



IMMANUEL CHURCH, HIGHTERS HEATH
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Sunday 7th May 2017
4th Sunday of Easter

Welcome to Immanuel - If you are new, you are especially welcome. If you have time, please join us for a cup of tea or coffee after the service.

Services today

10.00 am Holy Communion
 Our service starts with hymn number 21 and continues in the service book

21	All people that on earth do dwell
367	Jesus, where'er thy people meet
649	The king of love my shepherd is
<i>Hymn During Communion</i> <i>156 Faithful Shepherd, feed me</i>	
337	I will sing the wondrous story

Set Readings for today:

Genesis 7. Acts 2. 42-end
 Gospel: John 10. 1-10

Services next Sunday 14th May

8.00am Holy Communion
 10.00am Holy Communion
 Set readings: Genesis 8. 1-19; Acts 7. 55-end
 Gospel: John 14. 1-14

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 which is next to the car park.

Junior Church is for children age 4 years and upwards and meets today. After the first hymn the children will go with the leaders into the hall and rejoin us towards the end of our service in time for a blessing.

PASSOVER

A huge thank you to all who helped with donations of food and time and effort without which the evening would have not been such a success. Jo.

This week

Tuesday 9th May
 7.15pm PCC meeting in the Lady Chapel
Wednesday 10th May
 9.30am Holy Communion in the Lady Chapel

Prayer for the week

In prayer we remember that,
 God is the key
 For a new life to begin
 The sky is the limit
 To what the Lord can do
 So expect the unexpected
 And the unexpected will come true
 Christ yesterday and today, Amen

Thought for the week

May His Light, touch you.

Prayer for Immanuel Church

Heavenly Father
 We are the family of Immanuel.
 We pray for all our family members both young and old and help us to use every opportunity to care for each other,
 May we always welcome newcomers and strangers into our Church and may your limitless love shine out in all we strive to do.
 Help us to remember that you are Immanuel – God with Us. Amen

Please pray for Ellie today as she is baptized. Pray for her parents John and Lucy and for all her family and friends as they gather on this happy occasion. John, Lucy and Ellie came to our 10.00 am service last week and stayed for coffee.



Confirmation class

I'm planning to hold some meetings over the summer to prepare people for confirmation by the bishop in the autumn.

If you are interested in being confirmed or just want to find out more about what is involved, please have a word with me or Rebecca. Helen





Please pray for those who are ill:

- Rosemary Firth
- Adam
- Mark Shulz
- John Higgins
- Nigel Swinford
- Malcolm Summerhayes
- The Hough Family
- Aiden Sahota
- Elaine Summerhayes
- Freda Traylor
- Joseph Lockington
- Edna McFadyen
- Norma Billington
- Wendy Kirby
- Winston Hall
- Richard and Wendy Harding
- David Grimley
- Keith Waudby
- Sandra Wood
- Tony Martin
- Paul Spencer
- Danielle
- Wendy Rawlings
- Gary Hobbs
- Olivia
- Lee Jinks
- Lynn Snell
- Pat Burrage
- Joshie
- Mel Eggington

A special weekend Saturday 13th and Sunday 14th May



In May we celebrate the anniversary of the Consecration of our lovely church - our birthday!

The Rt. Revd Anne Hollinghurst, the Bishop of Aston, will preside and preach at our 10.00am Holy Communion service on **Sunday 14th May**.

This is to celebrate the anniversary of the consecration of our church which falls on 25th May. Unfortunately Bishop Anne cannot be with us on the actual weekend.

Helping us celebrate our birthday are the children from Hollywood School who are making small arrangements of flowers to bring into church.

Our own flower arrangers will also be making the church extra special with their own arrangements.



On Saturday 13th May, the church will be open between 10am and 12noon.

Please come along.
Everyone is very welcome.

Coffee and biscuits will be available.

Names on the pew sheet are continually prayed for. Alongside these prayers everyone on the sick list, is prayed for at the monthly Wednesday 9.30 am Holy Communion Service. Reverend Rebecca.

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Refreshments: Please join us for a cup of tea or coffee in the church hall after this service. Everyone is welcome.



Donations:

The following donations have been made from our funds or giving by the congregation:

- £60 to SIFA Fireside - collected during Lent.
 - £100 to the DEC East Africa Crisis Appeal - part of the tea/coffee money.
 - £289.75 to the Birmingham Diocese Malawi fund - proceeds of the Passover meal and famine lunch.
- Thank you for your support which made these payments possible.

Notices for the pew sheet should be emailed to: Immanuelpewsheet@outlook.com or telephone Christine Johnson - 07970 854013.



The deadline for notices to be included in the pew sheet is 5.00 pm on the Thursday prior to the Sunday.



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