



ST MICHAEL'S BRAINTREE

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General Information

Vicar	Rev Nigel Adams	01376 807662
	<i>(Nigel's day off this week will be Saturday)</i>	
Churchwardens	Lesley Davey	01376 326969
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- **No collections are taken during services. Offerings may be placed in the box or on the plate near the door, before or after, and please use the nearby Gift Aid envelopes if possible. Thank you.**
- A supervised crèche is available for preschoolers at the 10.00 am service. One of the helpers will contact you if there is a problem. Please note that parents/carers are responsible for their children before and after the church service.
- There are toilets under the tower (including disabled) and in the crèche.
- Large-print hymn books and notice/service sheets are available.
- Braille hymn books are available.
- There is an induction loop for the hard of hearing. Please switch your hearing aid to the T position.
- Sermons at 10.00am and 6.30pm can be accessed via the church website.
- Where applicable, words of songs are reproduced under CCLI Licence No. 2350
- Contact Margaret Kinniburgh to add items to the Notice Sheet (by noon **Thursday**) email: notices@stmichaelsbtree.co.uk. Telephone 01376 330013.

If you are new to St Michael's, welcome! If you would like someone to contact you, please leave your details in the collection box by the door. Or use the contact tab on the website: www.stmichaelsbtree.co.uk

Name(s).....
 Address.....
 Telephone

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Today

10th February 2019 - 4th before Lent Stewardship Sunday

8.00am	Holy Communion – Rev Nigel Adams
10.00am	Morning Worship
10.00am	Junior Church
6.30pm	Holy Communion/Meditation
7.30pm	Focus Youth Group

**Please join us for refreshments after the 10.00am and 6.30pm services
This Week**

Full details of venues and contacts in LINK magazine 'Practical Information'

11 Monday

12.15pm	Spotlight
7.30pm	White Horse Tavern – Church House
7.30pm	Bell Ringing
7.45pm	Life Explored – Church House
8.00pm	Badminton

12 Tuesday

1.15pm	Tiddlywinks
8.00pm	First Priority Prayer meeting – Church House

13 Wednesday

9.45am	Meeting Point Bible Study – Church House
10.00am	Holy Communion – Rev Nigel Adams
7.45pm	Bible Reading Group – Church House
8.00pm	Lifebuilder Bible Study – 2 Hollybrook

14 Thursday

3.30pm	ASK
7.30pm	Rose Hill Bible Study

15 Friday

2.00pm	Bradbury House Service
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17 Sunday

3rd before Lent

8.00am	Holy Communion – Rev Colin Fairweather
10.00am	Morning Worship – 'Destruction foretold' – Jirka Kralovi, Crosslinks
4.00-5.30pm	Mission Tea – Church House
6.30pm	Evening Worship – 'The Elect One's vindication' – Canon John Turton
7.30pm	Focus Youth Group

10.00 a.m.
Morning Worship

Service Lead: *Jennifer Bailey*

1-4: Notices, Welcome and Greeting

Hymn: MP 1221

5-6: Confession

Bible Reading: Proverbs 3: 1-10
(page 636)

Louisa Fisk

Hymn: MP 870

Bible Reading: 2 Corinthians 8: 1-15
(page 1164)

Stephen Siddle

Hymn: MP 40

7-8: Creed

'Our Stewardship' - *Cyril Bamforth*

9-11: Prayers

Graham Savill

Hymn: MP 887

Sermon: 'Stewardship Sunday: the overflow of grace'

Rev Nigel Adams

Hymn: MP 1046
(offering brought forward)

13-16: Blessing

6.30 p.m.
Holy Communion

Service Lead and Celebrant:

Rev Nigel Adams

Reading: Luke 19: 1-10 (page 1058)

Janet Bamforth

Prayers: *Richard Richardson*

Sermon: 'Stewardship Sunday:
Zacchaeus'

Rev Stephen Bailey

Thank you: Norman and Joyce would like to thank everyone for their prayers both during and after Norman's surgery and hospitalisation. Norman is now home and making good progress.

The Electoral Roll is effectively our list of church members. Every sixth year, it has to be completely revised and 2019 is such a year. If you wish to stay on the Electoral Roll (or to be a new member), you will need to fill in a form. Members of the Parochial Church Council will be in touch with each person on the Electoral Roll, over the next few weeks, with a renewal form. Applications to join the Electoral Roll need to be with Sandra Savill by Sunday, 24th March.

For your prayers:

Unwell: Helen Hopkins, Ann Mahood, Derek Chapman, Norman Plastow, Ken Sillett, Jim Wild, Alison Davey, Elaine Stoodley

Housebound: David and Anne Harvey

Other Matters: Mission of the Month: Crosslinks

Our Mission Partners:

- ACTS: Joanna Ilboudo and her team in Burkina Faso.
- Tim and Charissa Cooke (Counties) and their Make Jesus Known outreach based in Manchester.
- Chain Foundation (Uganda): Ruth, Stone & Florence.
- Joel Wicks (and family) training for ordination at Oak Hill College.

Dates for your diary:

NOTICES

17th February

Mission Tea (see notice)

23rd February

Church and Church House Working Party (see notice)

2nd March

Women@St Michael's Saturday School (see notice)

21st March

Women@St Michael's Meal (see notice)

LINK Magazine: the February edition is now available (30p).

Life Explored is an informal and relaxed seven-week course. Whoever you are, whatever you are thinking, Life Explored is a place for you to discover the greatest gift in the universe. It is being held on Mondays, 7.45-9.00pm in Church House, starting with light refreshments. If you'd like to find out more, please contact Nigel or Jo Adams (01376 807662).

Mission Tea: we are delighted to welcome Jirka & Keira Kralovi, our Crosslinks mission partners, next Sunday. As well as speaking in the 10am service, we will also be having a Mission Tea from 4.00-5.30pm, in Church House, when we will be able to hear more about their work amongst students in the Czech Republic. Please sign up on the sheet at the back of church **today**, if you are planning to join us.

Church and Church House Working Party: will be held on Saturday, 23rd February from 9.00am. Time for a Spring clean! Please see poster for details and let Dave Marriott know if you are able to help.

Women@St Michael's: Saturday School with Sarah Hayward will be held on Saturday, 2nd March 9.00-12.30pm. A future date for an evening meal at The White Hart is Thursday, 21st March.

SMASH Club 2019: 'I want playtime', 'I want team time', 'I want us together time', 'I want Bible time'. 'I want me time.' The question is; do you have time for **SMASH CLUB 29th July - 2nd August?** If 'Yes' please book it. See Emma, Ed, June or Andy.