

IMMANUEL CHURCH, HIGHTERS HEATH

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21st September, 2014 14th Sunday after Trinity

Today's Service 10am

WELCOME TO IMMANUEL

10am Parish Communion begins with hymn **408** and continues on page 1 of the Red Service Book

HYMNS

- 408** – Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour
686 – Through all the changing scenes of life
368 – Jesu, the very thought of thee
252 – Guide me, O thou great Redeemer

Communion – **29** – Amazing Grace, how sweet the sound

Set Readings Proverbs 3:13-18;
2 Corinthians 4:1-6; Matthew 9:9-13

NEXT SUNDAY 28th September
15th Sunday After Trinity

8am Holy Communion

10am All Age Worship Harvest Festival Service

Set Readings Ezekiel 18:1-4,25-end; Philippeans 2:1-13; Matthew 21:23-32

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 24th September Holy Communion

9.30am Immanuel Lady Chapel

Wednesday 24th September Totstime 11am-12 noon in Immanuel Church

Saturday 27th September Men's Breakfast meeting in the Church car park at 8.15am

Prayer for the week

We come ourselves
Just as we are, our feelings, our fears,
Our joys our sadness,
You see us as we are,
You know us, through and through, You see all.
All that we are, or have ever been,
You know us better than we know ourselves,
And because of who we are,
and in spite of what we are,
You love us, Amen.

Thought for the week Praise God whose dwelling place is filled with His love

Prayer for Immanuel Church

Heavenly Father, we pray for the community of Highters Heath and thank you for the opportunities you have given us to reach out into it.

Inspire us by your Holy Spirit as a worshipping community to encourage and find ways of bringing more people into your church.
May all who come through the door, discover a life of peace and joy through worshipping you.
Amen

Peace Garden

Having spoken to Mrs Powell at Hollywood School I have decided everyone who entered the Peace Garden Competition from Hollywood and Grendon Schools are winners! As we only had 8 entries in all, and they were so good and some quite similar, it seemed only fair to take some of the ideas and create one garden representing both schools. If anyone would like to meet with me to see how we can take the idea forward and put some garden dates in the diary, please see me.

Please take this sheet home with you

**Please Pray for
those who are ill**

Josh(age5)
Paul Hughes
Terry Chetland
Sue Paul
Bernie Fletcher
Bob and Norma Billington
Valerie Cotton
Paul Spencer
Alf Traylor
Joseph Lockington
Wendy Kirby
Doreen Evans
Aidan Sahota
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
Please pray for children and families facing difficulties

Prayers for Syria and Ukraine, Israel and Palastine

With so much suffering in Syria and Ukraine; Israel and Palastine please remember in your prayers to ask for an end to the violence. Through Jesus Christ Our Lord.
Revd Rebecca Clarke Vicar,
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NOTICES

Many thanks to Ruth and Alva for offering to be part of the sides people ministry.

Vacancy to help with Weddings

We don't have many weddings at Immanuel church but we do need another person to help to get the church ready and give out hymn books/order of services and help people feel welcome. Would someone be willing to come along and go on a rota with Ian, Michael and Valerie, so we have two people at every wedding. Please consider prayerfully if God is calling you to this ministry
'Christ has no body now on earth but yours.
Yours are the hands to bless the world.'
If you have any questions please speak to Revd Rebecca.

Autumn Concert

An Autumn Concert will be presented in church on Saturday 4th October at 7.00pm. Tickets are available at £8 each.
The Concert will include items by the Choir, Hollywood School and a number of invited guests. Funds raised will be for the Church and in particular for the Disabled Access currently being planned.

World War 1

As part of our service for Remembrance Sunday, we would like to use any items you might have belonging to family members involved in W.W.I. If you have anything you would let us borrow, or any family stories or letters you could tell us about please speak to us soon. We would like to know by 28th September. Many thanks Jean and Christine.

Harvest Festival Service

Please bring none perishable goods to the Harvest Festival service on Sunday 28th September 10.00. All food collected will be given to the Food Bank. Thank you.

October 4th Pet Service 3pm

Bring along your pets to be blessed at our annual pet service. If you don't want to bring a pet bring a photo of your pet or if you don't have any pets bring along a teddy bear. Liz and Jim from Wythall Animals Sanctuary will not be with us this year instead some of the staff will be bringing some animals for us to meet and will give us an update on the latest news from the sanctuary. Come along for a fun afternoon invites your family, and friends.

Sladepool Farm Road Methodist Church Harvest Supper

Quiz night and fish and chip supper Saturday 27th September at 7pm. Tickets £5.00. Bring a team or come on your own and join a team! Phone Sandra Jenkins to get your tickets on 0121 777 4255.

Please can all notices that are to be included in the pew sheet be sent to Lynne by 5pm on a Thursday,

Notices for the pew sheet contact Lynne lynneannewil19@yahoo.co.uk or Telephone Ian: 0121 474 4731 Please visit our website <http://www.immanuelhightersheath.com>