

STUBBINGTON METHODIST CHURCH

Mays Lane / Burnt House Lane

Minister Reverend Claire Simpson

Minister's Day off: Saturday



We extend a very warm welcome to all our worshippers today and a special welcome to any visitors and newcomers.
Please make yourself known to us.

Sunday 4th March 2018

10.15 a.m. David Bloomfield

Steward: Pat Woodward

Welcomers: Wendy Mayne and Hazel Wills

Music: Heather Carne

CIRCUIT EVENTS

Drayton United Church – **Wednesday March 28th at 7.30pm**
(singers to arrive by 6.45pm)

This year we will be performing **Faure's Requiem and Cantique de Jean Racine'**. The charity we will be supporting this year is the Solent Multiple Sclerosis Therapy Centre.

We look forward to welcoming you - and any other singers you wish to bring with you - on the night.

Singers who know the works are welcome on the night, however, we are also planning a workshop which we hope you will attend if you can. This will take place in the church on: **Saturday March 24th 10.00 a.m – 1.00 p.m**

In addition, if anyone is less familiar with the work and would like the opportunity to refresh their memories, you will be very welcome to join Drayton choir on **Thursdays March 15th and 22nd from 8.00 - 9.00pm.**

Music will be available to borrow for those who do not have their own copy. Please do circulate the attached poster - we need people to sing and to listen.

We would be very grateful if you would let us know:

- a) whether or not you will be able to sing on the night
- b) names (and 'voice - SATB' of any other singers from your church or group who would like to join us (It helps us to know how many chairs to get ready for the choir)
- c) whether you & others are able to join us on Sat. Mar 24th
- d) whether any singers wish to join us on Thursday evening

Outreach Worker: If you are unable to reach Claire in an emergency, such as serious illness, contact Pam Stone to offer pastoral support. Pam is also able to offer extended communion at home.

Notices for the next Newsletter should be passed to Chris D'Cruz by Thursday 8th March 2018

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Lent Courses Stubbington

7.30 p.m. to 9 p.m. (refreshments from 7.15 p.m)

7th March - Holyrood at St Edmunds Church - John 4 Woman at the Well

14th March - Baptist Church - Lazarus

21st March - Methodist Church - To be decided

Lent Courses Warsash

7.30 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Following the York Course

Monday 5th March

Monday 12th March

Monday 19th March

Fairtrade

Fairtrade orders available from 4th March.

Heather

MHA Live at Home Coffee Mornings March

Tuesday 13th and Tuesday 27th March

At Crofton Community Centre from 10.30 a.m. to 12.30p.m

Prayers for Individuals

We especially pray for Alf Billingsley, Gwynnyth Clarke, Peter Marsh and Tess Metcalf who are unable to join us at this time.

Cycle of Prayer, Week commencing 4 March 2018

Pray for the church leaders and teams in: Holyrood, St Edmonds, The Roman Catholic, Methodist, Baptist, Shoreline Churches and Peel Common Mission.

ADVANCE NOTICE

Annual Church Meeting – Sunday 15th April 2018

This will be Chaired by Rev Andrew de Ville, time to be confirmed.

Sunday 11th March 2018

Mothering Sunday

10.15 a.m. Local Arrangement

Steward: Vivien Rolf

Welcomers: Rene Dale and Jim Bradley

Music: Heather Carne

6.30 p.m. Rev Claire Simpson

Holy Communion

Steward: Vivien Rolf

Communion Steward: Sheila Warren