

Welcome

Our church news-sheet for Long Marston, Meon Vale, Welford, Weston and Quinton,

Sunday, 1st March 2020 to

The first Sunday of Lent

Sunday, 29th March 2020

The fifth Sunday of Lent

A special welcome to everyone sharing in our church services and events this month.

Please send me details of events etc. for the next news-sheet by **Wed, 1st April**.

Electoral Roll – Annual revision/update

If there have been any changes to your personal details over the last year, kindly notify the Wardens / Electoral Roll Officer by 2 weeks prior your APCM which are at:

Weston on Sun, 5th April, at 12 noon

Quinton on Sun, 26th April at 11 am

Welford on Mon, 27th April at 7'30 pm

Long Marston on Tue, 28th April at 7'30 pm

Confirmation Service 10th May, 2020

A young person's group, in preparation for those in Yr. 6 and above coming to Confirmation, starts on Sunday 8th March, 5 - 6.30pm at the home of Jim Edie, 18 Sycamore Gardens, Meon Vale CV37 8FW (opposite The Barn antique centre) We will start with a meal together (probably Pizza). This is the first of three preparation sessions, the next are on 9/4 and 26/4

MENS BREAKFAST Saturdays 7th March and 4th April served in Welford Church Rooms at 10 am. Not to be missed!

'Spring is Here' Concert. The Real String Orchestra concert in Welford Church on Sat, 21 March at 7 pm. This local Orchestra is led by Tori Rushton from Welford. Tickets can be purchased from www.therealstringorchestra.com/shows

Christian Resources Exhibition on March 4th & 5th at Stoneleigh. Well worth a visit.

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PRAYER MEETING at 7 pm. in Welford Church Rooms on the second and fourth Monday of the month: 9th & 23rd Mar.

BENEFICE SERVICE 29th MARCH

Please note, all four churches meet together at 11'00 am in Quinton church on 29 March.

Why not sign up to the Church of England's #LiveLent: Care for God's Creation campaign and receive exclusive emails during Lent www.churchofengland.org/livelent

Meon Vale



Messy Church at Meon Vale on Saturday, 7th March at 4'00 pm

Welford

Messy Church at Welford Memorial Hall starting at 4'00 pm on Sundays, 1st March. & 5th April at 4'00 pm

Early Easter Tea: People living on their own are invited to a tea at the Church Rooms, on Thurs, 2nd April, 3-5pm. RSVP by Sunday, 29th March to Jacqui Peet 750830 or Bridget Banning-Lover 750480 and tell us if you have any special dietary needs. There is parking at the Church Rooms.

Hope & Kindness Quiz night and supper 21st March from 7 – 11 pm. in Welford Bowls Club, Info from Jon & Fiona 750307.

'Drop In' to Welford Memorial Hall: Coffee mornings 10 am every 3rd Wednesday of the month & Board Games each 2nd Tue. @2pm.

Quinton

During **Eating Disorders Awareness Week** there will be a Coffee Morning on Wed. 4th March from 10 - 12 in Quinton Village Hall Refreshments, Cake Stall & much more. All proceeds to Mel's Milestone for Beat eating disorders. Info from Jane Spooner

'Pilgrim' Course': The Beatitudes 2.30 pm on Mondays during Lent at 21, The Fordway, Lower Quinton. Info from Hilda (720494) if you would like to join. It's not too late!

Soup and a Roll Lent Lunch on Wed, 18th March anytime between 12'30 and 2pm. at the home of Ann Wilson, The Old Bakery, Upper Quinton in support of the Embrace Middle East charity helping Syrian refugees.

SUNDAY 1st MARCH

Quinton

10'30 am Breakfast followed by an all-age service at 11am.

Long Marston

9'30 am Holy Communion

Weston

11'00 am Holy Communion (BCP)

Welford

9'30 am Morning Praise

4'00 pm Messy Church
in Welford Memorial Hall

SUNDAY 8th MARCH

Quinton

11'00 am Holy Communion

Long Marston *No service this week*

Weston

9'30 am Morning Prayer BCP

Welford

9'30 am Morning Praise with Communion

SUNDAY 15th MARCH

Quinton

11'00 am Songs of Praise

Long Marston

10'30 am Breakfast followed by an all-age service at 11am.

Weston

9'30 am Holy Communion (BCP)

Welford

9'30 am All Age Praise

Mothering Sunday 22nd MARCH

Quinton

11'00 am Morning Praise with Communion

Long Marston

10'30 Morning Praise
for Mothering Sunday

Weston

No service this week

Welford

9'30 am Holy Communion

SUNDAY 29th MARCH

United Benefice Service: Holy Communion
11'00 am in St Swithins, Quinton