

IMMANUEL CHURCH, HIGHTERS HEATH

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13th July, 2014 4th Sunday after Trinity

Today's Services: 8am and 10am

WELCOME TO IMMANUEL

8am Holy Communion in the Lady Chapel

10am All Age Worship begins with hymn **86** and continues on p.1 of the Rainbow Service Book

Immanuel gives a very warm welcome to our new curate Revd Helen Glithero

HYMNS

86 Brother Sister let me serve you

212 God forgave my sin in Jesus' name

555 Peace perfect peace is the gift of Christ our Lord

766 You shall go out with joy

Set Readings Isaiah 55:10-13; Romans 8:1-11; Matthew 13:1-9,18-23

NEXT SUNDAY 20th July 5th Sunday After Trinity

10am Parish Communion

Set Readings: Wisdom of Solomon 12:13,16-19; Romans 8:12-25; Matthew 13:24-30,36-43

Children's Corner:

If you have small children, and, they get a bit restless, please feel free to go with them and enjoy the children's corner at the back of church.

Toilets: Are in the church hall, next to the car park.

Refreshments: Come and have a cuppa with us in the church hall after this service.

All welcome!

THIS WEEK

Wednesday 16th July Holy Communion 9.30

In Immanuel Lady Chapel

Wednesday 16th July Totstime 11am-

12noon Immanuel Church

Wednesday 16th July Light A Candle at

Immanuel 7pm in church (see notice below)

Saturday 19th Men's Breakfast meet 8:15 in car park

Prayer for the week

We give thanks to you, Lord,
for you have done marvelous things!
When we were walking in darkness
you were there,
when we were kneeling in weakness
you were there,
when we drew near feeling worthless
you were there,
when we were needing forgiveness
you were there,
when we were searching for your grace
you were there,
We give thanks to you, Lord,
for you have done marvelous things
Christ yesterday and today. Amen

Thought for the week

Teach me, O Lord to do your will, for you are my God.

LIGHT A CANDLE AT IMMANUEL

Drop in and light a candle for someone you love

Time to spend quietly in Church, to light a candle, pray or just enjoy the peace of our beautiful Church. Please feel free to leave at any time

Please take this sheet home with you

Please Pray for those who are ill

**Bernie Fletcher
Bob and Norma Billington
Valerie Cotton
Paul Spencer
Alf Traylor
Joseph Lockington
Wendy Kirby
Linda Graty
Doreen Evans
Aidan Sahota
Eileen Kempe
Winston Hall
Richard and Wendy Harding**

Names on the pew sheet are continually prayed for. Alongside these prayers; everyone on the sick list, is prayed for on the first Wednesday of the month at the 9.30 Holy Communion Service. Once those prayers have been offered, I will take all the names off the list, so we can begin again. However, if there are some people on the list who need to be there longer, then can folk please let Lynne know and she will put their names back on. Revd. Rebecca

Prayers for Syria and Ukraine

With so much suffering in Syria and Ukraine; please remember in your prayers to ask for an end to the violence. Through Jesus Christ Our Lord.

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NOTICES

Cream Teas

We are having a Cream Tea in Church on Saturday 26th July between 4:00 and 6:00pm. To help with catering, tickets are on sale today from BARBARA POULTON priced at £5 (there is no charge for children). We would love you to join us to enjoy sandwiches, strawberries, home baked cakes and lots of tea, as well as good company. Thank you. Christine and Jean

Plans for Disabled Access

The basic plan for the disabled access is on the table at the back of church. As you can see it is a simple layout and will really enhance the front of the church. Our Church Wardens, small working party from the PCC and members of PCC have all seen the plans. There is paper by the plans if you wish to write your comments. I will then go back to our architect and move us on to the next stage in the process. Thank you for your support, Revd Rebecca.

Peace Garden

To mark the centenary of the outbreak of the First World War, I have asked the children at Grendon and Hollywood Schools to design a Peace Garden which will be created on the overgrown boarder by the vicarage fence. The children will produce their own designs over the coming weeks and then the winners will be given a certificate, based on the ones given out at the Chelsea Flower Shower; Gold, Silver, Bronze and Highly Recommended. Mrs Powell, a teacher at Hollywood is heading this up. In September, I am hoping members of the church who are interested in this project, will join with me and the children and the wider community to clear the ground and create the garden, with a view to it being completed in time for Remembrance Day, when we will officially open it! More information will follow over the coming weeks. Nearer the time I will put out a list for people to sign who want to get involved. Revd Rebecca.

Thank you

Friday the 13th is usually associated with bad luck, but not for my granddaughter and her husband; who met on Friday 13th 6 years ago, and were married on the same day in June this year.

It was a beautiful day in every way; gorgeous sunshine, happy people and a beautiful bride.

I would like to thank, Revd. Rebecca for the lovely service and the thoughtful words for Sarah and Jim to remember. I would also like to thank Dave and Ann for the delightful musical pieces, which they played beautifully whilst Sarah and Jim signed the register. Last, but certainly not least, I would like to thank Val, Anne, Sandra, Di and Dee for the stunning floral arrangements they created.

Thank you all, for helping to make Sarah and Jim's wedding day such a special one. Betty Traylor

Men's Breakfast

Next Men's breakfast will be Saturday 19th July. Meet in the car park at 8:15 am. Sorry for short Notice.

Dates for Your Diary

Saturday 6th September Afternoon Social
Saturday 4th October Concert
More details of each event will be given nearer the date.

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