



Newsletter for C@P 10th February 2023

Dear all,

This Sunday we will be having a service all about Climate Change, with the help of some of our young people.

We will be having a collection for the Turkey-Syria Earthquake Appeal, so do please bring cash if you would like to donate.

Order of service Sunday 12th February 2023
Leader – Brian Gennery

Notices

Time of quiet

Welcome to 2053

SONG: All creatures of our God and King

Call To Prayer

Prayers With The Planet

Bible Reading – Isaiah 24: 1-6

Prayers Of Lament And Confession

Song - All Things Bright And Beautiful

Bible Reading - Luke 12: 54-59

Welcome To 2053 (Again!)

Second Call To Prayer

Prayers With The Planet

Bible Reading - Isaiah 11: 1-9

Prayers

Song: God The Maker Of The Heavens

Preparing To Eat Together

Lord's Prayer

Share In Coffee/Squash/Biscuits

Song Indescribable (Recording – during coffee)

Final Words

Blessing

Song O Lord, my God, when I in awesome wonder (How Great Thou Art)

Grace

Best wishes,

Sarah

NOTICES

Church @ the Pines AGM

New date – 23rd March 2023 – please take note for your diary.

Thanks from the Pines School

The school have passed on a message thanking for a recent donation and letting us know how much it has helped their community.

The money was spent on food vouchers and on food hampers, this supported 19 families. They also bought three blankets for a family and two Christmas presents for other families. Overall, it supported 22 families in our school.

“Thank you for thinking of our school community we really are grateful that we are able to help our families in this way.”

Leadership team vacancies

Our leadership team meets 4 times a year, usually on a Sunday afternoon, currently on zoom.

Would anyone like to join the leadership team? You don't to have any prior experience, we're a friendly bunch and the more people the better to carry forward the running of worship here at Church @ the Pines.

If you'd like to have a chat about joining the leadership team, please let Brian know.

GDPR

To ensure we are GDPR (data) compliant, please do let us know if your details need updating at all.

If you have never filled in one of our forms with your details, please let Sarah know so she can provide you with a form to complete.

Church Finances

We do not take a collection during the service but a Response Box is on the Information Table, should you wish to make a donation to the work of our Church. Alternatively, you could sign a Standing Order form committing to regular monthly giving, which allows our Treasurer (Ben) to monitor the church finances more closely. Please do speak with Ben if you wish to make arrangements for this.

Notices from the Parish Church:

Appointment of new Rector

APPOINTMENT OF NEW RECTOR

We advertised for a Rector in January, and the closing date for applications has now passed. Next week we will meet for shortlisting and we are planning to interview later this month. We cannot tell you any more than this at present, but will let you know as soon as there is any news.

Lee Townsend and Judy Collyer, Churchwardens, St Michael's

SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

To make the system fair and transparent, those wishing to apply to St Michael's or Ranelagh church schools on church attendance criteria will be asked to sign a register at the back of church each time they attend (even if they have a sibling at the school). To make sure that all new signees understand the admissions criteria we ask that you email the parish office to make an appointment. Please go to the relevant school website for the latest admissions policy.

IF YOU ARE CONSIDERING RANELAGH OR ST MICHAEL'S PLEASE SEE THEIR WEBSITES FOR DETAILS OF THEIR CONSULTATIONS FOR NEW ADMISSIONS POLICY.