

## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> Easter Monday  
Tues 3<sup>rd</sup> Roots / Home Groups  
Weds 4<sup>th</sup> Holy Communion 10am  
Youth Band Practice  
Band Practice 8pm  
Roots / Home groups  
Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> Chair exercise session 2pm  
Band Practice 7pm  
Roots / Home Groups  
Fri 6<sup>th</sup>  
Sat 7<sup>th</sup> Who Let the Dads Out?

### Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April – 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter

9 & 11am All-age Worship  
Phillip and the Ethiopian Acts 8.26-40

2.30pm MishMash

6.30pm Evening Worship  
John 1.43-51 Meeting Jesus: encounters in  
John's gospel. No. 1 Nathanael

\* See 'Further Reading' for more details.

**Please continue to pray for those who are unwell, bereaved or otherwise in need, and their families:** Jay Ayres, Di Elliott (now back home), Val (Andy Hotchin's mum), Marion, Tyler Ireson-Vaughan, Helen Morgan, Carol & Merlyn Gray, Stuart Walters, John Palmer, Norman & Judith Darby, David & Val Macdonald, Chrissie Pointer, Reuben Bell.

**And pray for those struggling with mental illness.**

## FURTHER READING

### New Wine United 18 Summer Gathering Deadline for Early Bird tickets is 3<sup>rd</sup> April.

Dates 5<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> August (the group from CtK will be going for Week 2), Tickets from <https://united.new-wine.org/> If cost is an issue, some financial assistance may be available. Speak to Rob for details.

**Alpha – Just for Men** We're running a 7-week Alpha specially created for the husbands/partners of Christian women. It will be led by Glyn Wood, Jon Lawson, Stuart Welch, Rob Bewley & John Burdett. It will be fun, practical and relaxed and will involve manly food, jokes, questions and answers and a clear look at what Christianity is really about.

**Weds 25<sup>th</sup> April 7.30.** Alpha - Just for Men starts at church and runs for 7 weeks.  
Contact: [johnburdett355@gmail.com](mailto:johnburdett355@gmail.com) or 07535 300905

**Today is Jon and Wendy's last Sunday with us.** However, their farewell tea will be on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> April 3.00-5.00pm. **Please sign up on the board at the back of the Worship Area if you can bring cakes for this.**

If you would like to give towards a leaving gift for Jon and Wendy, please put your contribution in a marked envelope and place it in the offertory basket, give it to a member of staff, or hand it in to the Church Office during the week  
**Jon's licensing** as Rector of Raunds, Hargrave, Ringstead and Stanwick at St. Peter's, Raunds is on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> April at 3pm

### Do You Like to Sing?

Come and join a special Pentecost Gospel Choir for a joint Pentecost service for Churches in Kettering at the end of Thy Kingdom Come, Sunday evening, 20<sup>th</sup> May. No music-reading ability needed, just a love of singing and of worshipping the Lord. For more information, contact Eleanor Jeans  
Rehearsals: Tuesdays 17<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> April and 8<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> May – all at CtK from 7.30-9.00pm.

### Women's Ministry Spring Retreat Day:

Kingdom's Heartbeat with speaker Erika Burrows. Saturday May 12<sup>th</sup>, Claret Retreat Centre, Buckden. Cost £11 inc lunch. Overnight cost inc B&B & evening meal & lunch Saturday £48 if sharing twin room, £58 if single room. **Only a handful of tickets are now left, please email Jane asap to buy yours at: [janevoll@aol.com](mailto:janevoll@aol.com).**

## Annual Parochial Church Meeting and PCC

**Elections – 23<sup>rd</sup> April** The APCM is a chance to review the past year, give thanks to God, think about the next year, ask questions & elect new members of the PCC. Come any time from 7.15pm for tea/coffee. The meeting will start with worship at 7.45pm.

**Would you be interested in serving on the Parochial Church Council (PCC) of Christ the King?** The PCC's primary role is, with the vicar, to 'consult together on matters of general concern and importance to the parish' and to 'cooperate in promoting in the parish the whole mission of the Church, pastoral, evangelistic, social and ecumenical.'

If you think God may be calling you, take a Nomination Form (back of the worship area or on the website), speak to Rob or Eleanor, or to anyone currently on PCC. Nominations are required no later than **April 22<sup>nd</sup>**, but it helps greatly with the process to have them sooner if possible.

There is also 1 place available on Deanery Synod, which gives an automatic place on PCC. It would be great to have a broad range of age, gender and experience. If you know someone who you think would make a great PCC member, why not encourage them to stand?

### Prayer Ministry Training at CtK

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> April 9.30am – 1.00pm. Led by a team from St. Mary's, Bryanston Square, London. For all those who want to learn, or be refreshed in, how to pray for other people in the power of the Spirit. Cost £10. Book now at [www.new-wine.org/events](http://www.new-wine.org/events)

### Inter-faith Skills

Exploring attitudes and fears to 'being Christians' with those of other faiths, through a mixture of discussion and lecture led by Sean Oliver-Dee. 26<sup>th</sup> May & 23<sup>rd</sup> June, at Bouverie Court, Northampton, NN4 7YD, 9.30am-4pm, Cost £20 per person. Please email [lesley-anne.marriott@peterborough-diocese.org.uk](mailto:lesley-anne.marriott@peterborough-diocese.org.uk) or phone 01604 887048 to book your place.

**Did you know** that, if you use the envelope scheme for giving, it doesn't have to be in the prescribed envelope, as long as the Gift Aid Reference Number (if applicable) is on it? Every Little Helps!

## FURTHER AHEAD

### April

9<sup>th</sup> The Hub: Prayer & Praise Gathering  
13<sup>th</sup> Luncheon Club  
15<sup>th</sup> Farewell tea for Jon & Wendy \*  
22<sup>nd</sup> Jon's licensing at St. Peter's, Raunds \*  
23<sup>rd</sup> CtK Annual Meeting \*  
25<sup>th</sup> Alpha - Just for Men begins \*  
28<sup>th</sup> Prayer Ministry Training at CtK \*

### May

5<sup>th</sup> Who Let the Dads Out?  
7<sup>th</sup> The Hub: Prayer & Praise Gathering  
10<sup>th</sup> Start of Thy Kingdom Come – Ascension Day Service at St Peter & St. Paul  
11<sup>th</sup> Luncheon Club  
12<sup>th</sup> Women's Ministry Retreat Day \* Introduction to the New Testament Teaching Day at CtK  
13<sup>th</sup> MishMash  
17<sup>th</sup> Thy Kingdom Come Prayer Meeting at CtK  
20<sup>th</sup> Joint Pentecost service at CtK for churches in Kettering \*

\* See 'Further Reading' for more details.

## OTHER KEY DATES

17<sup>th</sup> May Thy Kingdom Come Prayer Meeting at CtK  
9<sup>th</sup> June Trumpet Call Day of Prayer  
10<sup>th</sup> June Confirmation service  
23<sup>rd</sup> June CVM: 'The Gathering' Men's Weekend Event  
16<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> July Rendezvous  
23<sup>rd</sup> July Holiday Club  
5<sup>th</sup> August New Wine United Week 2  
18<sup>th</sup> August Soul Survivor Week B

**'Kingdom Church' the CD** - Copies still available at the back of church. Payment by cash or cheque payable to Christ the King. Cost £12.50 each or Buy 4 Get 1 Free (5 for £50).

### PowerPoint notices

If you have a notice that you would like to be included in the PowerPoints shown at the start of Sunday services, please can you make sure you send it to the Church Office no later than the preceding Monday. Thank you.

## FURTHER AFIELD

**Job Opportunity** The Diocese is looking to appoint a full-time Giving Officer so as to be able to offer greater support to parishes in the vital area of generous giving (to better resource local mission and ministry). See flier in corridor for details.

**Christian Aid** We are looking for someone to represent CTK: 1) To coordinate Christian Aid week (in May each year), 2) To promote occasional Christian aid fund-raising events. To find out more, please see Ian Hames or contact Kettering CA coordinator, Carol Milner: 01536 745589

### For the One - Worship Training Day

Saturday, 5<sup>th</sup> May - Holy Trinity Church, Leicester  
A training day designed to gather local worship teams and offer input, training and ministry time. Details and tickets from <https://www.new-wine.org/events/one-worship-training-day-1>

**Inspire!** the England and Wales 2018 Latin Link conference, Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> May at Carey Baptist Church, Reading RG1 7JS.  
To find out more and book your place, click on [www.latinlink.org.uk/Event/inspire-england-and-wales-2018](http://www.latinlink.org.uk/Event/inspire-england-and-wales-2018) or call on 0118 957 7100.

**A big thank you** to all who donated Easter eggs or visited our stall for the Samaritans in the Newland Centre on Saturday. We raised £120. Doreen

**Kettering Civic Society** Late Summer break Exploring Norfolk and around. Monday 3rd to Thursday 6th September 2018  
See poster on board in corridor for details.

## FURTHER INFORMATION

**Pulse** - If you have a prayer request and would like members of the church to be praying, contact John Crosswell 01536 522902 or [pulse@ctk.org.uk](mailto:pulse@ctk.org.uk). Also contact John to add your name to the list of those who receive these requests to pray.

**The Prayer Room** - A quiet space, usually open to drop into from 8.30-3.30 on weekdays.

**Love in Action** - If you are in need of practical help, often because of a crisis, contact Val Macdonald (01536 516595) or Carol Robinson (01536 414917)

**Church Address List** - For data protection reasons, copies of the Address List are no longer out on display. If you would like a copy of the list, and are on it, please contact the Church Office.

## CONTACTS

### The Revd Dr Rob Bewley

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Newsletter items by Wednesday evening to Mandy Mitchell

Welcome to the  
**Church of Christ the King -  
a community of disciples on  
an adventure together of  
becoming more like Jesus.  
We are an Anglican Church  
and part of Peterborough  
Diocese.**

**First time?** If this is your first visit do pick up a welcome pack, fill in a welcome card & join us for refreshments and a chat after the service.

**Prayer Ministry** - If you would like someone to pray with you at the end of the service, please go to the front of the church where there will be members of the prayer ministry team. Or you can contact Glyn and Alison Wood directly on 01536 417779.

**Church Bibles** - If you would like to follow the readings please help yourself to a Bible from the shelves at the back of the Worship Area. Large print Bibles & copies of this sheet are also available.

**If you wish to give** to the work of the church a bowl comes round during services. For more details of how you can give, including Gift Aid, please see the church website ([ctk.org.uk](http://ctk.org.uk) Finances at the bottom of each page). Information and forms can also be found in the corridor along with information about leaving money to the church in your will. Or contact our Treasurer Bob Dore on 713191.

**If you have a hearing aid** please use setting 'T'

**Parents and carers** please remember that, on Sunday mornings, your children are your responsibility at all times apart from when they are in their groups.

**1<sup>st</sup> April 2018**

Easter Day



Deeper in our Devotion to God  
Closer in our Connections with One Another  
Further on our Frontlines with the Good News

**1<sup>st</sup> April**

**9am & 11am** All-age Communion  
Preaching: Jon Aldwinckle  
'Broken, Surprised, Amazed'

**6.30pm** Easter Celebration  
Preaching: Rob Bewley  
John 20.1-18 & 1 Corinthians 15.20-26

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> April**  
**10am** Holy Communion  
Speaker: David Perrett

# HAPPY EASTER!

**There's a lot happening  
over the next few weeks...**

- Farewell tea for Jon & Wendy
- APCM (inc PCC Elections)
- Alpha - Just for Men
- Prayer Ministry Training Day

**And more! See inside for details.**

*In the event of an emergency evacuation, please go straight to the assembly point (the boundary tree line at the bottom of the drive). Your children will be escorted to that point by their group leaders and released to you there.*