

Prayer and Thanksgiving this week

People

- Pray for Camilla Walton, Jay & Don Stanley, Ruby Cane, Adrienne & Rod Welling, Brian Collins, Sid Dixon, Margaret Parsons, Peter Vittle, Carina Boddy, Elizabeth Roberts, Vera Fillary, Margaret Baker and Charlie Cameron - we remember all those who care for them.
- For our church family members: Philip & Alison Hart, Stephen Haynes & family, Margaret Higgs and Peter, Michelle, Max & Millie Honiball

Community

- Pray that we may build together God's living Community, bound together by love, hope and joy.
- For everyone at St Thomas'
- Paul Cornelius as he leads us to the Next Phase with the Steering Group – Andrew , Chris, Fiona, Trevor , Ruth and Narinder
- The Fire and Medical Services
- Thank God for our witness and opportunities in this Community.

Church

- For strengthening relationships between all the Beaconsfield Churches as we seek to serve our community together.
- For our Lenten journey, Peace and Justice

World

Forgive those things we have done which have caused you sadness, and those things we should have done that would have brought you joy. In both we have failed ourselves, and you. Bring us back to that place where our journey began, when we said that we would follow the way that you first trod. Lead us to the Cross and meet us there. Amen

Mission – Tansen Hospital

Please pray for personnel needs – surgeons, anaesthesiologists and doctors. Pray for the oxygen concentrating plant, which has been delivered and the new incinerator that is also being constructed. Praise for the opening of the newly constructed New Life Psychiatric Rehab Center.



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ST THOMAS CHURCH
HOLTSPUR BEACONSFIELD



To transform lives through faith in Jesus

19th March 2017

The Third Sunday of Lent

8.00am Narinder at St Michael's

9.15am Church Prayer

10.00am Holy Communion
Celebrant: Narinder
Presentation of Survey Outcome
by Trevor & Tony

- John 4: 5-26 (Page 1227)

The Third Sunday of Lent

Eternal God,
give us insight
to discern your will for us,
to give up what harms us,
and to seek the perfection we are promised
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

6.30pm Taize Service at St Mary's

Services and Events for Next Week

Monday 20th	6pm	Beavers Group at Church
	7.45pm	Young Life Prayer Session at Beaconsfield School
	8pm	Church Wardens' Meeting at St Thomas House
Tuesday 21st	8.30am	Morning Prayer
	9.15am	Toms' Tots
	1pm	Oasis Team meets at St Thomas House
Wednesday 22nd	8.30am	Morning Prayer at St Mary's
	9am	Holy Communion at St Michael's
	12.30pm	Lent Lunch - Hope Church
Thursday 23rd	8.30am	Morning Prayer
Friday 24th	8.30am	Morning Prayer
	8.45-11am	Hope Café Drop-In
	7pm	Holtspur Youth Club
	7.30pm	Steering Group – Supper Evening, St Thomas House
Saturday 25th	10am-3pm	Prayer Day at St Thomas Church
	7.30pm	Orpheus Choir Fundraiser for SIM at St Michael's
Sunday 26th		The Fourth Sunday of Lent – Mothering Sunday
		<i>This morning we welcome The Right Reverend Dr Alan Wilson – Bishop of Buckingham, who will celebrate and preach.</i>
	9.15am	Church Prayer
	10am	All Age - Family Communion Celebrant & Preacher: Bishop Alan Wilson <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Psalm 23• John 19: 25-27b
	6.30pm	Lent Taize Service at St Mary's: Be Strong in the Lord

Please e-mail your notices to cadali.stthomas@gmail.com
by Thursday 1pm next week



Wishing a very Happy Birthday to...
Tracy Always and Sammy Smith

Please check your entry on the **Electoral Roll for 2017** which is displayed in the church now! If there are any amendments to be made, please contact Chris Jones tel: 676975.

Day of Prayer and Discernment for St Thomas' Church

All the St Thomas congregation are warmly invited to a *Day of Prayer and Discernment* on **Saturday 25th March**, 10am to 3pm at St Thomas' Church (a simple sandwich lunch will be provided).

The day will consist of:

- Times of prayer
- Looking at passages of scripture together as they relate to guidance and discernment
- Discussing the outcomes from the recent survey
- Discussing all options for the future of the church in Holtspur
- Agreeing on follow up actions which come out from the day

If you are interested in coming please can you sign up on the sheet at the back of the church.

We would hope that this is a priority for all of us at St Thomas'.

14th April Good Friday 9.15am. Messy Church in St Michael's Hall for children ages 3 – 14 accompanied by an adult, plus a crèche, using craft, music and fun plus Hot Cross Buns. For families from Beaconsfield Team and friends. Places have to be limited so **BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL**. For Registration Form, please see www.stmichaelsbeaconsfield.org.uk.

Narinder & Oosman's Farewell Service and Lunch on Sunday 23rd April. You are all invited to a Celebration Service at 10.30am followed by lunch and games. There will be an opportunity of sharing stories and memories of our time together and give thanks for the many blessings.

For catering purposes- Please sign the list at the back of the church or email Andrew & Julie Snelling julie.snelling3@gmail.com.

Christian Aid There are now "count your blessing forms" for lent at the back of church, some for adults and some for younger people, please feel free to take one. Let Paul know if you have any questions.

Save the date:

March	29 th	Lent Lunch at URC Aylesbury End
April	1 st	Retreat Day – An Encounter with Jesus
	2 nd	Service of Remembrance and Thanksgiving
	5 th	Lent Lunch at St Mary's Church
	9 th	ACM
	12 th	Lent Lunch at Free Methodist Church
	23 rd	Narinder's Farewell Service
May	25 th	Bishop of Oxford at the Maidenhead Synagogue
June	17 th	RAF Halton Area Band concert for Mission Aviation

