

## **ST GODWALD'S CHURCH, FINSTALL**

**SUNDAY February 7<sup>th</sup> 2021**

**Second Sunday before Lent**

### **Alternative Collect for today:**

Almighty God,  
give us reverence for all creation  
and respect for every person,  
that we may mirror your likeness  
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

### **TODAY'S SERVICES:**

**10.30 am** Morning Worship (zoom) – Emma Morris and Revd David Ford

**4.00 pm** Taize (zoom) - Revd David Ford

### **Instructions for connecting online using Zoom** **For the both services today:**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2474115267>

**Meeting ID: 247 411 5267**

### **Use one of these numbers to connect to any service using your telephone only:**

0203 481 5240

0203 901 7895

0131 460 1196

0203 051 2874

0203 481 5237

### **SERVICES FOR FEBRUARY:**

#### **14<sup>th</sup> February: Sunday next before Lent**

10.30 am Holy Communion (zoom) - Revd David Ford

4.00 pm Iona Service (zoom) – Pam Rosewarne

#### **Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> February: Ash Wednesday**

10.00 am Holy Communion with Ashing – in **St Godwald's Church** – Canon David Lingwood

#### **21<sup>st</sup> February: 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent**

10.30 am Morning Worship (zoom) – Sue Bryant and Pam Rosewarne

4.00 pm Celtic Service (zoom) -Rosemary Sumner

#### **28<sup>th</sup> February: 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent**

10.30 am Holy Communion (zoom) - Revd Janet Hatton

4.00 pm Compline (zoom)

### **BIBLE STUDY COFFEE MORNING**

Bible Study will meet by zoom on **Thursday 11th February 11am to 12 noon**. Everyone is very welcome including new members.



The **JOINING INSTRUCTIONS** for Bible Study are:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86988102960?pwd=WjgwSU1VMGJleWNjakN2c3c2ZmF3UT09>

**Meeting ID: 883 7751 5677**

**Passcode: ix723S**

### **100 CLUB**

Dear Members,

Renewal of membership of St Godwald's 100 Club for the year 2021 is now due and I hope you will all continue to take part.

Thank you to those who have renewed.

You can either pay for 6 months (January to June) @ £6 per number or for the whole year (January to December) @ £12 per number. Payment can be made by Cash or Cheques made payable to St Godwald's DCC and can be given to me or be put through the Parish Office letterbox addressed to 'Pat Archer 100 Club'. If you have any queries, please contact me [patarcher1a@btinternet.com](mailto:patarcher1a@btinternet.com)  
Tel: 0121 445 4073

***If you would prefer not to renew please let me know.***

### **STORIES/TEA and CAKE with JUDITH ROWE**

**Wednesdays at 2pm  
for 7 weeks  
from 20<sup>th</sup> January**



Join me to gather as a group to read short stories/poems or funny incidents.

You don't have to contribute; I have a couple of books of short stories and I'm sure other people have too.

The meeting is scheduled to last 40 mins.

**Meeting ID 789 2400 8432**

**Passcode: YZtn7X**

**Judith Rowe has produced another Poetry**

**Book** – Please let her know if you wish to purchase one. The cost is £5.00 and all money goes to St Basil's.

**ONLINE COURSE on the BIBLE**

St John's is hosting an online course, on



the Bible starting on **Thursday 4th Feb 7pm; the following sessions will be on Thursday evenings at 7pm**

The course will give an overview of the bible and how it fits in all together. The course is put together by the Bible Society and is interactive, containing teaching videos and discussion time. Each session lasts for about an hour and there are 8 sessions.

The course also has a manual that includes daily bible readings to help you prepare for the next session and other material. The manual costs £4.99 and you can order one from [https://www.biblesociety.org.uk/products/filters/The%20Bible%20Course%20Manuals/?hide\\_filters](https://www.biblesociety.org.uk/products/filters/The%20Bible%20Course%20Manuals/?hide_filters)

We will be using Zoom and you will be provided with a link to access the videos that come with the course.

If you are interested then please email Ray Khan [rev.stjohns.bromsgrove@gmail.com](mailto:rev.stjohns.bromsgrove@gmail.com)



**JOYCE WILKES:** It is with sadness that we share the news that our good friend Joyce Wilkes passed away earlier this

month, aged 94 years. She had moved to live with her daughter, Margaret and family, in Warrington just before Christmas.

Joyce will be remembered for her kindness and generosity towards those less fortunate than herself, her sense of humour and her forthright way with words. She and Harvey, her late husband, were members of St Godwald's Church for many years. Joyce will be sadly missed.

Joyce's funeral will take place on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> February 11am at The New Church, Culcheth near Warrington, followed by a Cremation.

Janet Hewer



**PETER ROSE:** It was with great sadness we received news of Peter Rose's death on Monday, 1st February. Peter and his family joined St Godwald's in Rev David

Tonge's time and quickly became involved in its work. Peter was a tenor in the church choir and was enthusiastic about its participation in church worship, whilst he and his wife, Christine, both keen walkers, formerly established a monthly Rambling Group, which included a yearly 'long weekend' away. Peter had three great loves: his family, his music and his garden. He had a quiet sense of humour and was a loyal friend - always willing to offer help without any expectation of return. When he and his family decided to join their daughter, Emma, on the Isle of Wight, St Godwald's said goodbye to them with regret knowing they would be sorely missed. Many bonds to St Godwald's remained and have continued. It was no surprise to those who knew Peter that he was soon a member of the choir at their church in Bembridge - this time accompanied by both Emma and his granddaughter.

We send his wife, Christine, and daughter, Emma, and family our sorrow and our love. Peter will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

Kath Pitt

**DIOCESAN e-NEWSLETTER:**

The Diocese issues a fortnightly newsletter by email containing lots of news and ideas for churchgoers.

To receive it go to the home page of the Diocese <https://www.cofe-worcester.org.uk/> scroll to the foot of the home page and insert your email address in the box provided (beneath Sign Up).

## **THE FINANCIAL IMPACT OF COVID-19**

As you know, the financial impact of COVID-19 on the church is enormous. Please keep setting aside your weekly offerings. Ask for envelopes if this would help.

If you can make a one-off gift to the church at this time, or take out a standing order in favour of

St Godwald's, this would be very much appreciated.

Our bank details are:

NatWest, 124 High Street, Bromsgrove, B61 8HJ

Account Name: St Godwalds PCC

Sort Code: 60 04 05 Account No: 03326136

If asked, this is a business account.

Thank you!

You can also use the **QR code** below to take you to the giving page for St Godwald's on the website:



## **CONTACT DETAILS:**

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***NB: David's days off are from 5.00 pm  
Wednesday until Thursday evening.***

**Heather Evans - our Parish Administrator**

Heather's hours are 9.30am-1.30pm on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. In order to provide Heather with a COVID19 safe environment, the parish office, Ruth Heald Room, toilets and kitchens at St Godwald's are now to be considered 'out of bounds' please. Heather welcomes visitors but please arrange this in advance and all visitors must wear a face mask. Heather's email is [pa.bromsgroveparish@gmail.com](mailto:pa.bromsgroveparish@gmail.com) and the office telephone number is 577759.