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Welcome to Jesus Church Forty Hill

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This week

Monday 1.30pm Mothers Union
Tuesday 1.45pm RAGS (last session)
Wednesday 9.15am All Age Communion
Saturday 8 - 9am Hour of Prayer

Next Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion
10.30am All Age Holy Communion
6.30pm Special Palm Sunday Service

Mothers' Union

We are looking forward to hearing Linda Liversidge **TOMORROW** Monday 8th April at 1.30pm. All Welcome

Readers Appreciation Group Spring 2019

Session 6 Tuesday 9th April at 1.45 – 3.15pm in the Charis Centre. The Guernsey Literary & Potato Peel Society. Please read pages 214-240 in advance. Our last session will end with an Afternoon Tea. Please remember we are staying on a little longer. *Robert.*

Holy Week Posters

There are a number of these available listing services in Enfield Town should you want to display one in your window. Please take one from the table at the front of the church. *Robert.*

Admission to Church Schools

As there are many parents attending Jesus Church who want their children to be considered for admission to Forty Hill School and other Church Schools, we keep a register of attendance.

DEC Appeal for Cyclone Idai

As is our custom at Jesus Church for one more week we will accept donations to this appeal. Please use a yellow envelope, mark it 'DEC appeal' and place it in the collection bag. Collections so far total £680. Thank you

Kindly email notices for the sheet to Sue by Thursday evening spinksefq@aol.com and copy to Ian ian.crofts@gmail.com

Sunday 7th April 2019 Lent 6

8.00am Holy Communion
Isaiah 49:13-18 & John 19:25-30

10.30am All Age Service

Welcome and Opening Prayer
Song Bless the Lord O my soul
Confession
Song God's love is bigger
Reading: Luke 15:11-32 Emeka
Talk
Song I give You all the honour
Talk
Song I will offer up my life
Creed
Intercessions
Song I danced in the morning
Notices
Hymn And can it be
Blessing

6.30pm Holy Communion

Refreshments today

Tea, coffee and cold drinks will be served in the Charis after the 10.30am service today and we do welcome everyone to join us. Especially if you are new please do come and say hello!

Provision for children

Today and for the next few weeks until after Easter we have an All Age service. There will be a children's slot and a colouring picture and the service will be shorter in length. Junior Church and Tiddlywinks resume on Sunday 28th April. If your child is distressed or 'needs a moment' the vestry is available during the service as a quiet place where you can hear the service but not be heard!

TEXT FOR 2018/9

For it is by grace you have been saved –
and this not from yourselves, it is the gift
of God -

Ephesians 2:8

For your Prayers this week**Please pray for**

Daniella's God-Daughter Miarose needs our prayers. Her Cystic fibrosis is getting worse. She is back in Great Ormond Street Hospital and very poorly. June who is very weak in North Mid hospital and her husband David in his concern. For those who mourn, especially Dora's family who mourn the loss of her sister and are travelling to Colombia for the funeral.

Homes of Promise

Jane now back in Uganda and the work of Homes of Promise

Our parish and Enfield

Concerns over violence in Enfield preparations for the special services this week and next week

Our country and world

For all those affected by cyclone Idai and those working to help.

For our government and parliament as the nation faces a crisis, with important decisions to be made regarding a way forward on Brexit.

Prayers are also welcome on the Prayer Board in the Charis lobby. They are prayed for especially each Saturday morning Prayer Hour.

Imago Dei: Poetry, Music, Art in Lent week

Christ Church URC Church in Chase Side Enfield is open from 10-4 during Holy Week (GF 1-4) for this exhibition. There will be contributions from across the community focusing on images of God and images of humanity, made in the image of God, from here and across the world. There will also be guided tours of the church at various times; it is an interesting church to visit and there is a reasonable size car park.

Electoral Roll Revision

The new Electoral Roll is on display on the table in Charis. If there are any errors or omissions please tell Emeka Amadi, our Electoral Roll Officer, or email Ian as soon as possible. New applications cannot be made between now and the APCM on 25th April.

Holy Week 14th – 21st April

Palm Sunday 14 th April	8.00am Holy Communion 10.30 All Age Communion 6.30pm Special Palm Sunday Service with Music Group
Wednesday	9.15am Holy Communion
Maundy Thursday	8.00pm Holy Communion
Good Friday	10.30am Outdoor service with brass band, by HSBC Bank in Enfield Town 11.00am Service in St Andrew's 2.00pm An Hour at the Cross at Jesus Church
Easter Sunday 21 st April	7.00am Sunrise Service near millennium fountain Enfield (no breakfast this year) 8.00am Holy Communion 10.30am All Age Communion 6.30 Prayer and Praise

From PCC meeting

The treasurer reported that giving was up by 8% on last year – thank you to everyone who gives so generously. This is very timely news as an invoice came in this week for £800 for a new pump for the Charis heating system and £700 for testing of all the electrics and more work to be done. Plans are coming together for a special weekend of celebrations on 25th-27th September 2020 Book the date.

Easter Lilies

Easter Lilies are £3.50 a stem this year. If you would like to make a contribution, perhaps in memory of loved one/s, please place the money, today if possible, in the offertory plate in an envelope marked Easter Lilies with the names you are remembering.

The APCM will be held on Thursday 25th April in the Charis Centre.

We will start at 7.45pm with an informal time to chat over coffee/tea with the formal meeting commencing at 8.00pm. It is open to everyone, so do come along to hear and see what has been going on at Jesus Church over the past year. There will be more detailed information about the church finances in 2017 and plans for the coming year. (Copies of the Annual Accounts are displayed today on the table at the front of church and on the Charis table.) At the APCM we also elect Church Wardens and 5 representatives to PCC. Chris Bachelor has the nomination forms.