

NOTICES & NEWS

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Worship in Church and Online Preachers and readings for Sunday 30th March

Joshua 5: 9-12;

Psalm 32;

2 Corinthians 5: 16-21;

Luke 15: 1-3, 11b-32

Worship in Church: 10.30am

(Junior Church sessions are on the 2nd & 4th Sunday each month at 10.30am:

Mar 30th Rev John McNeill

Apr 6th Paul Turner

Apr 13th Andrew Maxwell

Apr 18th 7.30pm Good Friday Service

Apr 20th Easter Sunday,

(Holy Communion-Rev John McNeill)

Apr 27th Local Arrangement

Flowers in church this week have been arranged for Mothering Sunday

Weekly Programme

Monday:

Badminton Club 9.30-11.30am

Carers Coffee Morning 10.30-11.30am
(3rd Mon)

Friendship Club (2nd Mon) 2.30pm

BB&GA Anchors/Juniors 5.30-8.15pm
(termtime)

Welcome Cafe (termtime) 5.30-8.15pm

Monday Makers 7.30-9.30pm

Tuesday:

JellyTotz 10-11.30am

Parents & Toddlers (termtime)

Men's Social (2nd Tue) 10-12noon

The Chosen Study Group 2-4pm
(in the lounge)

Step'n"Style (termtime) 4-8.30pm

Wednesday:

Welcome Cafe 10-12noon

Welcome Garden 10-12noon

Supastrikers(termtime) 1.30-2.15pm

Thursday:

Welcome Cafe 10 - 12noon

Craft Group 10 - 12noon

BB&GA Company 7-10.00pm
(termtime)

Friday:

Friday Lunch Club 2nd&4th Fri

Saturday:

Welcome Cafe 10-12noon
(1st & 3rd of month)

Foodbank – The collection crate is available in the church entrance every week.

Church & PFA Events 2024

Apr 12th Church Jumble Sale
May 17th Saturday - Plant Sale

Easter Services

Please join us at one of our services during the period of Lent and over the Easter period. Most of these services are listed in the left-hand column.

Maundy Thursday - 17th April 7.30pm

This service will be held at Churchdown Methodist Church.

Good Friday - 18th April 7.00pm

Rev John McNeill will lead us in a time of worship.

Easter Sunday - 20th April 10.30am

For those who wish, the service will be preceded by a light breakfast at 9am. All are welcome to join in our service and Holy Communion at 10.30am.

Ted Wilson



It is likely that you are aware by now that Ted passed away peacefully in the early hours of Friday morning (21st).

Further details will be provided as soon as they are available.

Please remember Anne and their family in your prayers.

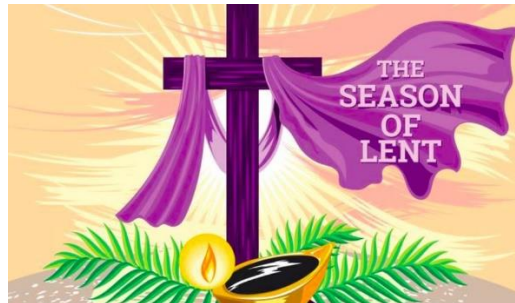
Local Lay Pastor Application Closing date

The closing date is noon on March 31st and interviews are planned for Tuesday April 8th at Hucclecote MC.

(see the full advertisement under "Notices" on HMC website)

**Be faithful in small things
because it is in them that your strength lies.**

Mother Teresa



Lent Prayers – 30th March Week 4

‘Teach children how they should live, and they will remember it all their life.’ Proverbs 22:6

As we continue to pray for overseas environment projects this Lent, we invite you to include A Rocha International, particularly their environmental education programmes, in your prayers.

A Rocha has been working in environmental education for over 30 years. In 2022 they held 1,705 activities globally, involving 48,839 participants of all ages, including community events, workshops, teacher training, wildlife clubs, summer camps and school visits.

They aim to help people to develop their knowledge, understanding and connection to nature and understand their impact on it. They encourage them to become sensitive to environmental issues and challenges and to make informed decisions at both individual and community levels.

A Rocha’s approach is to promote the enjoyment, care and sustainable use of the earth’s precious resources, encouraging the development of appropriate skills in response to the needs of local communities.



For example, A Rocha Ghana’s schools program seeks to actively engage young people in environmental issues locally, within their schools and communities, and globally. They do this through hands-on activities in nature including making school gardens and taking part in local conservation projects. They carry out citizen science activities such as water quality monitoring and surveying the local plants and animals. They also learn through art, dance, debates, poetry and photography. Career guidance is given to help students to consider the environment whatever career they choose to follow.



Gloucester & District Christian Choir Concert 5th April

Raising funds for



**CONCERT AT HUCCLECOTE METHODIST
CHURCH, GLOUCESTER GL3 3QP**
7.00pm Saturday 5th April 2025
Refreshments and Raffle

Tickets £6.00 (Children 16 and under - free)
Tickets available from Andrea 07939 521970
