the Cross** service+Prayer for Healing. Hot Cross buns & tea afterwards.

7.30pm INVITE to SUPPER –meet in homes. Can you host one? Also one on **EASTER SAT.** See Rev Ron or Val if you can host.

EASTER SUNDAY 10.30am Eucharist-invite friends. 2-4pm Church **OPEN** to visitors. Can you help steward please? (Easter Egg Hunt)

PLEASE PRAY FOR: David Browitt; Glenys Nordkvelle; Fran King; Eric Lavender; Eileen Tinkler; 10mth Amelia in Great Ormond St; Sheila Riseley; Barbara Kisby; Caroline Boyle; Ray Elms; Maja-13yrs; Vic Redhead; Marian Wales; Bob Size; Sheila Onyskiw; Bill Masters; Pam & Roger Howland; Trevor & Marian Bentham; Michael & Linda Clark; Marian Gibson; Terry & Carol Woodruffe; Margaret Bennett; Mary Campbell; Margaret Scott; Samantha King; Peggy Dawes; All we know with depression.

All known to you in need of prayer.

Pray for all you know who are bereaved :

(Please give Val up to date info about those you have asked to be on for prayer). Put a prayer request on the Prayer Tree near the organ. **Please also use the 'Thanks to God' board.** A candle can also be lit in the Lady Chapel in memory of a loved one.

ST PAUL'S VISION PRAYER

We would like to see this lovely church go on for many more years to come, filled with people of all ages; a church that is vibrant & growing in strength & faith; a busy church; a church that people will be proud to call their own; a cornerstone of New England. Amen.

Please see the Magazine for March & April **birthdays**. Let Val know if you would like yours included. The Magazine also remembers names of loved ones now departed.

Call Rev Ron or Val on **314117** for enquiries about ALPHA Christian faith discovery course; weddings; christenings; funerals. To receive this Sheet by email contact valwatkinson@yahoo.com (GDPR consent req'd)