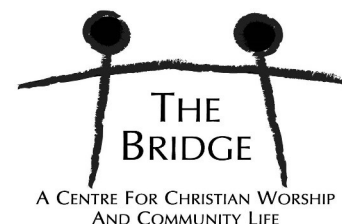


This week at The Bridge		
Sunday 24th February	9.00am	Holy Communion Rev Glenn Reading
	10.30am	Morning Worship Ian Athey
	10.30am	Messy Cafe Church in the Hall
Tuesday 26th February	6.00pm	Girls Brigade
Wednesday 27th February	9.30am	Holy Communion
	7.45pm	Everywoman's Circle Droitwich's Oldest Buildings Lyn Blewitt
Friday 29th February	6.00pm	Boys Brigade
Sunday 3rd March	9.00am	Morning Worship Rev Ruth Wilson
	10.30am	Holy Communion Rev Glenn Reading
	10.30am	Cafe Church in the Hall
		Jackie Adams, Helen Reading and Terry Bill

Music for 24 February 2019			
<i>Organ</i>	<i>Prelude</i>	<i>Archer</i>	
	<i>Pastorale</i>	<i>Shepherd</i>	
Hymn	Praise to the Holiest in the height	334	Singing
	Your words to me are life and health	164	the Faith
	Now the green blade rises	306	
	A new commandment I give unto you	242	(sing twice)
	All praise to our redeeming Lord	608	
<i>Organ</i>	<i>Recessional</i>	<i>Fletcher</i>	

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WELCOME

24th February 2019

*A warm welcome to our services today
especially if this is your first visit to The Bridge.*

FILM NIGHT AT THE BRIDGE

FREE ENTRY



on Monday

4th March

at 7.30 p.m.

THE GREATEST SHOWMAN

at The Bridge Church Community Hall

This award-winning film stars Hugh Jackman as the ambitious showman and entrepreneur P.T. Barnum. Released at the end of 2017 it tells the story of the creation of the 'Greatest Show on Earth'.

HuffPost wrote "You will be overwhelmed by the music and magic that explode on the screen. The film has a message that should resonate with today's world concerning acceptance and courage."

This Film Night is a prelude to our **LENT GROUP DISCUSSIONS** based on the themes in the film to be held at The Bridge and Astwood Bank Church.

If you cannot come to the discussions come and enjoy the film anyway.

Wednesday 13th March - 'A Million Dreams'

Wednesday 17th March - 'Come Alive'

Wednesday 27th March - 'Rewrite the Stars'

Wednesday 3rd April - 'Never Enough'

Wednesday 10th April - 'From Now On'

11.00 - 12.30 pm at No 71 @The Bridge & 7.30 - 9.00 pm at Astwood Bank Church

Jesus said "Do to others as you would have them do to you."
Luke 6 v31

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

On Sunday 24th March at 4pm at The Bridge Church is the service when Judith Grubb will be commissioned as President of Worcester Diocese Mothers' Union by Bishop John, Bishop of Worcester. The Trustee Board will also be commissioned. This will be followed by refreshments in the church Community Hall.

At 6.00pm there will be a concert by the Oakville Singers for about an hour.

Judith would be grateful for support from the congregation for the service and the concert!

Donations after the concert requested for church funds.

CHURCH INCOME

We are looking to have an income of £64,017 in 2019 to meet our expenditure, which would average out at £5,335 per month.

January is traditionally slow for income and this year saw an income of just £3,740.

Last month I did ask people to review their giving, whether it be by weekly cash or envelopes, or by bank payments.

If you did this, thank you.

MARMALADE FOR SALE

This year's marmalade is now ready for sale and eating, proceeds to church funds.

If interested, please contact Judith Grubb on 457789

Please give any items for inclusion in this weekly news-sheet by Wednesday of each week, to Matthew Bailey or Roger Ling
or send them via email to: bailey_matt@btinternet.com **and** roger.j.ling@virginmedia.com

CHRISTIAN AID COLLECTION CO-ORDINATOR REQUIRED

Could this be YOU?

The Bridge is looking for a new Christian Aid Collection Co-ordinator to take over the role from Phil Drewell who is stepping down after his considerable period undertaking this important work.

In our support of the vital work of Christian Aid we are part of the national collection week. In Redditch the streets are shared amongst all the churches in the town. This week, in Mid May, raises a significant part of the income for Christian Aid and also raises national awareness of their work.

The role of The Bridge Co-ordinator is to prepare the batches of envelopes for each of our 'rounds', liaise with previous collectors to ask whether they can again collect and be the contact for new volunteers for rounds needing collectors. At the end of Christian Aid week, which is in mid-May, all envelopes are emptied and money banked (via the Post Office).

Phil Drewell will be very happy to talk to anyone seeking more information and will also be happy to guide the new Co-ordinator through the first year.

Please contact Roger Ling (401238) if you would like to consider this role, or require further information.

1st Redditch Company @ The Bridge

JOIN US on SHROVE TUESDAY

TUESDAY 5th MARCH

at 6.45pm

for a

FAIRTRADE PANCAKE PARTY

Share fellowship and celebrate this traditional feast day



EVERYONE WELCOME.

