

# SAINT CUTHBERT'S WITH SAINT STEPHEN'S

## THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

### 20th March 2022

(SC) = Saint Cuthbert's, (SS) = Saint Stephen's, (BCP) = Book of Common Prayer

<b>Today</b>	<b>✠ THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT</b> 8.00am Eucharist (SC) 9.15am Eucharist (SS) <b>10.30am Eucharist (SC)</b> 6.00pm Choral Evensong (BCP) (SC)
<b>Monday</b>	<i>Readings: 2 Kings 5:1-15; Luke 4:24-30</i>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<i>Readings: Song of the Three 2, 11-20a; Matthew 18:21-end</i>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<i>Readings: Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9; Matthew 5:17-19</i> <b>10.00am Eucharist (BCP) (SC)</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<i>Readings: Jeremiah 7:23-28; Luke 11:14-23</i> <b>7.00pm Eucharist (SC)</b> followed by PCC meeting
<b>Friday</b>	ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD <i>Readings: Isaiah 7:10-14; Luke 1:26-38</i> <b>12noon Eucharist (SC)</b> (note change of venue) 7.30pm SCADS AGM
<b>Saturday</b>	<i>Readings: Hosea 5:15-6:6; Luke 18:9-14</i> 10.00am Coffee morning (SC) until 11.30am 10.00am Children's craft workshop (SC) until 11.30am <b>12noon Eucharist (SC)</b>
<b>Next Sunday</b>	<b>✠ THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT (MOTHERING SUNDAY)</b> <i>Readings: Joshua 5:9-12; 2 Corinthians 5:17-21; Luke 15:1-3, 11-32</i> 8.00am Eucharist (SC) <b>10.30am Eucharist (SC)</b> 6.00pm Evensong (BCP) (SC)

**Please pray for the whole world community and for those specifically:**

**The Sick:**

**Of Immediate Concern:** Andrew Stackhouse, Tim Hilton, Winnie Yates, Patricia Fox, Ann-Marie.

**Long-term:** Baby Dottie Mae, Wayne Paul, Tom Coucill, Karen Clegg, Gill Prest, Vera Cordingley, Ella Driver, Arminal Trueman, Bill, Peter Evans, Robin Lang, Debbie Greenwood, Petrina Thompson.

**Recently Departed:** William Birch, Raymond Murphy, Debbie Kirby.

**Years Mind:** Julia Borszcz, Lucy Briggs, Maureen Gregson (20th) Glenda Ainsworth (21st), Jacqueline Young, Jack Boardman, Hannah Hulme (22nd), Annie Stokes (23rd), Thomas Calderbank (26th).

### NOTICES

**PRAYER FOR UKRAINE**

God of peace and justice,  
 we pray for the people of Ukraine today.  
 We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.  
 We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow,  
 that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them.  
 We pray for those with power over war or peace,  
 for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions.  
 Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear,  
 that you would hold and protect them.  
 We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace.  
 Amen.

**DONATIONS FOR UKRAINE** - please bring items to Saint Cuthbert's church. We will be open from 10am until 2pm on Saturdays and the usual service times for dropping off donations. We will be taking items to International Aid Trust for them to distribute to the relevant areas. Clothing will be accepted however they are more in need of nappies, blankets, tinned or dried food, powdered milk, sleeping bags, candles, coffee/tea, chocolate, disinfectant wipes, first aid kits, bandages, female samitary products, toiletries, rain ponchos, torches/head torches, power banks, socks. If you wish to donate money please put it in the tub on the entrance table. Thank you so much for those who have already donated.

**CHORAL EVENSONG** - tonight at 6pm. Please come and join us.

**PCC MEETING** - this Thursday after the 7pm Eucharist at Saint Cuthbert's

**THIS FRIDAY** - the noon service will be at Saint Cuthbert's instead of Saint Stephen's.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS** - will be every Friday at 6pm. Attend one, more than one or all. The Stations of the Cross are a 14-step devotion that commemorates Jesus Christ's last day on Earth as a man. The 14 devotions, or stations, focus on specific events of His last day, beginning with His condemnation. If you plan to take up something extra in Lent this is ideal.

**SCADS AGM** - will take place this Friday 25th March at 7.30pm. This meeting is open to anyone who is interested and will be held at 112 Sandy Lane. Speak to Claire or Jenny for any futher details.

**COFFEE MORNING** - run by the Mothers' Union on Saturday 26th March from 10am until 11.30am. Tickets are £1, delicious coffee and biscuits and maybe even cake. There will be a tombola and raffle. If anyone could donate a prize or two please hand them to a member of the MU.

**CHILDREN'S CRAFT WORKSHOP** - this Saturday in Saint Cuthbert's church between 10am and 11.30am to coincide with the coffee morning. Drop your children in the workshop and then have an uninterrupted brew, cake and chat.

**NEWSLETTER** - please can you get you articles to Ellie by 30th March for the next newsletter. Please include any Easter ideas/bits. Her email address is below.

**CANCER RESEARCH** - Thank you to everyone who has sponsored Emily Caton for her 56 miles in February. She has now raised over £1000. Thank you so much for all the contributions.

**STEWARDSHIP** - if you would like to join our planned giving scheme please have a word with Margaret or any of the wardens (Bill, Diane, Claire, Tracey). If you a part of the scheme and giving using envelopes we ask if you would like to consider moving to bankers order. It saves you having to find the cash each week, remembering your envelope and catching up if you are missing from church for a week. If this is something that you would like to discuss please speak to Margaret or the church wardens.

**BOOKS FOR SALE** - the books are now at the back of the South aisle. Any donation welcome. All monies to church funds.

**SAVE THE DATE** - Saturday 6th August - Trip to Ladyewell shrine in Preston. More details from Margaret.

**DATES FOR THE DIARY** - If you are planning an event please speak to Tracey to put it in the church diary. This avoids any clashes.

**CHURCH BANK DETAILS** - for donations to church funds. The church bank details are:- Name: Saint Cuthbert with Saint Stephen's PCC, sort code: 30-90-87 and account number: 00030405. Please state in the reference what the donation is towards or leave blank for a general donation. If you wish to write a cheque please make it payable to Saint Cuthbert with Saint Stephen's PCC

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