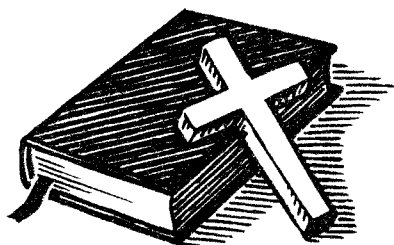


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**CHRISTIAN AID WEEK: 14 - 20 MAY**



**Sunday 21 May 2017**  
**10:30am: Mrs Joyce Pipet**  
**Family Service**

Organist: Des Mitchell  
Stewards: Marian F & Ann H      Greeting: Dorothy & Joy

**6:30pm: Easter Offering**  
**Circuit Service at Milton**

We welcome everyone to our Church. Please join us for coffee/tea and a biscuit after the morning Service.

Prayer: Almighty and Loving God,  
grant your blessing on all who, like Christian Aid,  
strive to help the needy and the hungry,  
and give them the will and the opportunity to  
help themselves. Amen

Readings: Isaiah 12: 1-5; Isaiah 51: 1-2 & Luke 10: 1-11

**The Offertory**

The offertory on 14 May was £313-00 plus the regular direct debits and standing orders.

**The Flowers**

The flowers this week have been arranged by Daphne.

***Steve's Sabbatical***

During Steve's 3 month Sabbatical (May - July) Revds John James and Jim McKnight will be providing temporary cover for Burnham Church. Please contact either Jim or John if you have any issues. Please do not contact Steve under any circumstances during this period. Your Stewards can be your first point of contact and they will convey any issues to our covering Ministers. Thank you for your co-operation.

**Can you help?** Ros is collecting towels (any size) for the homeless in Weston: if you can help please have a word with her.

**An interesting thought!**

These amusing words were seen on a poster outside a church:

"The world is full of willing people.....Some willing to work,  
and the rest willing to let them.  
Which are you?"

## Dates for your Diary

May/June 2017

*Today is the last day for the June Link*

- Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> 7:00pm Stewards Meeting
- Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> 2:30pm Link Villages Fellowship  
AGM and Communion - Revd Margaret Trapp
- Fri 26<sup>th</sup> 10-12 Coffee, Cake & Chat - West Huntspill
- Sat 27<sup>th</sup> 9am - 4pm Burnham Food Festival
- Mon 29<sup>th</sup> 12:30pm Churches Together Lunch - see Ros

**Wed 24 May at 2pm: U3A CONCERT PARTY - here**  
**Music, solo singers, comedy etc - lots of fun!**  
**Light Refreshments**  
**Proceeds to Roof Fund & Community Centre**  
**Tickets £5 from Joe Tohill - see poster for details**

**Friday 26 May at 8pm QUIZ at the Ritz**  
**Teams of 4-6 people - £1 a go**  
**Supper. Raffle.**

**Proceeds to Roof Fund - see Ann Hall for further details**

**Tuesday 6 June - COFFEE MORNING**  
**Tony and Joy are having a Coffee Morning at**  
**7 Naish Road from 10am - 12noon.**  
**There will be a raffle and bring & buy stall.**  
**Proceeds to Roof Fund. All welcome**

**Easter Offering Service** at Milton: Today at 6:30pm  
*A celebration of World Mission*

## REGULAR MEETINGS OF THE CHURCH

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|---------------------------|--|
| SUNDAY WORSHIP            | 10.30am  |
| SUNDAY CLUB               | 10.30am  |
| CHOIR PRACTICE            | Thursday at 9.30am   |
| WEDNESDAY GROUP           | 1 <sup>st</sup> Wed each month at 7:30pm   |
| THURSDAY FELLOWSHIP       | 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday 2.30pm<br>(September-May)                 |
| MUMS & TODDLERS CLUB      | Friday 9.45am-11.30am: term time   |
| LINK VILLAGES' FELLOWSHIP | 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesdays each month<br>2.30pm at East Brent Church |

A thought!

We could learn a lot from crayons: some are sharp, some are pretty and some are dull. Some have weird names, and all are different colours, but they all have to live in the same box!

**Services on 28 May 2017**  
**10:30am: Revd Stephen Marr**  
***Communion Service***

**6:00pm: Mr John Trebble**

Induction Loops are installed in the Church and Schoolroom for hearing aid users. Please use "T" position on your aid.

**A large print bible and large print hymn books are available from the stewards**

**Mobile Phones**

**Have you remembered to switch off your mobile phone?**