

# **CHRIST CHURCH WORTHING**

# HYMN, SONG AND SERVICE SHEET

The Second Sunday before Lent

24th February 2019

# 10.30am Morning Prayer with The Revd David Renshaw

There is prayer in the organ vestry every Sunday at 10am for 15 minutes before the service and you are welcome to join at any time.

#### **TODAY:**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Genesis 2: 4B-9, 15-end read by Pat B 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Luke 8: 22 - 25 read by Ann P and

Intercessions led by Dorothy F

The Organ Voluntary following our service today will be: Select Piece no. VII Adagio - Allegro (from Book II, ca.1777) by John Keeble ca. 1711-86.

He was a choirboy at Chichester Cathedral before moving to London!

# Services in March

3<sup>rd</sup> March 10.30am Holy Communion

with The Revd David Renshaw

3<sup>rd</sup> March 6pm BCP Evensong

with The Revd Nancy Ford

6<sup>th</sup> March 12pm Ash Wednesday Service

with The Revd David Renshaw and Canon Muriel Pargeter

10<sup>th</sup> March 10.30am Morning Prayer

with The Revd David Renshaw

14<sup>th</sup> March 10.30am BCP Holy Communion

with The Revd George Butterworth

17<sup>th</sup> March 10.30am Holy Communion

with The Revd David Renshaw and Canon Muriel Pargeter

17<sup>th</sup> March 6pm BCP Evensong

with The Revd Roger Walker

24<sup>th</sup> March 10.30am Morning Prayer

with Derek Hansen

28<sup>th</sup> March 10.30am BCP Holy Communion

with The Revd David Renshaw

31<sup>st</sup> March 10.30am Holy Communion

for Mothering Sunday

with The Revd Nancy Ford



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## **Opening Hymn [166]**

Crown him with many crowns, the Lamb upon his throne, hark how the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own! Awake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee and hail him as thy matchless king through all eternity.

Crown him the Virgin's Son, the God incarnate born, whose arm those crimson trophies won which now his brow adorn: Fruit of the mystic Rose, as of that Rose the Stem; the Root whence mercy ever flows, the Babe of Bethlehem.

Crown him the Lord of love, behold his hands and side those wounds yet visible above in beauty glorified. no angel in the sky can fully bear that sight, but downward bends his burning eye at mysteries so bright.



Crown him the Lord of peace whose power a sceptre sways from pole to pole that wars may cease and all be prayer and praise. his reign shall know no end, and round his pierced feet fair flowers of paradise extend Their fragrance ever sweet.

Crown him the Lord of years, the Potentate of time, creator of the rolling spheres ineffably sublime: all hail, Redeemer, hail, for thou hast died for me; thy praise shall never, never fail throughout eternity!

Matthew Bridges: Public Domain [Revelation 19. 12]

#### **HYMN [427]**

For the healing of the nations, Lord, we pray with one accord, for a just and equal sharing of the things that earth affords. To a life of love in action help us rise and pledge our word.

Lead us forward into freedom, from despair your world release, that, redeemed from war and hatred, all may come and go in peace. Show us how through care and goodness fear will die and hope increase.

All that kills abundant living, let it from the earth be banned: pride of status, race or schooling, dogmas that obscure your plan. In our common quest for justice may we hallow brief life's span.

You, Creator God, have written your great name on humankind; for our growing in your likeness bring the life of Christ to mind; that by our response and service earth its destiny may find.

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# **Worship Songs**

N.B. This will be sung to the tune of "The house of the rising sun"

Amazing grace how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but now am found; was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved; how precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed!

Through many dangers, toils and snares I have already come; 'tis grace has brought me safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.

The Lord has promised good to me, his word my hope secures; he will my shield and portion be as long as life endures.



Yes, when this flesh and heart shall fail, and mortal life shall cease, I shall possess within the veil, a life of joy and peace.

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow, the sun forbear to shine; but God, who called me here below, will be forever mine.

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#### Song 2

Abba, Father, let me be yours and yours alone.
May my will for ever be more and more your own.
Never let my heart grow cold, never let me go.
Abba, Father, let me be yours and yours alone.

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## Offertory Hymn [250]

All creatures of our God and King, lift up your voice and with us sing Alleluia, alleluia!
Thou burning sun with golden beam, thou silver moon with softer gleam:
O praise him, O praise him,
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Thou rushing wind that art so strong, ye clouds that sail in heaven along, O praise him, alleluia!
Thou rising morn, in praise rejoice, ye lights of evening find a voice: *Refrain* 

Thou flowing water, pure and clear, make music for thy Lord to hear, Alleluia, alleluia!
Thou fire so masterful and bright that givest us both warmth and light: *Refrain* 

Dear mother earth who day by day unfoldest blessings on our way, O praise him, alleluia! The flowers and fruits that in thee grow, let them his glory also show: *Refrain* 

All ye that are of tender heart, forgiving others, take your part, O sing ye, alleluia! Ye who long pain and sorrow bear, praise God and on him cast your care: *Refrain* 

And thou, most kind and gentle death, waiting to hush our latest breath, O praise him, alleluia! Thou leadest home the child of God, and Christ our Lord the way has trod: *Refrain* 

Let all things their creator bless and worship him in humbleness, O praise him, alleluia! Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son, and praise the Spirit, Three-in-One: *Refrain* 

William Henry Draper: Public Domain[based on St. Francis of Assisi]



Please stay for coffee and a chat after the service!



All those whom we know that are sick, lonely, troubled or grieving and church family members and residents in local nursing & care homes whom Muriel and the pastoral team visit.



# DATES FOR YOUR DIARY!

Tuesday, 12th March, 12.30 to 1.30pm.

We welcome Rob Campkin for a Violin Recital.

**Tuesday**, **26**<sup>th</sup> **March**, **12.30 to 1.30pm**. The Revd. Andrew Wingate returns to Christ Church to talk to us on Diocesan Interfaith Relations.

You will recall that Andrew joined in January, and when he was with us, he asked the congregation to think of questions we would like to put to him when he visits to speak. Please give your questions to Janine, either by email or on the enclosed form, before 20<sup>th</sup> March.



# Open Church

Many thanks to all who come along to support our 'Open Church' days throughout the week, and especially to our fundraising Mission coffee mornings each Wednesday, when we welcome donations for the many missions we support.

## Keeping in touch!

Christ Church operates a taxi service for those who find it difficult to get to church on a Sunday, or through the week. If you would like to use the service, please talk with Joan, Sylvia or Lorraine. You do not then have to pay the driver. This is not dependent in any way on ability to pay, this is to help people get to church, without worrying. If people feel they would like to contribute towards the cost of the fares, they merely place their donation in a Gift Aid envelope, marked 'Taxi'.

#### Parish Magazine



Please continue to send us items to include – these can be recipes [family recipes, not those taken directly from any published book], clean, funny jokes, items of interest about people or places and poetry, or indeed, anything you think people will enjoy reading.

Many thanks! Janine and Ann P

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#### CALLING ALL MEN.....

Please pick up a questionnaire regarding a new men's group that we hope will start soon. Let us know your views, so as many men as possible can come together to have an interesting time of fellowship

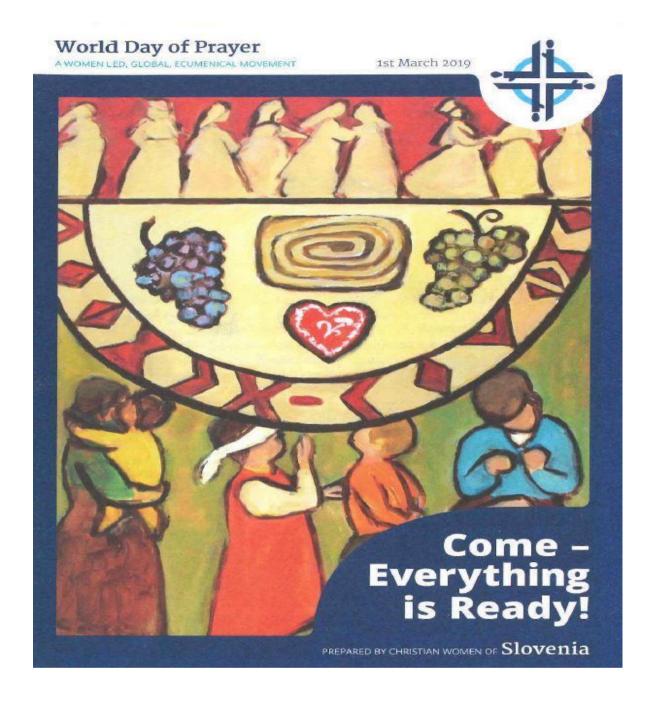


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A five-week LENT COURSE will be held on Tuesdays at 11am to noon on 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> March, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> April, led by our Vicar, David.

Everyone is welcome, more information to follow, but if you are interested, please put the dates in your diary!



# World Day of Prayer – Come, Everything is Ready!

This year, the World Day of Prayer will focus on Praying for Slovenia.

Please come on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March at 2.30pm to Emmanuel URC at St Michael's Road, Worthing BN11 4SD Everyone is welcome!

Refreshments will be available after the service. If you would like to know more, please speak to Jenny C or Sylvia, the Christ Church representatives.

### **LENT LUNCHES**



Saturday, 9<sup>th</sup> March and Saturday, 13<sup>th</sup> April 2019 from 12 noon to 1.30pm, serving homemade Soup, filled roll and butter, fruit, followed by Tea or Coffee

Suggested donation of £5 for Christian Aid

We look forward to your support!

#### **LENT BOXES**

This year, during lent, we will be asking members of the church family to collect their spare change and donations in a lent Box, on behalf of Christian Aid. The boxes, to be given out next Sunday, are somewhat larger than we have been given in previous years for the various charities we support, however, you can empty them to hand to the treasurer at any time, and we hope that you will wish to Gift Aid your donations, if you are a UK tax payer. To do this, please just include with your gift a gift aid envelope, in all of the pews. The boxes can be kept, and if you feel you would like to continue using them after lent, to put spare change in to go to Christian Aid throughout the year, the treasurer will be happy to accept your gift at any time. Just mark the envelope you place your gift in for Christian Aid, or other mission supported by the church.

Thank you!

#### **APCM & ELECTORAL ROLL - IMPORTANT INFORMATION!**

This year, before the **Annual Parochial Church meeting**, to be held on **28**<sup>th</sup> **April 2019**, following the morning service, we need to renew the Electoral Roll for the parish.

Hobbs, as everyone that wants to be on the church electoral roll needs to complete a new form. We should display the list for all to see, however, in line with GDPR, we would like to protect your personal details, and so please be assured we will not be displaying the list.

Please also give some prayerful thought as to what role you might like to be nominated for, or who you would like to nominate. This might be Churchwarden or PCC member. In this parish we elect members annually, so the relevant forms will soon be available, and must be completed by the APCM.

