Notices

Monday 27th March – Morning Visit from Withymoor School

7.30pm Brierley Hill Choral

Tuesday 28th March – 2pm Tea and Natter at Amblecote Wordsley

Wednesday 29th March

Thursday 30th March – 10.00am Pastoral Meeting at the home of Carolyn Bennett.

Friday 31st March – 9.15am Mount Pleasant School Visit

1.30pm Friday Discussion Group – contact Martyn Filsak for more details

Saturday 1st April – 10.30am Coffee Morning

Sunday 2nd April – 10.30am Mr Martyn Filsak

6.00pm Circuit Praise at United Church, Lye

Collection Last Week £120.00

Flowers:- Donated

Open Church meeting Tuesday 11th April to complete the Church Self-Assessment Form, if you have not received details and would like a copy see Margaret,

Known April Birthdays

April 1st - Maureen Raybould

April 16th - Arthur Brown

April 26th – Daphne Dwyer

April 29th – Keith Jones

Bible reading John 11:1–45 Jesus wept THIS WEEK WE EXPLORE GRIEF, A COMMON HUMAN EXPERIENCE. In this week's Bible story, we hear about the most amazing miracle: Lazarus is brought back from the dead – contentious then, and still so today. As we explore how different people in the story responded to grief and loss, what can that tell us about these familiar experiences and emotions in our lives today?

First impressions

- What does grief feel like?
- · What helps in such situations?
- What can we learn from the experience of grief about ourselves or each other.





A prayer of thanksgiving

A sorrow shared is a sorrow halved. We have seen the closeness of Lazarus and his sisters, to each other and to you, Lord Jesus. We thank you that, through you, we too can have that shared experience. Thank you that in our time of grief, however long it takes, you are there. Thank you that you can bring new life to us. And thank you most of all for the gift of eternal life. **Amen.**

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Diary Dates

Wednesday 5th April Circuit Holy Week Walk – see notice board or speak to Margaret about how to join in all or part. Anyone able to join Revd Michael on the walk from Wesley to Brierley Hill?

Saturday 8th April – 1.30pm at Amblecote Wordsley – Film "The Life of Jesus", midway break for refreshments

Wednesday 12th April 2.00pm School Holiday Tea and Chat

Wednesday 19th April Spring Concert by Les Oiseaux 7.30pm Tickets £4 to include light refreshments from Margaret

Friday 28th April – At Amblecote Wordsley Ladies Fashion Show

Saturday 29th April – At New Road, Cradley Heath Male Voice Choir Concert – details from Keith Jones.

Thursday 11th May Fish & Chip Picnic & Quiz, booking form from Margaret

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Wesley Methodist Church

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5th Sunday in Lent

Sunday 26th March 2023

10.30am

Welcome to

Mrs Olwen Meller