

Welcome to the Bicester Area Team Ministry

Sunday 21 April 2024

We welcome you to our churches today

Please take this leaflet home with you



Prayer List

Those with long term health problems:

Amelia Woodgate - Brian Page - Bruce May
Clare - Daisy Taylor - Dave - David Maskell
Eileen Parker - Emma - Emma Carter - Fay Harris - Helen Mackay
Iris Burden - Jean - Jennifer Welsh - Joan Brown - John Preece
Joyce Rothera - Karen - Ken Goatley - Lizzie - Lucy
Mary May - Marilyn - Maria & Anthony Ratsey - Mary Roe
Nicola - Oliver Livingstone - Peggy Clarke - Peggy Wiley
Rita Gardner - Rita Wilkes - Roger Cooper - Sarah Tinsley
Sarah-Jane Douglas - Sheila Howling - Thelma Gumbert

Those who have died recently:

Brian Norton - Charmaine Turford

Those to be baptised:

Glen Cookson - Florence Lillie Oliver - Lauren Reading

For The World: We pray that the conflict in the Middle East spreads no further after the recent actions between Iran and Israel, and we pray that it may be brought to a just conclusion swiftly so that the population of Gaza may receive the necessary help for their desperate needs. We pray for a just end to other conflicts in Ukraine, Sudan, South Sudan, Yemen, Myanmar and elsewhere.

For The Church: We pray that the Annual Parochial Church Meetings of the parishes in the Bicester Team and elsewhere may be well attended and guided by God to develop the mission of the church in each parish. We pray for people to stand for election to Parochial Church Councils and to other roles and to volunteer for all the different roles necessary to fulfill our mission.

For The Local Community: Following the tragic death of five year old Teddy Hickman in a collision near Blackthorn last Sunday between a car and a motorcycle, we pray that he may rest in peace and rise in glory, that the driver and passenger in the car and the motorcyclist may recover from their injuries and from their distress. We thank God for the support being given to them, their families and friends in the local community, particularly by the boy's school, and pray for all those affected by this accident.

It is time to renew the prayer list, can I ask you to contact the Team Administrator, contact details on page 2, if a name needs to be carried forward to the new list.



Services for Sunday 28 April

9.15am Holy Communion, St Peter's Bucknell
10.30am Hope Church, Perch Business Centre, Elmsbrook
10.30am Emmanuel Church, Bure Place, Bicester
11.00am BCP Holy Communion, St Edburg's Church
11.00am Holy Communion, St Mary's, Launton
3.00pm Family Service, St Laurence's, Caversfield

Annual Parochial Church Meetings - 7.30pm

St Peter's Bucknell - 22 April
St Edburg's Church - 24 April
St Mary's Launton - 30th April
Emmanuel Church, Bure Place - 15th May

The APCM for St Edburg's Bicester with St Laurence's Caversfield on Wednesday 24th April can be accessed via zoom (same link as for Sunday services – no password required).

<https://zoom.us/j/4345326077>

Meeting ID: 434 532 6077

Please note papers for St Edburg's and St Laurence's APCM, have been emailed. Should you wish to have a printed copy please contact the Team Administrator, details below.

Services for Sunday 5 May

8.00am BCP Holy Communion, St Mary's Launton
9.15am Morning Prayer, St Peter's Bucknell
10.30am Hope Church, Perch Business Centre, Elmsbrook
10.30am Emmanuel Church, Bure Place, Bicester
11.00am Sung Eucharist, St Edburg's Church
11.00am Family Service, St Mary's Launton

Positive Mental Fitness and Faith

Hope Church is hosting a 6 week online course with Jackie Meek.

Where: Zoom

When: Thursday evenings from 11th April to 16th May 2024

Time: 8-9pm - Cost: £35 per person - For more information email jackie@futurepathlifecoaching.co.uk 07774 216750

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Parish Office opening hours :

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday - 9.30am -12.30pm