

A very warm welcome to everyone visiting our church today. It's great that you're here this morning, we hope that you enjoy today's service. We would love to get to know you better, so please join us after the service for tea and coffee if you are able.

# **Sunday 28th April 2019**

10.30am - Morning Service

5.30pm - Rose Garden Church

#### **For Your Prayers**

Pray for the persecuted church to be strong in the Lord and to continue to stand. May we support them in prayer and in other ways as able. May we be willing to stand for our faith in the UK. Remember those who mourn in Sri Lanka.

Let us rejoice in the life of Morag Clark and may the thanksgiving service on May 4th bring glory to God. This would be Morag's desire. Remember her

nephew Robin Scott and wife, Liz and their family.

Pray for students taking exams to give of their best and to trust in God to supply the grades they need for his good purposes for them. May they know Jesus is ALWAYS with them - even when parents/ technology aren't.

Pray for a smooth move for Steve and Sarah into their new home. May they know God's blessing.

# Today's Reading 2 Timothy 1:6-10 (NIV) Appeal for Loyalty to Paul and the Gospel

6 For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands. 7 For the Spirit God gave us does not make us timid, but gives us power, love and self-discipline. 8 So do not be ashamed of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner. Rather, join with me in

suffering for the gospel, by the power of God. 9 He has saved us and called us to a holy life—not because of anything we have done but because of his own purpose and grace. This grace was given us in Christ Jesus before the beginning of time, 10 but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Saviour, Christ Jesus, who has destroyed death and has brought life and immortality to light through the gospel.

#### Thought for the Week

No one has yet discovered the word Jesus ought to have said, none suggested the better word he might have said... He is full of surprises, but they are all the surprises of perfection.

John Watson

# Thanksgiving Service for Morag Clarke

The Thanksgiving Service for the life of Morag Clark is taking place next Saturday, 4th March at 11.45am.

Many of our church family will want to be present.

#### **Parking Next Saturday**

If you have access to the underground car park, please use that facility as that will free spaces for other attenders.

If you are not attending the service, please do not use the church car park next Saturday because we are expecting

visitors from different parts of the

country for this occasion.

Parking spaces will be cordoned off for members of Morag's family who will attending the committal at the Crematorium

prior to the Thanksgiving Service, please respect this and leave these spaces free.

Thank you for your co-operation.

## **Easter Eggs**

Thank you to everyone who donated Easter Eggs for Women's aid, we had enough to give one to every person in a refuge in Hereford and the team working with them, all the extra eggs were donated to the food bank.

### PRAYER MEETINGS - EASTER to PENTECOST.

Prayer Meetings will be planned as below on the theme

IN EARTH as in HEAVEN

From Ascension Day until Pentecost we will also have the opportunity to link with the Ecumenical Initiative

"THY KINGDOM COMF"

(Materials, Prayer prompts and Ideas will be available.)

# **IN EARTH AS IN HEAVEN**

**April 29th** 

Our Heavenly Father. Hallowed be thy Name – in earth as in heaven

May 6th

Bank Holiday

May 13th

Thy Kingdom come – in earth as in heaven

May 20th

Thy will be done – in earth as in heaven

May 27th

Bank Holiday

May 30th

Ascension Day

"Thy Kingdom Come" begins.

June 3rd

Forgiven and Forgiving – in earth as in heaven.

June 9th

PENTECOST - ALL ARE WELCOME.

#### What's On This Week

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9.45am-11.15am	Women's Study Group at HBC
6.30pm	Prayer and fellowship - all are welcome

#### Tuesday

9am	Tuesday Breakfast Club
12pm-2.30pm	Private booking - Middle Hall

#### Wednesday

IUam	lot Stop
10.15am-12pm	Wednesday Club
	John Platt 'Building our house'
5.30pm - 9pm	Youth

	5.30pm Food, 6-8pm Pulse, 7-9pm Ignite
730nm	Small Group - Aylestone Hill/Tunsley

#### **Thursday**

12pm	Silver Diners	
7.30pm	Activate Fitness	
7pm	Musicians Practice (Blue Team)	

#### **Friday**

Sunday	Starr isir Marris and Tots exercise class	
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# Sunday

Midnight	Night Shift
10.30am	Morning Service
5.30pm	Rose Garden Church

#### **BMS Birthdays**

6th	Marilyn Welford
22nd	Margaret Salmon
26th	lan Burell

## **Annual Church Meeting**

HBC annual Church meeting will take place Monday 20th May 2019 at 7.30pm. AGM booklets will be made available 2 weeks prior to this.

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