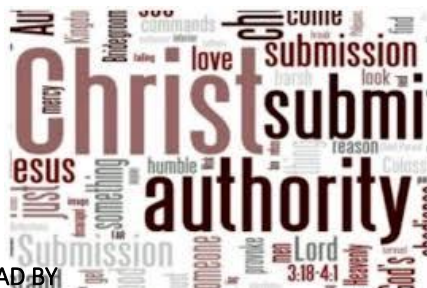


St Mary's Church Bushbury

17 November 2019

Honouring Even When it Hurts



9:00am

HOLY COMMUNION

SERVICE LEAD BY

10:30am

HOLY COMMUNION

Rev Ian Poole

ASS. WARDEN

Sue Rudd

AV OPERATOR

Wilma Stewart

PRAYERS

Mike Hotchkiss

WELCOMERS

Pete & Dot Kelly

COMMUNION

Roy Claridge

COFFEE

Wilma Stewart & Glynis Arthur

READINGS

2 Timothy 2: 1-18

Angie Justice

1 Peter 2: 13-25

Steve Hesp

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Submit yourselves for the Lord's sake to every human authority: whether to the emperor, as the supreme authority, or to governors, who are sent by him to punish those who do wrong and to commend those who do right. For it is God's will that by doing good you should silence the ignorant talk of foolish people. Live as free people, but do not use your freedom as a cover-up for evil; live as God's slaves. Show proper respect to everyone, love the family of believers, fear God, honour the emperor.

Slaves, in reverent fear of God submit yourselves to your masters, not only to those who are good and considerate, but also to those who are harsh. For it is commendable if someone bears up under the pain of unjust suffering because they are conscious of God. But how is it to your credit if you receive a beating for doing wrong and endure it? But if you suffer for doing good and you endure it, this is commendable before God. To this you were called, because Christ suffered for you, leaving you an example, that you should follow in his steps. "He committed no sin, and no deceit was found in his mouth."

When they hurled their insults at him, he did not retaliate; when he suffered, he made no threats. Instead, he entrusted himself to him who judges justly. "He himself bore our sins" in his body on the cross, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness; "by his wounds you have been healed." For "you were like sheep going astray," but now you have returned to the Shepherd and Overseer of your souls.

Next Week's Services

Christ the King

9:00am

HOLY COMMUNION

SERVICE LEAD BY

10:30am

ALL STAGE

Rev Ruth Clay

Rev Ian Poole

READINGS

Colossians 1: 11-20

9.00am

ASS. WARDEN

Sue Rudd

AV OPERATOR

Children & Youth Groups

PRAYERS

Ruby Lewis & Sue Rudd

Luke 23: 33-43

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WELCOMERS

COMMUNION

COFFEE

Sandra Lloyd & Sandra Wainwright

During Holy Communion and Celebration Services, various children's groups take place in the Church Hall. Small children, accompanied by their parents, are welcome invited to our **First Steps Crèche**, for under 5's All children are welcome to attend.

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What's Happening?

Buffet Lunch @ St Mary's

In addition to the usual drinks and cake, we will be having a buffet lunch together after the following All Stage Service.

- 24 November 2019

Please let Angie or Linda know if you are able to make or bring cake.

Please try to join us for the buffet lunch or just cake, whatever works best for you on the day.



Alpha Course

Please continue to:

Pray - for Richard Todd and the rest of the team.

Pray - for all the people who are attending.



Children's Sunday Groups

During the services on the 1st, 3rd and occasional 5th Sundays of the month we welcome children of all ages to join the Sunday school groups which take place in the church hall. These start with our **First Steps** group for under 5's which welcomes small children and their carers. If you are a visitor and your child would like to attend one of the groups please speak to any member of the congregation for more information and direction to the hall.

Little Angels

Wednesdays 1:15 - 3pm

St Mary's Church Hall hosts a local carer and toddler group.

If you want a great place for your toddler to play and learn in a safe environment, Little Angels is the perfect place!



Growing in Discipleship

Saturday 23 November 9:30 - 1pm at St James'

DDC 28 November at Good Shepherd.

Work Party

Saturday 30 November 9.30-12:30pm

All are welcome to join in. Graveyard tidying & painting in the Church Hall. For more information speak to Richard Todd.



Memorial Service

Sunday 1 December at 6.30pm.



Bushbury Youth Group

The Youth Group is meeting at the Rectory every 2 weeks with food afterwards.

The next youth group meeting will take place on **Friday 22 November at 7pm.** Speak to Mary Poole for more information,

Bushbury Men's Group

We are delighted to invite men from The Good Shepherd and St James' as well as of course St Mary's.

We are currently studying together what it means to be a man in today's world.

We next meet on Saturday 14 December at 10am.





**Your team
needs you**



Waking the Dawn with Prayer
*Saturdays, 7.30-9.15am at the
Church of the Good Shepherd*

Amazing things continue to happen at this prayer session. Why not come along to find out more. For more info contact Rev. Graham (01902 731713).

Prayer in the Square

Prayer in the Square meet monthly on Mondays from 7-8pm.

The next meetings are on:

Monday 25 November 2019

Confirmation Service

Sunday 8 December at 6.30pm. If interested, please let the wardens know.

Bushbury Parish Worship

On **Sunday 24 November** at The Good Shepherd

Together 2020

This is to be a celebration event for all ages. **Saturday 4 January 5-8pm.** At Bethel Christian Centre. As many of us as possible will be going by bus, possibly a double decker.

Compton Care Choir
warmly invite you to our concert of
Christmas Joy

7.30pm Friday
6th December
at
St Mary's Bushbury
Bushbury Lane
WV10 8JP

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and
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interval

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Young Adult Outreach worker

Wolverhampton
Pioneer Ministries
("WPM") is a vibrant
discipleship movement
in Wolverhampton
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serve the city. Looking for a Young Adult
Outreach worker to work as part of the
team, passionate about discipleship &
mission with a heart to engage with
young adults particularly those who are
marginalised. This post is part time,
working 18hrs a week for 12 months.
WPM is a partnership between the
Anglican & Methodist Churches. Salary is
£8,424 per annum

Closing date is 12pm on Wednesday 20
November and Interviews will be held on
29 November. The successful candidate
will start ideally on 6 January 2020 or as
soon as possible thereafter. For more
information email:

nicolaturner39@gmail.com

Prayer Ministry

Prayer Ministry after 10.30am Service

If you would like someone to pray with you, please come to the Prayer Square where members of the team will be available for prayer.

Sermons

Sermons are recorded and can be downloaded from our website:
www.bushburyparishchurch.co.uk/sermons

St Mary's Church Bushbury

Christmas
starts with
Christ

DECEMBER 2019

Memorial Service

Sunday 1 December at 6:30pm

Compton Care Choir Carol Service

Friday 6 December at 7:30pm

For more information and tickets call 01902 782226

Christingle Service

Sunday 15 December at 4:30pm

Church Christmas Meal

Saturday 21 December at 7pm

For more information and tickets call 01902 782226

Nativity Service

Sunday 22 December at 10:30am

Carols by Candlelight

Sunday 22 December at 4:30pm

Christmas Eve Communion

Christmas Eve at 11pm

Christmas Day Family Communion

Christmas Day at 10am