

Stuart Fisher is being Ordained at Bristol Cathedral on Saturday 2nd July at 10.30am. If you would like to attend the service please contact Brenda on 497169 or by email to brendaf111@btinternet.com. We will arrange coach travel if there are enough people attending; there is also car parking near by if you are driving - see Stuart or Brenda for details.
The coach will leave St. Paul's at 8.45am returning around 1.30pm and the cost is approximately £10 per person.

Good Friday helpers - There will be a craft and worship event happening on Good Friday morning (further details to follow). If you would be willing to help on one of the craft tables, please let Beth or Wendy know.
Good Friday Yogurt Pots - We need 'corner' yogurt pots for a craft activity during the Good Friday All Age Worship event - if you eat Muller Corner Yogurts could you please wash them and bring them in to Church. *Beth and Wendy*

FOR YOUR DIARIES ---

The BOURNE again IDENTITY - Saturday 19th March at Longwell Green United Church. Main speaker Bishop of Bristol Mike Hill plus a choice of seminars. A free one-day conference to encourage and equip local churches in the task of reaching out to our local communities. Programmes and booking forms should now be available in the church (or talk to Wendy). Why not book now and sort out some car sharing? See www.bristolmethodist.org.uk/sharingJESUS for more details.

FUN QUIZ NIGHT - Saturday 26th March at St. Paul's Church, 7.30pm start.
£5 per person to include Ploughman's Supper
No bar available - please bring your own liquid refreshments!
Teams of 4 members - don't worry if you are not part of a team come along anyway and we will include you in a team!
Please support this event - all proceeds will go to THE TURNING POINT TRUST.
For further details phone Diane (639863), Jean (335383), Maureen (538842)

Swindon Youth for Christ - SYFC 60th Anniversary Celebration
7.30-9.30pm Tuesday 29th March at Gateway Church, Stonehill Green, SN5 7AR.
Please join us and bring your friends for a fantastic evening of worship, celebration and inspiration as we hear stories of lives transformed and look forward to what God will do through SYFC as we reach out to the young people of our town with the Good News.
The guest speaker is Rev. Clive Calver, National Director of YFC; also meet Rev. Christ Priddy, new Centre Director of SYFC.

All items for inclusion in the next notices should be sent to Anna Newman by Thursday 20th March
Telephone: 695698 or Email: anagram673@hotmail.co.uk
(please let me know if you would like notices by email)



Staff Team:	Rev. Tony Knapp	Tel: 525130
	Rev. Beth Brown	Tel: 747926
	Mrs. Wendy Tucker	Tel: 727280

*Tony & Beth both have Fridays off - please avoid contacting them if possible.
Wendy is not available Monday daytime and Saturdays.*

SERVICES - 13th March

St. Paul's

8.45am	Morning Worship	Paul Tayler
10.30am	Holy Communion	Tony Knapp and Beth Lamb

Refreshments after this service - please stay if you can

St Tim's

10.30am	Morning Worship	Wendy Tucker
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Refreshments after this service - please stay if you can

Eldene

10.30am	Morning Worship	Alex Scott
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At all our services today there will be a retiring collection for the In:School Project.

Lectionary	Genesis 2: 15-17; 3: 1-7	Romans 5: 12-19
Readings	Psalm 32	Matthew 4: 1-11
13th March		

Welcome to the Dorcan Church.
If you are new, we would love to get to know you better.
Please speak to the Minister or to one of the Stewards.

NEXT WEEK Normal weekly church and small group activities unless you are notified otherwise by group leaders.

Each small group will be following the Lent Course “**A Way through the Wilderness - experiencing God’s help in times of crisis,**” by Paula Gooder.

This 5 session course explores God’s promise to comfort his people as they struggle through life’s wildernesses. Each session focuses on an aspect of God’s comfort, based on a short passage from Isaiah; it contains enough material for 90 minutes.

First session begins week beginning 14th March.

You are welcome to join in a group for this course or to join the extra Thursday morning group with Wendy. Please contact the group leader below for details.

Monday - Alex (346507)

Tuesday - Diane (639863)

Wednesday - Brenda (497169)

Thursday - John (827627), Nathalie (421549)

Cathy - Afternoon & evening (525130)

Wendy - Morning (727280)

Mon. 14th March.	2.00pm 7.30pm	Scrabble & Dominoes at St. Tim’s Fellowship and Bible Study - Thorne Road
Tues. 15th March	1.30pm 7.30pm	Tiny Tots at St. Paul’s Cell Group - Fitzmaurice Close, Cov.
Wed. 16th March	10.00am 1.30pm 7.30pm	Holy Communion at St. Tim’s - Tony Knapp Tiny Tots at St. Tim’s Cell Group - Tregantle Walk, Nythe
Thurs. 17th March	10.00am 10-11.30am 1.30pm 7.30pm 7.30pm 7.30pm	Holy Communion at St. Paul’s - Tony Knapp Lent Course - Passmore Close, Covingham Cell Group - Falconscroft, Covingham Cell Group - Austen Cres. Liden Cell Group - Sutton Road, Eldene Cell Group - Sedgebrook, Liden

SERVICES - 20th March

St. Paul’s

8.45am Holy Communion Tony Knapp

10.30am Morning Worship Beth Brown

Welcome: John & Joan, Teas: Brenda Fisher, Crèche: Cathy Knapp

St. Tim’s

10.30am At Eldene

Eldene

10.30am Holy Communion Tony Knapp

A Pilgrimage to the Holy Land 19th - 28th March 2012

This is a comprehensive 10 day pilgrimage based in two areas ---- five nights in Jerusalem, and five nights in Galilee, run by the very experienced McCabe

Pilgrimages. The tour leader will be the Venerable Paul Wheatley, who actually was the founder of the Doran Church Walking Group many years ago. The tour gives the opportunity to visit many of those familiar places from the Bible that were so relevant to the life of Jesus. Six members of the Doran Church have already signed up for this pilgrimage, so why don’t you join us? I would be more than happy to answer any questions you may have, regarding the itinerary, price etc.

Barbara Wilcox

Prayer Initiative. For the next few weeks we will be prayer for the residents of Wiseman Close, Brind Close, Pinnegar Way and Gilling Way. Please also remember them in your private prayers.

CRISP PACKETS

Unfortunately, due to circumstances beyond their control, the Philippine Community Fund who collect these are having to stop taking them. The last collection will be made from our house on Thursday April 14th. Please could you make sure any you have collected are with me before then so that I can leave them out for collection. Thank you all for your support, and sorry these will have to start going back into Landfill.

Nathalie (421549)