

IMMANUEL CHURCH, HIGHTERS HEATH

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3rd May 2015 – 5th Sunday of Easter

Today's Service 10am

WELCOME TO IMMANUEL

10am Parish Communion

begins with hymn 98 and begins on page 3 of the Easter Service book

HYMNS

98 - Christ is our cornerstone

649 - The king of love my shepherd is

420 - Lord, thy word abideth

428 - Love divine, all loves excelling

Communion - 297 - How sweet the name of Jesus sounds

Set Readings Genesis 22:1-18; Acts 8:26-40; John 15:1-8

NEXT SUNDAY 10th May 6th
Sunday of Easter

8am Holy Communion
10am All Age Worship

Set Readings Isaiah 55:1-11; Acts 10:44-48; John 15:9-17

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!

Today after 10am service Sale of Red and Blue items. all money raised goes towards church funds

THIS WEEK

Wednesday 6th May 9.30am Holy

Communion Immanuel Lady Chapel

Wednesday 6th May Totsttime 11am – 12 noon

Immanuel Church

Wednesday 6th May Soup and Dessert

Maypole Methodist 11.30am

Saturday 9th May Spring Clean and 70th

Anniversary of the end of the Second

World War in Europe in church (further details over page)

Prayer for the week

Lord, make us people of stillness.

Help us to be empty before you,

That we may be filled with your peace;

Teach us to be quiet in your presence,

That we may listen to your words

and meet you in the silence. Amen.

Thought for the week Be still and know the presence of Our Lord

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.

Please pray for Laila Arnall being baptized today. Pray for her parents Luke and Emma and big sister Tia

Please take this sheet home with you

Please Pray for those who are ill

**Keneth Batham
Lorna Christie**

Elaine Summerhayes

Ann James

Josh (aged 5)

Trevor Grimley

Valerie Cotton

Freda Traylor

Diane Jinks

Joseph Lockington

Edna McFadyen

Kirsty Lowe

Terry Chetland

Aidan Sahota

Bob and Norma Billington

Alf Traylor

Wendy Kirby

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

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NOTICES

Gardening

A very big thank you to everyone who turned up last week to do some gardening and those who provided sausage sandwiches. Thanks also to Dominic who has now cleared the piece of land ready for work to begin on the peace garden.

VE Day

On Saturday **9th May** at 11.00 churches throughout the UK have been asked to ring bells to mark the 70th Anniversary of the end of the Second World War in Europe. We will be ringing our bells and having a few moments to remember and to give thanks for the sacrifices of so many. If you are in church helping with the cleaning we will stop just before 10.45. If you can't help with the cleaning but want to join us in an act of remembrance, then come along to church for about 10.45. Revd Rebecca.

Men's Breakfast

Is on **16th May**. Meeting in Immanuel Car Park at 8.15am.

Messy Church

On 16th May at 2pm we will be having Messy Church. Encourage any families you know to come along and have a great afternoon of crafts, stories and tea.

Tea and coffee rota

A reminder please. The tea/coffee rota covering all dates to the end of the year is on the table at the back of church. There are not many names on it! PLEASE consider whether you are able to help. It is now a simple task as everything is provided. All you have to do is spend five minutes before the service getting the mugs and other items out of the cupboard. Part way through the service go over to the kitchen and switch on the water heater. After the service serve the drinks, wash up and put items back into the cupboard. Sharing social time with others after the service is an important part of what we do. In addition, for anyone new joining us it provides an opportunity to offer refreshments and friendship. Please look at the dates and add your name. In anticipation - thank you for your help.

Children's Society Boxes

Can you please return your boxes to Church as soon as possible for the annual count.. Please contact me if you need help with bringing it in. Barbara Rose.

75th Anniversary Celebrations

Please put these dates in your diary and invite family and friends to join us.

Sunday May 17th Revd Canon Eve Pitts will be joining us and preaching at our 10.00 Eucharist.

Sunday May 24th 2pm Sheffield University Gospel Choir.

No admission charge but donations to be split between Immanuel Disabled Access and Christian Aid. Everyone welcome.

Monday 25th to Saturday 30th church open daily at set times. We will be putting out a rota for people to sign up so we can welcome people into the church.

Sunday 31st May Eucharistic service of Thanksgiving for our 75th Anniversary. Bishop Mark Santer will be our celebrant and preacher. After the service there will be cake and wine to enjoy in church.

12.45 (approx.) celebratory meal at Hollywood Golf Club.

Prayer of Humble Access

There will be an opportunity in September for people to offer feedback on this trial period of leaving out the prayer of humble access from the Holy Communion service.

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>