

This Week February 2018

Sun 4th	2.30pm	Baptism	St Leonard's Church
Tue 6th	9.00am	Morning Prayer	The Rectory
	10.30am	Funeral	St Margaret's Church
	7.30pm	Oasis Prayer	The Rectory
Wed 7th	9.00am	Holy Communion	St Margaret's Church
	10.00am	Toddler Service	St Margaret's Church
Thur 8th	9.00am	Morning Prayer - Blessings	The Rectory
	9.30am	Coffee & Thrift	St Margaret's Centre
	7.30pm	Worship Team Meeting	The Rectory
Sat 10th	10.00am	Meeting Point	Sth Marston Village Hall
	2.00pm	Wedding	St Leonard's Church
	4.00pm	Saturday Scene	St Margaret's Centre
Sun11th	11.30am	Baptism	South Marston Church

NOTICES

- **CHURCH BIRTHDAYS & CELEBRATIONS**– please pray for Margaret and George Ellis who celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary last Monday and Margaret who had a birthday on the same day. For Carole Horne who has a birthday on Monday and for Sue and Ian McKenzie who celebrate a wedding anniversary on Monday.
- **LENT 2018**– our group Lent course based on Pauls letter to the Colossians. "A letter for Lent"- written by Patrick Coghlan has six sessions. The book includes a personal Bible Study for Monday– Thursday of Holy week. If you do not belong to a Home Group you don't need to miss out there will be other groups available. If you are interested there is a list available in all our churches to add your name and indicate if you would prefer an afternoon or evening group. These will be held in Stratton.
- **TAIZE EVENING SERVICE**- 6pm 11th February in St Margaret's Church. There will be a music rehearsal from 4pm followed by a short break before the service, all who would like to learn the music better are welcome. Please would people who would like to try singing a solo part contact Rob South. An additional rehearsal may be arranged for soloists and musicians if there is enough interest
- **FELLOWSHIP MEAL DATES**–Saturday 10th March Stanton Fitzwarren, Wednesday 14th March South Marston, Saturday 17th March St Margaret's.
- **CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLL**— if you are a regular church worshipper and are not already on the electoral roll, but would like to be included, please speak to one of the church wardens. Being on the Electoral Roll entitles you to vote at the annual meeting or be a member of the PCC
- **PLEASE NOTE**– the Tuesday evening ladies Group on February 13th will be hosted by Sheila and Bill Kingdon at 10 Birchwood Road and not at Mary Kent's House.



Stratton Team Ministry
Seeking, Sharing and Serving God Together

St. Margaret's, Stratton, Coleview
St. Mary Magdalene, South Marston
St. Leonard's, Stanton Fitzwarren

WELCOME
4th February 2018

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of this notice sheet are available.**

Tea and Coffee are served at St. Margaret's Centre after the 9.30am service and after the 11am service at Coleview Community Centre.

Collect for the Second Sunday before Lent

Almighty God,
Give us reverence for all creation
and respect for every person,
that we may mirror your likeness
in Jesus Christ our Lord
Amen

Offertory Ascription

Yours, Lord is the greatness, the power, the glory, the splendour, and the majesty; for everything in heaven and on earth is yours. All things come from you, and of your own do we give you.

PRAYER FOCUS FOR THIS WEEK.

GIVE THANKS—For those who run Thrift and Meeting Point

WORLD – For World economic justice for the poor and dispossessed

CHURCH

- 1 For the appointment of a new governor for South Marston School
- 2 For St Saviour's New Town Church as they await a new Priest- in Charge
- 3 For those who look after the fabric of our churches
- 4 For new people thinking of joining the PCC'S
- 5 For the appointment of our new Bishop

Church Prayer

The Lord be gracious to us and bless us
and make his face to shine upon us.

Help us to be a blessing to each other
and our communities that your ways
may be known among us.

Let all the people praise you , O God
let all the people praise you,
Amen

**This week please pray for the people who live,
work or go to school in these roads.**

Crispin Close

Crown Trading Estate

Cullerne Road

Conetio Road

Darling Close

Days Close

Delamere Drive

4th February Second Sunday before Lent

Psalm 104; 26-37

Reading: Proverbs 8: 1-22 & 31

Page 634 in the Old Testament section of the Good News Bible

Page 641 the NIV Bible

Gospel: John 1: 1-14

Page 116 in the New Testament section of the Good News Bible

Page 1063 in the NIV Bible

Morning Prayer Readings

Tuesday 6th February

Psalm 5 - 2 Timothy 4 : 9-end

Wednesday 7th February

Psalm 119: 1-32 Titus 1

Thursday 8th February

Psalm 15 Titus 2

Services for next Sunday 11th February

St Margaret's

8.00am Holy Communion BCP

9.30am Morning Worship

6.00pm Taize Service

Coleview

11.00am Holy Communion

St Mary Magdalene

9.30am Holy Communion

St. Leonard's

11.00am Family Service