

To make Jesus known and grow together in Him

This week

Thursday 29 April

1900-1930 Central Prayer Meeting including prayers for our mission partners Christians Against Poverty (CAP).

1945-2045 The Hub Week 1

Our new Hub series 'Prayer Revisited' is led by Jane McCallum and Zoe Putman when we will build upon the foundations that we laid by the Prayer Course.

We have much to pray for as a church, and for those things on our heart. You are warmly invited to join us for our prayer meeting and Hub, using this link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85175198381>

Sunday 2 May

Barnston

0830 Holy Communion (BCP)

1030 Morning Prayer

Reading: Ruth 4 (pp. 269)

The 0930 service is broadcast on Flame Radio (1521MW) at 6pm on Sunday and also appears on www.flameradio.org.

Wednesday 5 May

1030 Holy Communion—St. Michael's, Pensby

If you would like to attend any of the church services, please contact Cecelia on either, cecelia@barnston.info or, 0151 6482404 by 12 noon on the preceding Thursday. Over the past few weeks church services have been getting busier and we may move to a rotation system soon.

Even if you attend weekly please still book in every week since we really don't want to have to turn people away on a Sunday. The capacity at Christ Church is 21 and the capacity at St Michael's is 45.

Morning Prayers

Morning prayers take place in the hall at Barnston, Tuesday to Friday at 9am. It would be a huge encouragement to see others of the church family join the staff team.

Other news and notices

Dear friends, Jackie and I would like to say thank you to everyone who has sent cards, called, texted and offered us good wishes. It was with a lot of thought that I stepped down as a Churchwarden, but I am sure that the time is right for all concerned and know that Anna will do a great job to keep us moving forward. It has been an honour to serve our Lord amongst our lovely church family and you can rest assured that in different ways we will carry on doing so.

Thank you for the unexpected gift (we will decide what to buy with it and let you know) and also thanks from Jackie for the beautiful flowers and rubber gloves (her size not mine) again very unexpected but very gratefully received.

We pray the church will continue to grow and look forward with anticipation to our new vicar.

With love in the Lord Bob and Jackie

Opportunities to learn

The next Growth Group will run on Wednesday 5th and 12th May, from 10-11am. We will be looking at Discipleship, the purpose of it and where we are heading with it. The great thing about discipleship is that we are in it together. Discipleship is for everyone and every day. We will be thinking about how we can be helping one another grow as Christians both in our own individual walk with the Lord as well as how we can be encouraging others to live out the Christian life faithfully. For further details please contact Joanna on email joannahill@barnston.info

This week we remember the family and friends of Shirley Silvester who mourn the loss of their loved one.