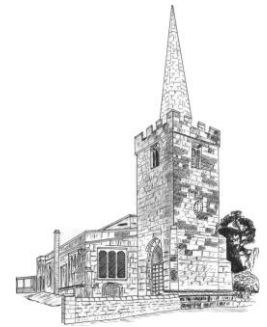


# Welcome to St Leonard's Church

'Offering Christ's hope to all'

Welcome, Worship, Exploring Faith, Generosity and Caring

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2012**  
**The Sunday next before Lent**



## 8.30am

### Holy Communion (BCP)

Celebrant  
Reader  
Readings

Chris Brown  
Leonard Baston  
2 Corinthians 4:3-6 (Page 177 NT); Mark 9:2-9 (Page 42 NT)

Preacher Chris Brown  
Server Brenda Barber

## 10.00am

### New Horizons All Age Worship

**Prayer: "talking to God in our own way, in our own language"** followed by Holy Communion

Minister

Elaine Thompson and Team

All that you need for this service is contained in the special booklet.

Prayer Ministry

If you would like someone to pray with you or for you Liz Norris and Catherine Green will be available after the service.

## 6.00pm

### Holy Communion (CW1)

Minister  
Reader  
Readings

Chris Brown  
Lynn Brown  
2 Corinthians 4:3-6 (Page 177 OT); Mark 9:2-9 (Page 42 NT)

Preacher Hilary Howes  
Server: Richard Burnet

## Ash Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February

### 10.30am

### Holy Communion (BCP)

Minister  
Readings

Trevor Hatton  
2 Corinthians 5:20b-6:10 (Page 178 NT); Matthew 6:1-6,16-21(Page 5NT)

Preacher Trevor Hatton

### 7.30pm

### Holy Communion (CW1) with Ashing

Ministers  
Readings

Mieke Gaynor and Chris Brown  
Isaiah 58:1-12 ( Page 698 OT); 2 Corinthians 5:20b-6:10 (Page 178NT);  
Matthew 6:1-6,16-21(Page 5 NT)

Preacher Jerry Lepine

### Collect

Holy God,  
you know the disorder of our sinful lives:  
set straight our crooked hearts,  
and bend our wills to love your goodness  
and your glory in Jesus Christ our Lord

### Ash Wednesday

Holy God, our lives are laid open before you:  
rescue us from the chaos of sin  
and through the death of your Son  
bring us healing and make us whole  
in Jesus Christ our Lord

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## Church Organ Appeal

This appeal was launched on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> January and so far we have raised **£11,293.19** including Gift Aid, which is a great start. In addition, a contribution of £15,000 from Church Reserves will be made towards this Project. We are also applying for Grants and looking for other fundraising opportunities. Our appeal brochure and accompanying envelope are now available in Church. Please take spare copies if you feel that you know others who might like to contribute.

## Ash Wednesday

Please see the front of the notice sheet for service times.

## Messy Church

Our next Messy Church will be on Sunday **26<sup>th</sup> February** when the theme will be "Lost and Found". Please continue to pray for this new St Leonard's congregation and sign up to help in practical ways if you can. We are particularly appealing for pieces of brightly coloured material off-cuts, packets of mustard/cress seeds, dowelling and bisto type container for crafts. Please sign up on the notice board if you are able to make a cake or help in any way on the day.



**A Foodbank for Broxtowe/Bilborough/Strelley?** St Leonard's has been invited to work with other Christians to serve those in need. Please respond to the call. Speak to Anne Walters or Roger Howes or hand your name into the Parish office before **27<sup>th</sup> February.**

## Wollaton Churches Lent Course 2012 Thursdays 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> March 7.30pm

We are hosting Bishop Paul as he speaks on the theme of Prayer in the Life of Jesus. It would be great if you could join us for these meetings please do sign up on the noticeboard. The Anglican churches from Nottingham have also been invited so we are hoping for a good turnout. If you cannot make these dates come and meet up at Kingswood Methodist Church on Tuesday



afternoons, **6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> March** at 2.30pm to listen to the talk and discuss it, but please remember to sign up on the board. These talks will also be available for download from the Deanery website. Please pick up the full Lent Programme from the porch.

## You've Got the Time

There's an awful lot said about giving something up for Lent. But this year instead of giving something up, why not take something up? Something really powerful and something really life changing. Download the Bible Society's free audio New Testament 'You've Got the Time' and listen during Lent. It will be just 28 minutes per day and in 40 days you will have listened to the whole New Testament. Visit [biblesociety.org.uk/YGTT](http://biblesociety.org.uk/YGTT) and download your free audio.

## Women's World Day of Prayer Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> March

This is an ecumenical service in which all the churches of Wollaton participate taking place at Kingswood Methodist Church at 2.00pm. Everyone welcome.

## Come for Coffee Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> March

Please join us for a special coffee morning with stalls in support of the Organ Restoration Fund at the Community Centre 10.00am. Raffle prizes and donations of cakes, ladies accessories (handbags scarves and jewellery), quality bric a brac and books will be gratefully received. Please contact Jo Young if you can bake a cake or Pam Gorvin, Patsy Fletcher, Barbara Lynes or Mary Bugden for all other donations.



## Parish Holiday

Letters are ready for collection in the A-Z file for those who have booked already. There are still some places available so please do sign up if you wish to go . **10-13<sup>th</sup> April**, Green Gables Hotel, Scarborough, £140 for adults, £70 for 5-12 yr olds, under 5s, free. It is a brilliant way to get to know other people in our wider church family. If you want to know more, ask the clergy or Lynn Brown, 9284493, Katie Lacy, 9282423 or Sonal Marner 928468. Take a look at our holiday website <http://www.parish-holiday.co.uk>

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## News from our Mission Partner

There is good news from our CMS mission partner, **Wies Landheer**. As you will know if you were at the 10.00am service when Wies visited St Leonard's last October, she will be going to Rwanda to work as a doctor once she has raised all the necessary financial support. Wies reports that she now has 80% of the needed amount and hopes to leave for Rwanda in May. Wies has been busy over the last few months not only raising support, but also working shifts at her local hospital. She was very involved in the Christmas celebrations at her home church and produced a movie with the children that included a Rwandan song translated by Wies into Dutch. Wies will probably be visiting St Leonard's again in March and we will give more details on that soon.

## Oxfam Bread and Cheese Lunch

with the accomplished Clarion Choir at St Jude's Church hall, Woodborough Road, Mapperley on Saturday **25<sup>th</sup> February** 12.00 Noon-2.00pm. Fair Trade and book stalls. Why not join the regulars for an annual treat? More information from Mary and Malcolm Stacey (9785718).

**'C' Magazine.** Now is the time for renewal of subscriptions to 'C' magazine. The cost is still £3. Please give the money to Mary or Malcolm Stacey or to Carol in the parish office. If you would like to begin to subscribe please contact one of the above.

## Children's Society House Collection

**Boxes** February is the month during which we collect in the boxes, count the money, and pay it in to the Children's Society's bank account. This year we would be grateful if all box holders could either take their boxes to the home of Sandra and Nick Tuffin (address and phone number are on the bottom of the boxes), hand them in to one of the church wardens at one of the services, or hand them in to the Parish Office (Monday to Friday – between 9.00 and 11.00 a.m.).

## Brownies

Spaces are now available at 1<sup>st</sup> Wollaton Brownies for girls aged 7-10 years old. Please join us on a Friday 5.30-7.00pm at

St Leonard's Community Centre. Please contact Yolanda King on 07986 325 772

## Flower Baskets

Do you have baskets suitable for flowers to be used on Mothering Sunday? -please bring them into church clearly marked with your name and address..

Fairtrade Fortnight starts

**27<sup>th</sup> February.** Bear this

in mind when shopping and

swap your usual brand for a Fairtrade item.

We hope to have a Fairtrade stall after 10a.m. service **11<sup>th</sup> March.**



## Reminders

**Staff rotas for staff and readers** – please collect your hardcopy from the A-Z folder.

## Wedding Steward Rota

If you have volunteered to help as a welcome steward please pick your rota up from the A-Z folder.

## Diocesan Events:

**St Nic's Church** are running courses 'Peace and Purpose' a seminar on retirement.

'Training in bereavement care – please see the notice board for more details.

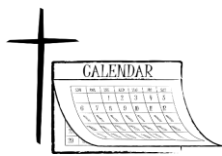
## Monarchy – Icons and Imagery of Royalty Paintings

Southwell Minster. **19<sup>th</sup> May - 17<sup>th</sup> June**, Mon-Sat 10.00am-5.00pm, Sun 12.30pm-5.00pm. Admission £3 adults, accompanied children under 16 free.

**Myers Briggs:** Leadership and Teamwork Weekend; Friday 13 – Sunday 15 April 2012  
Price: £160 full inclusive fee (£50 non-refundable booking fee)

Using the Myers Briggs Type Indicator, this workshop offers an opportunity to explore your own strengths and the strengths and contributions of those with whom you work.

To book contact David Hilton 0115 968 3224 or [conferences@stjohns-nottm.ac.uk](mailto:conferences@stjohns-nottm.ac.uk)



## The Calendar

### Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February

9.00am Morning Prayer  
 9.30am Staff Meeting  
 6.00-7.00pm 11-14's  
 7.00-9.00pm Side Tracked  
 7.30pm Standing Committee  
 7.30pm Faith Exploration

### Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> February

9.00am Morning Prayer  
 10-11.30am Come for Coffee at the Centre  
 7.30pm Unity Singers  
 8.00pm Off the Point at Highcroft Drive

### Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February

7.30pm Handbell ringing in the vestry

### Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> February

9.00am Morning Prayer  
 9.45-11.15am Toddlers at the Centre  
 10.30am Holy Communion (BCP) with  
 Coffee afterwards  
 1.30-3.00pm Toddlers at the Centre  
 7.30-9.00pm Bellringing Practice

### Friday 24<sup>th</sup> February

9.00am Morning Prayer  
 9.30am Funeral of Mrs A Gregson  
 6-7.00pm Vestry hour for Baptism and  
 Wedding Bookings  
 7.00pm Junior Choir Practice  
 7.45pm Full Choir Practice

### Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> February

8.30am Holy Communion (BCP)  
 Readings 1 Peter 3: 18-end; Mark 1: 9-15  
 10.00am Holy Communion (CW1)  
 Readings Genesis 9: 8-17;  
 1 Peter 3: 18-end; Mark 1: 9-15  
 4.00pm Messy Church at the Centre  
 6.00pm Wholeness and Healing Service  
 'Jesus' Commission to the Disciples'  
 Readings Matthew 10:1-10

## Please pray for:

The Parish of Bestwood St. Matthew with  
 St Philips The Rev Andy Morris.

Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de  
 America The Most Revd Armando Guerra Soria  
 Primate of IARCA & Bishop of Guatemala.

Relatives who have lost loved ones in the  
 prison fire in Honduras.



Church family of St Mary's Thornbury  
 surrounding the murder of their  
 parish priest Rev John Suddards.

The family and friends of 13 year old  
 Casey-Lyanne Kearney.

### The Sick

Robert Binger, Ernest Seaward, Sidney  
 Bewsey, Margaret Whitworth, Nicki Spiegel,  
 Jack Gibbons, Steve Owen, Alf Bowley,  
 Marjorie Simpson, Mark Cox, Anna  
 Summerskille, Jane Chart, Frederick Straw,  
 John Robertson, David White, Betty Allen,  
 Stella Hogden, Dennis Needham and  
 Val Lowe.

### We remember those who have died recently and pray for the families and friends of

The Revd Alyn Haskey, Richard Alsop,  
 Anne Gregson, Jacqueline Cameron,  
 Florence Wheatcroft and Sheila Vivian

Notice sheet deadline 9.00am Thursdays  
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 Wed 9.30-1.00pm, Thurs 11-1.00pm,  
 Fri 9.30-1.00pm

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