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WHO'S WHO AT ST. WENDREDA'S

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MARCH CHRISTIAN BOOK SHOP

A warm welcome awaits you at the March Christian Bookshop in Station Road.

Opening times are Tuesday – Saturday 9am - 5pm

There is a good selection of cards and gifts also books and Bibles.

Hot and cold drinks are available also light lunches and snacks, all served in a comfortable and friendly atmosphere.

MARCH FOODBANK

Don't forget to continue to support the March Foodbank. Gifts of food in tins and packets **dated at least January 2018 or beyond** would be gratefully received. There is a collection box at the back of Church as collecting will be ongoing

Food from the following list is being collected, especially the food in bold:

Milk (powered), Soup, Pasta sauces, Tinned Vegetables, Tomatoes and Sponge Pudding, Cereals, Tea Bags, Instant mashed potato, Rice or

Pasta (300g/500g), Jam, Biscuits or snack bars, **Tinned Meat, Fish, Fruit and Rice Pudding, Coffee, Sugar, Long-life fruit juice.**

These items are now "LOW STOCK" and we would be grateful for any donations of these:

TEA BAGS (boxes of 80) COFFEE, LONG LIFE MILK, PASTA SAUCE, TINNED TOMATOES, SOUP, TINNED SPONGE PUDDING, CRISPS AND CHOCOLATE BARS.

NOTICES

Any items for the notices should be given to Wendy Doe by 10.30am on a **Wednesday** either by telephone **01354 658052**, in a written note or email to Wendy at w.doe@sky.com



The Parish of St. Wendreda, March

www.stwendreda.co.uk

Church Notices: Sunday 19th November 2017

As a church fellowship St. Wendreda's exists
... to bring Christ to the community and the community to Christ.
'You, dear children, are from God and have overcome them, because the one who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world.' **1 John 4:4 NIV**

Welcome to St. Wendreda. Visitors are warmly welcomed. Please join us for refreshments after the 11am service.

BIBLE READINGS Judges 4:1-7 Matthew 25:14-30

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

During term time groups are available in the hall.

All visitors children are welcome to join them.

MINISTRY OF PRAYER

After the 11am service a prayer ministry is offered to anyone that would like prayer. **Please go to the back of the choir stalls on the right hand side where there will be two people willing to pray for you or with you.**

PASTORAL CARE

If you are aware that a member of the fellowship is in hospital or housebound, and would appreciate a visit from us, please contact

Wendy and Jim Doe on **01354 658052** or w.doe@sky.com
or **Nicky Barton** on **07708867148** or nickybarton19@hotmail.co.uk

MORNING PRAYER SERVICES

Friday 8.30am at St. Peter's

Anyone is welcome to come along to this short time of prayer

FOR THE COMING WEEK

Sunday

08.00 Morning Service (every 2nd and 4th Sunday Holy Communion)

11.00 Service of the Word (every 4th Sunday Holy Communion)

19.30 NOOMA Youth Group

Monday

19.00-20.00 Information hour in the hall

20.00 Evening housegroup

Tuesday

10.30 Morning housegroup (1)

10.00 Morning housegroup (2)

17.00-18.00 Rainbows

18.00- 19.30 Brownies

20.00 Evening housegroup

Thursday

07.00 Prayer meeting at **73 Gaul Road**

Friday

09.30 St Wen's Wrigglers

19.00 Youth Group

MONTHLY MISSION SOCIETY PRAYERS

This month's Mission Society is **New Foundations**

CHURCH TREASURER

Dave Hart, who has been our treasurer for the past 17 years, has confirmed that he will be retiring at the end of the year. We would like to thank Dave for all his hard work over the last 17 years and wish him well for the future in anything he does.

Would you please pray that we will be able to find a new treasurer soon to take over.

If anyone feels that they would be able to take on this role, would they please see Francis or Rosemary for further details.

PCC

The next meeting will be on Thursday 23rd November 2017
at 7.45pm in the church hall.

OLD £1 COINS

The Christian Aid Committee is collecting old pound coins for the Christian Aid Christmas Appeal which is being match-funded by the Govt. If you still have some coins, please place them in the Collecting tin.

USED POSTAGE STAMPS

Please save your used postage stamps and pass them on to Lily Slade for the Leprosy Mission.

NEW TEAM VICAR

Please pray for the Reverend Marcus Purnell who has been appointed our new Team Vicar to serve St. Wendreda's and Mission in March and also his wife Jane and their three sons that they will settle in their new home here in March. Marcus will be licensed at St. Wenredra's on Sunday 25th February 2018.

QUIZ NIGHT

The next Quiz Night is on **Thursday 30th November 2017**

At the Cricket Club, Burrowmoor Road

7.30 for 8pm

Teams of 4 - £3 per person

Money for Church Heating Fund

QUIET DAY/PAUSE FOR REFLECTION

The next Quiet Day will be held on **Monday 20th November 9.30am to 1pm** at St. Mary's Church.

Continuing the theme of our Christian Journey, we will be reflecting on the journey of Mary to Elizabeth.

Open to anyone.

TURKEY LUNCH

BY TICKET ONLY

On Sunday **3rd December 2017**

St. Wendreda's Church Hall

12.30 ish

Adults - **£8.50** Children (under 12) - **£4.25**

Please see Sylvia to pay and collect your tickets

no later than Sunday 26th November 2017.

URGENT APPEAL

If anyone is able to help distribute Christmas service leaflets for Churches Together on Friday 24th November, near the shelter on Broad Street, **6.30 – 7pm** during the switching on of the lights, please see **Barbara**