## **Welcome To Christ Church Longridge**

This Week	Today	Notices
This Week  Mon 27 <sup>th</sup> 10amCraft Club 7.30pm Ladies Guild –Speaker Clem Talbot on "Gideons International"  Tue 28 <sup>th</sup> Wed 29 <sup>th</sup> Thu 1 <sup>st</sup> 7.30pm Lenten Course "Everybody welcome" Session 2 Fri 2 <sup>nd</sup> 7.45am: CTL Prayers St Wilfrid's 10am- 12noon: Coffee Morning 12-1.30pm Lenten lunch at St Paul's followed by Women's World Day of Prayer Sat 3 <sup>rd</sup> 9.30am Christ Church Ramblers  Prayer from the congregation Rota: Mar 4 <sup>th</sup> Ian Lawson Mar 11 <sup>th</sup> Sue Lawson Friday Coffee Rota Mar 2 <sup>nd</sup> Mrs L Grange Mar 9 <sup>th</sup> Mrs B Murrant  Next Sunday March 4th 2012 (Lent 2) 9am Prayer Breakfast 10.45am: Holy Communion led by Rev Helen Higgin- Botham 6.30pm: Evening Worship led by Rev S Mark Slaney	Sunday February 26 <sup>th</sup> 2012 (Lent 1) 10.30am Prayer Corner 10.45am Morning Worship Led by Mr Ernest Wrennall (URC preacher from Leyland) 6.30 pm Evening Worship Holy Communion led by Our Minister Rev Helen Higgin-Botham Jesus: The Good News –Joe: Someone who heard the Good News and accepted Jesus Prayer from the Congregation Creator God, we pray for your troubled world: for the many places where daily life must go on amid violence and destruction, pain and loss of life; where fear and uncertainty infect the present moment and undermine hope in you. In your mercy, allow the aid agencies access to all who are in need: symbols that the world has not forgotten them. We pray for Homs in Syria, Kabul in Afghanistan, Mogadishu in Somalia and for people in need everywhere. In the Name of Jesus. Amen.  Prayer for the congregation page 23	Notices  Next Church Council meeting is on Tuesday March 13 <sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm  Walk for March 3 <sup>rd</sup> (Cuddy Hill)—a week earlier than normalwill be a six mile figure of eight, centered on Woodlumpton, featuring field paths and two stretches of canal Following the recent census of all Methodist Churches, the resulting statistics for the Lancashire District and in particular the Preston Ribble Circuit are published in the foyer. They make interesting reading. —Geoff  Lent lunch on March 9 <sup>th</sup> is at Christ church. Volunteers needed, and if you are able to help then please see Pam The list of vestry stewards, door stewards and coffee stewards for March to May is now on the notice board. Any problems - speak to Geoff  Methodist Year of Prayer The Lancashire District has embarked on a project to produce a-prayer-a-day during 2012. Christ church has offered to send a block of 14 prayers and the aim is to collect them at Christ Church by the end of February. Please confirm your willingness to take part as soon as possible to Hazel Scott  Readers in Worship —The list of volunteer readers is being revised. If you would like to be involved in this way, please add your name and contact details to the list on the noticeboard  Items for the notices should be given to Margery Cook or sent by email at cook71marg@talktalk.net or by phone to 01772 786914 by Thursday
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