

Prayer and Thanksgiving this week

People

- Pray for John Wynburne, Saheena, Joe Flynn and Charlie Cameron – we remember all those who care for them.
- For our church family members: Sibyl Jirasinha, Niro & Andrew Gallacher and Philip & Alison Hart

Mission - MAF

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aid, development and mission organisations to bring medical care, emergency relief, long-term development and Christian hope to thousands of communities.

Please pray for the organisation, partners and the people they serve. Pray that the process to bring the new plane into Bangladesh is finalised quickly and give thanks that the first of new aircraft in Papua New is already operational.



ST THOMAS CHURCH
HOLTSPUR BEACONSFIELD



To transform lives through faith in Jesus

31st March 2019

The Fourth Sunday of Lent

10am

Mothering Sunday

Revd Michael Johnson

- **Joshua 5: 9-12 (Page 219)**
- **2 Corinthians 5: 16-end (Page 1161)**
- **Luke 15: 1-3, 11-end (Page 1048)**

Mothering Sunday

God of love,
passionate and strong,
tender and careful:
watch over us and hold us
all the days of our life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.



*Thank God
for Mums!*

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LIGHTS
THEATRE
COMPANY
PRESENTS

The



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THEATRE
ON THE JOURNEY
TO EASTER

BY PAUL BIRCH

SAT 6 APRIL 7.30PM

ST THOMAS CHURCH

Mayflower Way, Beaconsfield, HP9 1UF

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Services and Events for Next Week

MON 1st	2.15pm	Young at Heart at URC Crabtree Close – <i>Chaplaincy on Bardsey Island, Wales – Revd Sharon Roberts</i>
TUE 2nd	9am	Morning Prayer at St Thomas
	9.15am	Tom's Tots
WED 3rd	8.30am	Morning Prayer at St Mary's
	9am	Holy Communion at FWC
	12.30pm	Lent Lunch at Jordans' Meeting House
THU 4th	9am	Morning Prayer at St Thomas
SAT 6th	9-9.30am	Praying Together at St Thomas Church
	2.30pm	Film Show in St Thomas Hall
	7.30pm	The Narrow Road in St Thomas Church www.ticketsource.co.uk/date/625448
SUN 7th	10am	The Fifth Sunday of Lent Holy Communion Revd Michael Johnson Luke 13
	followed by	Annual Church Meeting

Save the Date:

Lent Lunches	3 rd April	at Jordans' Meeting House
	12.30-2pm	
	10 th April	at Free Methodist Church
	17 th April	at St Mary's Church



Wishing a very Happy Birthday to...
Pat Binns and Enid Cornelius

The new **Electoral Roll** is now on display in the church porch. Please check that your details are correct and let me know if there are any amendments to be made **before 2nd April**. Chris Jones tel: 676975



Our **Annual Church Meeting** will be held on **Sunday 7th April** after the morning service. This year there are several vacancies to be filled including: Church Wardens, Deanery Synod representative, PCC representative, DCC members and Safeguarding Officer. **Please consider prayerfully whether you could take on any of these roles.** To find out more information or have an informal discussion about what is required, please contact Revd Michael Johnson or any current DCC member. A few copies of the papers for the meeting will be available in church for those who cannot access them by email.

Team Outside Giving Committee (TOGC): We need a third representative from St Thomas' to join the TOGC. There are two meetings a year (next one October) with minimal involvement between meetings. Please speak to Michael if you would like to be considered.

Extra help is required at **Toms Tots** which meets on **Tuesday mornings** during term time in the hall. We need help with setting out the toys before 9.15am and putting them away at 11.00am but would also appreciate anyone who wants to come and interact with parents/carers and the children. If you are able to help either on a regular or occasional basis please contact Mary Cole (01494 677401).

The **Town Community Bus** has started on Mondays and Wednesdays around the town. Please do support this new venture. There are copies of the timetable and route at the back of church.

The church will generally be open during the day if you would like to call in to pray, enjoy the sunlight shining through the colourful doors, or just have a rest.

Ruby Cane: Many people will remember a former member of our congregation, Ruby Cane, who died peacefully this week at her home in Essex. Please remember her daughters Miriam, Penny and Gillian in your prayers.



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

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