#### Lenten Priorities

Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labour for that which does not satisfy? Isaiah 55:2

The call to question our priorities has been a constant one throughout the ages. In this verse we hear Isaiah's voice from millennia before, and it is echoed through the centuries to us today.

What is it that drives us, inspires us, that demands our attention and energies? Sometimes those things are conscious choices. We set ourselves a goal, a challenge, and we work towards it. We sign up for a course, join a club, start a hobby, and we have some sense of where it will lead us. But many times we aren't so aware. We can come to a realization that we've devoted years of our life to something we didn't consciously choose. The job that will keep the wolf from the door, the hobby that your parent introduced you to, the pet your child left you with.

As with all choices both can have positive or negative results. We can accidentally end up devoting our lives to something wonderful, just as easily as we can carefully choose a path that helps no-one at all. This is as true for churches as it is for individuals. We do things, because we've always done them. We don't do things, because we did them before. It is good to learn from our past, but it is also good to metaphorically wipe the slate clean and see what that shows us.

We can only see where our choices have taken us when we stop and look. When we take stock of where we are, where we've been, and where we are heading towards. When we broaden our horizon from our own lives and see how our choices affect those around us.

It is good for us to do this from time to time. Lent provides us with an opportunity to do this reflection in the light of the Jesus story. As we journey again in Lent from Jesus' temptation in the wilderness to his arrest in Gethsemane we are offered so many images and examples of choices in which to look for God's insights into the choices we make each and every day.

With every blessing, Rev'd David R. Coaker

## FAMILY NEWS

- We congratulate Sarah and Chris Walsh on the birth of their second child Lucy
- Congratulations to Neil and Amanda Robinson on the birth of a son, Thomas James.
- We welcome baby Tyler James Wareing, daughter of Ellie, who was christened in church on February 21<sup>st</sup>
- In anticipation we congratulate Stella Eccleston who will be 80 years old on 11<sup>th</sup> May. We wish her a happy birthday.
- A number of members of the church family have been unwell in recent weeks - in some cases treatment in hospital has been involved. We offer our support and prayers to Robert and Margaret Barton, Mary Taylor, Lilian Dawson, Eva Marland, David Holmes, Irene Entwistle, Irene Nelson, Doris Holt, Maureen Neimeyer, Margaret Fishwick Paul Martin, Ken Houlton and Betty Melling.
- We also offer our support to Mavis (Berry) from the Dance School whose husband Brian Roskell is quite poorly.
- It was Mavis and Brian's Golden wedding on March 26th and Helen Allen and Neil's Silver Wedding on March 30th.
- The Dance school donated £200 for church funds from an Open Day before Christmas for which we thank them

#### TLS

These initials stand for 'Training for Learning and Serving' which is very special to the URC as 'not so much a programme, more of an experience'. And it could be for YOU!.

In the March 2010 edition of the denomination's monthly journal, 'Reform', there is an article in which 'single mum Vicky Turner describes her gradual journey from a troubled, often isolated background, towards finding faith and community – a journey nurtured by her welcome at her local church and her engagement with a Bible-based training course'. The course in question is TLS. If you are not a subscriber to 'Reform' and would like to read the article for yourself there will be a few photo-copies on the notice board table in church. However the purpose of this piece is to introduce you to the challenge you have been-waiting for, the one provided by TLS.

The courses provided are at a variety of levels. There is **TLS Lite**, (Local Introductory Training Experiences), a locally arranged self-contained course on a variety of basic Christian discipleship matters. A good easy place to start.

Or there are a series of more formal courses available starting with a two year Foundation Course 'exploring Christian life, spirituality, mission and service from a practical and contextual point of view'. This can then be followed up by selecting one or more of several one year 'Gateway' Courses

Gateways into Worship (used mainly for Lay preaching)
Gateways into Pastoral Care
Gateways into Prayer
Gateways into Evangelism
Gateways into Community Experiences

These provide for working individually, in groups with other TLS candidates, -and could actually lead to a university degree in theology. There is also a one year 'Performing Arts in Worship' course. If any of this rings a bell for you have a word with Dave or Ernest. Vicky must have done something like this in her church. It changed her life.



# To.

Stephen Crump for his work as Church Secretary for the past four years. He has done a splendid job especially in putting his IT skills to use for the church and we will also miss his sense of humour in meetings - and in church announcements.

We also thank Lesley Lowe and Mollie Ward who are willing to share Stephen's old jobs between them. Lesley will be the named Church Secretary and will deal with the computer side of things while Mollie will be acting as Minute Secretary for meetings.

We thank Audrey Pritchard who has resigned from being the Authorised Person for weddings in our church. Dianne Bolan has now taken over this legal responsibility.

We thank Betty Melling for preparing the flowers which were distributed on Mothering Sunday. We also thank Jackie and her team for making up the presentation posies especially on the way they had to deal with the unexpected problem as the flowers had somehow been frozen solid overnight.

#### From

During the year, and especially around the Christmas season, we make donations or hold special collections for various good causes. As a result several 'thankyou' acknowledgements have been received. From **Christian Aid** 'Many thanks for your kind donation of £447.10 to help support our work in more than 50 of the world's poorest countries'. The letter suggests that money may have been used for a project in Bolivia to enable a rural community to develop vegetable growing

From Combat Stress, formerly the 'Ex-Services mental Welfare Society', for 'your kind donation of £85 for ex-Service men and

From **The Children's Society** 'for your kind Christingle donation of £190.82 to be used for children who are supported by the society's National Mentoring Initiative

From **The Woodward Trust** for 'your church's very kind donation of £25'. (This is a long established fund begun in the old Lancashire Congregational Union to support retired ministers-or their dependents who have emergencies to deal with).

We have also received a letter from Enfys and Gwilym Jenkins expressing their gratitude for the support which members of the church gave to their mother over the last years of her life. They are conscious of the fact that the church fellowship had become their mother's local family and how much help had been given to her in so many ways.

From David Lamb 'for all your prayers and good wishes during my 2 stays in Barrow Hospital. I am well on the road to recovery now and hope to see you all on the walk in April'.

# FUND RAISING EVENTS

QUIZ SATURDAY 10TH APRIL AT 7.30pm.

Tickets are £5 from Mollie Ward or Jackie Cochrane and include supper (hotpot and apple pie). It is suggested that you bring your own table drinks.

PROMISES AUCTION—SEE ARTICLE SATURDAY 1ST MAY

CAKE STALL 8TH MAY
Offers of 'homemade' produce will be gratefully
received.
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Please note the usual spring fair has been cancelled.

#### I AM APPEALING TO NON-SERVING ELDERS

Each Sunday morning Elders carry out a number of duties on a rota-basis to ensure that worship runs smoothly. Unfortunately, there are now fewer Serving Elders available for the rota.

So I was wondering if any Non-Serving Elders would be willing to go on to the rota for porch and prayer duties.

The **Porch Elder** opens up church at 10:00am, makes sure that all newcomers & visitors are properly introduced to church, then closes up afterwards.

The **Prayer Elder** puts up the hymn numbers and Bible page numbers and says a prayer in the Minister's Vestry before worship.

I would be very grateful, if you are a **Non-Serving Elder** and would be willing to be on the rota. Please see me if you are willing to do either/or both duties (obviously not at once!)

Lesley Lowe

# MEMORIAL GARDEN PLAQUES

If you would like a memorial plaque to be placed in the church garden for a loved one you should make that request to the elders' meeting for consideration. (The cost of a plaque, engraved and fixed is £100) Their ashes do **not** have to be interred there.

# CHURCHES TOGETHER IN LEYLAND

# Celebrating 2010 – Calling All Singers

The Edinburgh World Missionary Conference of 1910 is widely regarded as the birth of the modern Ecumenical movement - which makes 2010 a significant birthday!

<u>Churches Together in Lancashire</u> are looking to recruit enthusiastic and joyful singers to join our celebrations of this important centenary. Could you be part of the choir for either of our County 'Songs of Praise' Events?

#### LANCASTER:

Friday May 21<sup>st</sup> 7:30pm at the Ecumenical Chaplaincy, Lancaster University.

Choirs and individual singers welcome- there will be 3 rehearsals from mid-April, of which we hope all singers will attend at least 2

For further details, please contact the event coordinator, Christine Medd, tel: 01524 64730, email <a href="mailto:arton.medd@btinternet.com">arton.medd@btinternet.com</a>

**LEYLAND:** Saturday May 22<sup>nd</sup> 2pm at St Mary's, Broadfield Drive, Leyland.

Choirs prepare in their own rehearsal times, and any singers are welcome to join the **Leyland One Voice Choir** for three rehearsals in May.

For further details, please contact the event coordinator, **Robert Haydock**, tel: 01772 431979,

email roberthaydock@btinternet.com

Please get the dates in your diary now - and pass the word around! If you'd like fliers or posters, please email debbie.peatman@ctlancashire.org.uk

Up to date details of all our 2010 events at www.ctlancashire.org.uk

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# United Reformed Church encourages its congregations to take firm stand on racist parties

The United Reformed Church has contacted its leaders and congregations, reminding them of its long standing opposition to extreme right-wing and racist political parties, and urging them to act in accordance with the URC resolution that "The United Reformed Church believes support for extremist parties to be incompatible with Christian discipleship."

The anti-racist resolution was passed in January 2004 and, as the country prepares for a general election, the URC believes it timely to remember and re-emphasise that voting can be seen as both a civic and moral duty – and that support of parties that discriminate on racial grounds has no place amongst Christians.

John Marsh, Moderator of the General Assembly of the United Reformed Church, adds, "As the election approaches I urge all Christians to consider carefully where they place their cross on the ballot paper. Let us focus clearly on the truth that we are all members of one race - the human race. Within God's Kingdom there is no place for racial hatred and I call upon us all to remain firm in our commitment to practise and promote racial justice and inclusion."

More information on countering political extremism can be found by following the links below. The guidelines advise

against allowing an extremist party to use church premises and recommends that political parties with racist policies are not invited to participate in election hustings meetings held on church premises.

# For media information, please contact: Gill Nichol or Alex Klaushofer

Press officers
United Reformed Church House
86 Tavistock Place, London WC1H 9RT

T: 020 7916 2020

E: gill.nichol@urc.org.uk
E: alex.klaushofer@urc.org.uk

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## FAIRTRADE TEA DANCE

The Guild Hall, Preston are playing hosts to regular Fair Trade Tea Dances. Enjoy a wonderful afternoon of live music featuring mixed ballroom and sequence dancing.

Professionals are on hand to help you if needed.

Dates are:



20th April
1st June
20th July
31st August
5th Oct
16th Nov
21st Dec

# PRAYER STATIONS

Join us as we journey from Palm Sunday to Easter Day! Take the time to reflect on the Easter story and what it means for you.

A prayer station is a space created to aid reflection.

Around the church there will be numbered spaces for you to visit in turn.

The prayer stations will each focus on a different part of Luke's Passion story, different styles and ways of praying, and include different symbolic actions as you reflect and journey through the story

<u>Leyland URC, Hough Lane</u> Sat 3rd April 10.00am-3.00pm Sun 4th April 12.00-3.00pm

Other Services at both churches:

Easter Sunday

10.30am 4th April

Maundy Thursday

Joint service at Penwortham URC

7.30pm 1st April



Both churches participate in the Good Friday services with Churches Together in Penwortham and in Leyland.

# **BROWNIES**

FOR GIRLS AGED 7 TO 10 YEARS OLD FOR GIRLS AGED 10 TO 14 YEARS OLD

# **GUIDES**

ARE UNIFORMED ORGANISATION
JUST FOR GIRLS

\*\*\*WE MEET HERE!!!\*\*\*
(IN THE CHURCH HALL)

**TERM TIME TUESDAYS** 

**BROWNIES 6PM TILL 7.30PM** 

**GUIDES 7PM TILL 9PM** 

FIRST TRIAL MEETING IS FREE AND THEN IT IS £2 PER MEETING

FOR FURTHER DETAILS OR ANY QUERIES
PLEASE TELPHONE
NADINE SUMNER ON
HOME NO: 01772 467922 OR MOBILE NO: 07749
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# 'Up your Street' Prayer Network - Street Pastors Preston & South Ribble

Would you like to be involved in praying for Street Pastors in our area?

We are gathering a team of people who would be willing to be part of a network of people who we link up with to pray for our local Street Pastors

We hope to link up with people from as many churches as possible in our area. We are going to encourage each church to have a prayer link person to help us communicate with churches about Street Pastors.

#### Our aims:

To build the Kingdom of God in Preston by praying for: Expansion and growth of Street Pastors to increase the Christian witness on our streets

The Street Pastors to show and share the love of Jesus to people who may have little or no knowledge of the Gospel The witness of Street Pastors to the statutory authorities The protection, safety, courage and witness of the Street Pastors

To pray for the operational aspects of the work:

To ensure that each team of Street Pastors is covered by at least one prayer team who know them by name and are committed to being accountable in prayer.

To encourage continued networking and relationship building between churches in this area.

To engage churches not yet involved in Street Pastors work

There is a range of ways you can get involved to include:

- Being on the prayer communication network and receiving weekly emails on items for prayer
- If you are part of a church Life/home/cell/growth group you could 'adopt' a Street Pastor and pray for him/her and the team s/he belongs to.
- You may want to be part of a prayer triplet or a prayer partner to one of the Street Pastors.
- You may just prefer to receive our quarterly newsletter and pray in your own time, at home, for some of the issues we highlight in the newsletter.

# We would love to hear your thoughts, ideas and/or interest in becoming involved....

If you would like to be involved please send your email address (or alternative contact details) to:

Fiona Dykes,

Prayer Network Co-ordinator - Preston & South Ribble Street Pastors.

fionadykes@yahoo.co.uk

The address for mailings (if you prefer to write) is:

Fiona Dykes c/o Longton Community Church, 2 Church Row Chambers, Liverpool Road, Longton, Preston, PR4 5PN

For more information about Street Pastors in Preston and South Ribble contact:

Street Pastors in Preston and South Ribble, c/o Fulwood Free Methodist Church, Lightfoot Lane, Fulwood, Preston, PR2 3LT

# Current Team of Prayer link people for local churches

Seth Asiaw	Leyland Methodist Church
Ann Nobbs	Kings Church, Preston
Saras Abram	Full Life Church, Preston
Ruth Hornsby, Percy Wright	Inglewhite Congregational Church
Nancy Talbot	Parish of the Risen Lord
Fiona Dykes	Longton Community Church
Jenny Fullalove	St Cuthbert's Church Evangelism Ministry
Viv Walker	Fulwood Free Methodist Church
Solomon & Monica Raj	City Church, Preston
Nicola Barnes	St Stephens, Preston
Sally Stafford	Fresh Manna Christian Fellowship
Barbara Clark	Crowne Lane Free Methodist Church
Patricia Clarkson	Bamber Bridge Methodist Church
Jonathan Cotton	St Mary's, Leyland
John Maiden	Kingsfold Methodist Church
Carol Stunell	Leyland Baptist Church

# PROMISES AUCTION

# **Saturday 1st May**



# Please see enclosed leaflet for further details

For this event to be successful we need offers of 'Promises' and 'Items for Sale' before the event.

Please contact Ernest Wrennall with this information. The enclosed leaflet give full information, with suggestions and provides a return form on which to describe your auctionable promises or items.

We also need your presence at the event.

# STEWARDSHIP 2010

Way back in about 1960 the then Congregational church suggested that individual churches might transform their life by using a stewardship idea which could go under the name Every Person Canvass. Our Leyland church took up the idea and every two years from then on the church membership was challenged to meet the needs of the church for people to give their 'time, talents and treasure' to meet its vision of what it should be doing. We never really achieved our targets but we got close enough to get a good degree of involvement - close enough to have future EPC challenges at increasingly greater intervals.

We did a form of stewardship in 2000, and again in 2003 but not at all since then. At the joint Leyland/Penwortham Elders conference at Windermere the need for a return to former practice at Leyland came up repeatedly so it is proposed that we have a Stewardship campaign again in the autumn of this year.

The first plans are even now being prepared by a small group and it seems likely that October will be the time for our new Every Person Challenge. However it would be all too easy to list the present set of activities without considering if there should be changes and for this we both women and men together; we have very little of a spiritual nature -d, and if a Bible study group or proven and if a Bible study group or prayer group was proposed would it/they be better as an evening or a daytime activity? We hear that one church in South Ribble has started an adult 'Youth Club for grownups' to play preparation and leadership of worship perhaps as an integrated Worshipy S Group?

If you have ideas to share a state of the sale of the sa games and do things like that together. Would we welcome something

If you have ideas to share or would like to be involved in preparing AN EPC Project please have a word with Stella, Linda Barnes or Ernest K of course, our Minister.

Ernest Wrennall this EPC Project please have a word with Stella, Linda Barnes or Ernest - or, of course, our Minister.

# GUILD PROGRAMME FOR APRIL/MAY

6th April No meeting

13th April Heather Davies—Lancashire Museum Service

21st April Wednesday—Guild Rally

27th April Margaret Pearson Musical Afternoon

4th May Isabel Robinson

11th May Stella's 80th Party Bannister Brook House

18th May Colin Biggs

25th May Ernest Wrennall

# FLOWER LIST FOR APRIL/MAY

4th April Stella Eccleston—Memories

Barbara & Frank McHugh- Memories

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11th April Susan Lucas—Memories of mum

18th April Memories of Kevin—Marjorie, Ernest and

Joanne

25th April Vacancy

2nd May Audrey Pritchard- Memories

9th May Doris Beatty—Treasured Memories

16th May Marjorie & Ernest—Memories23rd May Diane & Greg Bolan—Memories

30th May Linda Barnes—Loving Memories

# RAMBLES AND PLODS

The first Saturday expedition of the year was scheduled to be in the Lancaster area but the snow and ice of early January prevented the necessary planning visits so Ernest sorted out a much more local walk instead. Starting from the Moss Side area the walk followed a route to the south on the west side of the River Lostock and back on the east side, with a detour almost to the edge of Worden Park. The walk was short (3.82 miles), level (total ascent 62 feet) and slow (average speed 1.7mph - these statistics courtesy of the Satellite tracking device brought by Chris. Why so slow? - there were many many stiles and there was lots of mud. But it was good to get out after so many days of ice bound inactivity.

Chris himself led the February walk in the area from Euxton heading southwards on the west side of Chorley to and from the Birkacre Country Park. The weather was splendid being mild, calm and with good visibility though it must be conceded that in some places the mud was deep and sticky. Thank you Chris.

The annual Rambling Club dinner was a great success. There was good food, splendid company, the usual brain challenging Quiz, the usual poetic review of the year and the presentation of the years 'Arnold' awards in such categories as the 'Best Walk (won by David Lamb) and the 'Muddiest Walk '(won by Jan Chapman). And there was also the traditional 'get -your-own-back' section when the above mentioned Chris Baines received the 'Extra Mile' certificate for consistently understating the actual distance of his walks in his preview material. That will teach him!

The first Pensioners Plod of the year was from the Bay Horse in Euxton and a good number of walkers were introduced to country side that was new to most despite being so near to Leyland. The walk was blessed by ideal walking weather and there was very little mud to deal with.

The March outing was basically a River Ribble-side walk from the Fleece Inn in Penwortham.. The weather was good and so was the food though perhaps the arrival of such a large group put the kitchen under pressure for there was a lengthy wait for service.

Ernest

# MORE FAMILY NEWS

David Lamb finally had his keyhole surgery on Tuesday and all went well. He was back home on the Wednesday and is feeling (and sounding) really well. Thelma has now hurt her back, so she is suffering a bit now.

Thanks Jan for that news

CLOSING DATE FOR ITEMS IN NEXT MAGAZINE TO COVER JUNE/JULY 23RD MAY 2010

If you wish you can email them to me on lindakay@blueyonder.co.uk

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# GARDENING

Spring is now getting in full swing at the time of writing this article, after the longest, coldest winter in recent memory. I have has an excellent display of crocuses and snowdrops, they really are a cheery sight after such a bad winter. I visited Bank Hall at Bretherton on two Sunday afternoons to view the woodland display of snowdrops (thousands of them), it is open every Sunday during February at a cost of £2.50, well worth the money. It is usually open at Easter time to view the daffodils but they are four weeks late this year. Now is the time to remove any protection such as bubble wrap or agrifleece from around plants and containers. If you have a greenhouse it needs to be shaded to prevent the strong sun's rays from burning the fresh growth on the plants. Seeds can be sown in specially prepared fine seed sowing compost in small pots or seed trays. These need covering with glass or cling film to prevent them from drying out. Put in a warm shady place until germination takes place and then move into the light. Follow instructions on the seed packets as some

Avant Garden Centre has a great selection of young plants ready for planting into tubs and baskets and if you go on a Tuesday O.A.P.'s get 10% off!

buried, while some must be sown on the surface.

seeds need more warmth than others, some need to be chilled in the fridge to start the germination process, others can be

Remember gardening keeps you fit and is a de-stressing therapy so get out there and enjoy yourself.

Enjoy your garden Eddie 20

# CHURCH & WORSHIP DIARY FOR MAY



Sat 1 <sup>st</sup>	Promise Auction (See enclosed leaflet)	7.30 pm
Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Worship led by Revd.John Hopkins	10.30 am
	Communion	
Tues 4 <sup>th</sup>	Amnesty International	7.30 pm
Sat 8 <sup>th</sup>	Cake Stall	
Sun 9 <sup>th</sup>	Worship led by Revd David Coaker	10.30 am
Fri 14 <sup>th</sup>	Scout Group AGM	7.30 pm
Sun 16 <sup>th</sup>	Worship led by Revd Shirley Farrier	10.30 am
Mon 17 <sup>th</sup>	Fabric committee	7.30 pm
Thur 20 <sup>th</sup>	Elders Meeting	7.30 pm
Sat 22 <sup>nd</sup>	"Songs of Praise" at St Marys	2.00pm
	(See article)	
Sun 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Junior Church Anniversary	
	Worship led by Revd David Coaker	10.30 am
	Parade	
Sat 29 <sup>th</sup>	Ramble (altered from May 15th on the origin	nal list)
Sun 30 <sup>th</sup>	Worship led by Anne Oakden	10.30am

The Saturday café will normally be open every Saturday in the month.

Please note this starts at 10.00am

Audrey's dance class every Wednesday from 7.30 pm

# Advance notices.

Sun 13<sup>th</sup> June URC Lancashire Area day and service in our church

Sat.19<sup>th</sup> June Chorley Choral Society Summer Concert in our church

# **ROTAS FOR MAY**

	Stewards	Lessons	Flower distribution
2 May	Linda Barnes	Marjorie Wrenall Marjorie Glover	Alison Dempsey Barbara McHugh
9 May	Linda Kay	Linda Kay Linda Barnes	Irene Entwistle Olwyn Rayton
16 May	Susan Lucas	Becky Cochrane Jackie Cochrane	Marjorie Wrennall Mollie Ward
23 May	Jean Simmons	Uniformed Orgs	Linda Barnes Sylvia Bairstow
30 <b>M</b> ay	Marjorie Wrennall	David Holmes Mollie Ward	Jackie Cochrane Linda Crump

# **SUNDAY REFRESHMENTS FOR MAY**

2 May	Lesley Lowe	Stella Eccleston
9 May	Lois Porter	Barbara McHugh
16 May	Irene Entwistle	Sylvia Bairstow
23 <b>M</b> ay	Jean Simmons	Joyce Robinson
30 May	Linda Barnes	Marion Howard

# SATURDAY CAFÉ FOR MAY

1 May	Sylvia Bairstow	Mollie Ward
8 May	Maureen Niemayer	Alan Niemayer
15 May	Brenda Farrer	Linda Kay
22 May	Jean Emery	Lesley Lowe
29 May	Linda Barnes	Irene Entwistle

# CHURCH & WORSHIP DIARY FOR APRIL 10

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Thur	s 1 <sup>st</sup>	Joint Maundy Thursday Service at Pe	nwortham	7.30pm
Fri	2 <sup>nd</sup>	C.T.L Good Friday Walk from Turpin G	reen Meth	nodist
		at 9.30am with service at 5t Marys at	t 10 30am	
		One Voice Choir 'Crucifixion' at St. Am	brose	7.00pm
Sat	$3^{rd}$	Prayer Stations open in our church.10	0.00am to	3.00pm
Sun	4 <sup>th</sup>	Worship led by Revd David Coaker		10.30am
		Communion		
		Prayer Stations open in our church	12.00 to	3.00pm
Tues	6 <sup>th</sup>	Amnesty International		7.30 pm
Thur	's 8 <sup>th</sup>	Church Meeting with finance report.		7.30 pm
Sat	$10^{th}$	Quiz Evening with Ellis Cochrane		7.30 pm
Sun	11 <sup>th</sup>	Worship led by Revd David Coaker	1	10.30 am
Sat	17 <sup>th</sup>	Ramble		
Sun	18 <sup>th</sup>	Worship led by Revd John Hopkins	1	10.30 am
Mon	19 <sup>th</sup>	Fabric committee		7.30 pm
Thur	's 22 <sup>n</sup>	d Elders meeting		7.30 pm
Sun	25 <sup>th</sup>	Worship led by Revd David Coaker	1 (	0.30 am
		Parade		

The Saturday café and Audrey's Dance class should continue as normal through the month.

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4 April	Rita Coaker	
11 April	Mollie Ward	
18 April	Lesley Lowe	
25 April	Christine Holmes	
2 May	Sylvia Bairstow	FAIRTRADE
9 May	Rita Coaker	
16 May	Mollie Ward	
23 May	Lesley Lowe	22
30 May	Christine Holmes	23

# **ROTAS FOR APRIL 2010**

	Stewards	Lessons	Flower Distribution
4 April	Marjorie Wrennall	Lesley Lowe Ivor Pugh	Barbara Mc Hugh Olwyn Rayton
11 April	Sylvia Bairstow	Ian Dempsey Arnold Rayton	Marjorie Wrennall Mollie Ward
18 April	Linda Crump	Stephen Crump Stella Eccleston	Linda Barnes Sylvia Bairstow
25 April	Irene Entwistle	Uniformed Organisations	Jackie Cochrane Linda Crump

If you need to change your place on the Lessons rota please let Stella know

# **SUNDAY REFRESHMENTS FOR APRIL 2010**

4 April	Sylvia Bairstow	Irene Entwistle
11 April	Lois Porter	Barbara Mc Hugh
18 April	Linda Barnes	Marion Howard
25 April	Jean Simmons	Joyce Robinson

# SATURDAY CAFÉ

3rd April	Brenda Farrer	Linda Kay
10th April	Jean Emery	Mollie Ward
17th April	Linda Barnes	Irene Entwistle
24th April	Ken Houlton, Ernest Wrennall, Lesley Lowe	