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Christ Church Lichfield
10th February 2019
The 4th Sunday before Lent
Notice Sheet

Thank you to:

Jan for leading our worship last Sunday.
Everyone who helped 'ABBAing a Party' yesterday.

Our Worship today both led by Jan

0930 Parish Eucharist

1800 Evensong

Dates for your diary

Mon 11th Feb 'Places of Welcome' 11.00 – 12.30
in the Martin Heath Hall. Come along, enjoy a cuppa, a biscuit, a chat. A very warm welcome awaits you. Further information from Revd Emma.

Weds 13th Feb 10 – 12: Wade St Church last of 5 weekly sessions discovering it's ok to say you're not ok. See posters &/or contact Andrew on 01543 268766 or email Kate – tkaw.98@uwclub.net

Sat 16th Feb 12noon at St. Michael's - Love me, Love my Dog – a short service of blessing for all well-behaved owners and dogs, in conjunction with Hall Green Greyhound Rescue. Bring a blanket for bony dogs! All welcome! Refreshments and doggy stuff! lindacollins@hotmail.co.uk for more info

Sun 24th February 3pm Wade Street Church: From Bach to Broadway.

Half Circle Singers concert in aid of Lichfield Hope Support Group, cream tea available during interval. Tickets £6, available at the door.

27th Feb 9am: School Year 6 worship in church.

Sat 2nd March: Churchyard work party from 09.30.

Sat 2nd March 10am to 3.30pm at St Giles Church, Whittington, EUCHARIST STUDY DAY. A day to learn about and reflect upon the central importance of the Eucharist for Christians. Led by the Rev'd Dr. Jason Phillips. Light refreshments provided - bring your own packed lunch. Cost - donation on the day. See poster. To book a place please email fatherjason@fastmail.co.uk

Sun 10th March: prompt 2pm start for the showing of a **Video of St Luke's Gospel** in the Leomansley Room; tea and cake during the interval.

Could you give one or two people a lift to church from Beacon Park Village on Sundays, so that they can join us in worship? Please have a word with Jan or one of the wardens if you can help.

Emergency Night Shelters: Lichfield Churches Together are running night shelters during February and March. **We are looking for a volunteer on Sunday evenings** to open up the Martin Heath Hall, welcome volunteers, familiarise them with the building and make sure they know where everything is that they need; for about an hour from 6.45pm. Please have a word with Carol 264000 or Richard Paulson 264660 if you can help. Other venues will be open other nights. More info on these from Rick Hill 01543 411543 or patricknightshelter@gmail.com Tel: 079 3453 5050

Parish Electoral Roll. A New roll has to be created before April this year. Everyone who wishes to have their names on the new Roll, whether their name is entered on the present Roll or not, must apply before 18th March. People whose names are on the roll may take part in the Annual Parochial Church Meeting. Application forms are available at the back of church. Please return forms to Joyce and David Berry or a Churchwarden. Copies of our 'Electoral Roll Privacy Notice' are available in church or by email from larry.ridout@btinternet.com

At Christ Church we welcome those who come for baptism with joy. Would you like to be involved as a Baptism Sponsor? The Sponsor attends the preparaton evening and the baptism service for the candidates. Please speak to Emma or Jan if you would like to learn more about this important role.

After-church refreshments: we all enjoy this fellowship after the service and are grateful to the 'morning refreshment team'. The team could do with a few extra hands on deck – please talk to Sandra, Tess or Brenda if you could offer to help.

Lent/Easter charity: during Lent and Easter this year we will be supporting Toilet Twinning: "Flushing away poverty, one toilet at a time" Find out more at www.toilettwinning.org

The Red Box Project is part of a nationwide initiative to reduce Period Poverty. We are asking for donations of sanitary items, dark underwear and tights for girls aged 8 up to size 16. These items are distributed to schools, to help stop girls missing out on their education because they have their period. The collection box (red of course!) is at the back of church.

2019 the next Social event for your diary
27th April Tudor Evening


Please pray for:-

- ❖ Those we know who are going through difficult times at the moment.
- ❖ Our national and local leaders as they make decisions that affect us all.
- ❖ Rough sleepers in winter weather, emergency night shelter guests and volunteers.

Vicar – The Revd. Janet Waterfield
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Jan's day off is Friday.

Curate – The Revd. Emma Cooksey
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Emma's day off is Saturday.

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Coming Sundays

	17 th February 3rd Sunday before Lent	24 th February 2nd Sunday before Lent
0800	BCP Communion	
0930	Celebration Praise	Parish Eucharist
1600	Simple Communion	
1800		Evensong