

# Welcome to Christ Church Longridge

## This week...

**Mon 25<sup>th</sup> 10am** Crafts Club

**Fri 29<sup>th</sup> 7.45am** CTL prayers St Wilfrid's

Also **10am-12 noon** Coffee Morning

Also **7pm** Music Makers - Exploring and preparing for worship in Lent and Easter.

### Coffee Rota

Fri Jan 29 Rev E Hodgkiss

Sun Jan 31 June & Judith

Fri Feb 5 Audrey Barnes

Sun Feb 7 Sue and Sheila

### Prayer from the Congregation

Jan 31 C Spencer

Feb 7 J Spencer

### Next Sunday : Jan 31<sup>st</sup>

**10.45am** Morning Worship

led by Rev Nigel Lemon

Retired URC Minister from Penwortham

**4.00pm** Circuit Service for Healing and Wholeness at Trinity Gregson Lane. A quiet reflective service with communion on the theme of 'The Light of Christ.'

**Please contact Carol Rose today if you would like help with transport.**

Minister: Rev Ray Borg

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## Today

**Sunday January 24th**

(Epiphany 3)

**10.30 am**

Prayer Corner

**10.45 am**

Worship led by Mrs Zoe Ainsworth.  
Methodist Preacher from Ingol

**3.00pm**

Circuit Service for Homelessness  
Sunday at Central Methodist

**6.30pm**

CTLG United Service at St Wilfrid's for  
the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

### PRAYER FROM THE CONGREGATION

Dear Lord. During the winter months, when the days are dark and cold, we pray for all those who are homeless or alone. We ask that you will make us 'good neighbours', giving, where possible, of our money, our time, donations of food, as well as our prayers, to help those who are less fortunate than ourselves. Amen

**Prayer for the Congregation P 26**

## Notices...

**All are very welcome to all our activities.....**

**Mon Feb 1<sup>st</sup> 7.30pm** Christ Church Guild meets again. 'The Adventures of a Suitcase' by Jean Clark.

**Sun Feb 7<sup>th</sup> 12.30pm** CHURCH COUNCIL /MEETING

This is an important opportunity for us all to show our support and be involved in the ongoing work and witness of Christ Church. All welcome.

**Thu Feb 25<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm** in church. The first in a Lent series over four Thursdays exploring the Church's 'One Mission' and our part in it. Please see accompanying leaflet .

**Sun Feb 28<sup>th</sup> 3.00pm** in church. A launch meeting about an opportunity to engage in a week of spiritual retreat. Please see accompanying leaflet and application form.

**Sincere thanks are expressed** for all donations received over Christmas in support of our District Partnership Initiative in Sierra Leone. The total raised was £137.

**Steward/Coffee Rota: March – May.** Please indicate your availability for duties on the chart by February 7<sup>th</sup>.

**The Messenger:** Please pass any items for the next edition to Rob, John or Carol Spencer by February 14<sup>th</sup>.

**Items for the notices to Carol Rose by Thursday, please.**

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