

Christ the King, Bradley Stoke

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FINANCIAL UPDATE – THANK YOU!

Thank you to all those who have amended their financial giving to CTK. We're pleased to announce that together as a church we've covered the £10k deficit for the year. Praise the Lord! If you were intending to give but have yet to do, please consider doing so as we still need to replace a boiler and replenish the fabric fund.

EASTER BAPTISMS

If you have yet to be baptised and wish to be we are considering doing some baptisms on Easter Sunday. Please let Revd Chris know if you are interested - chris@bradleystokeparish.org.uk

ELECTORAL ROLL

In preparation for our parish annual meeting on Sunday 29th April we are now reviewing the Church Electoral Role. If you are a regular member of CtK, over 16, and wish to take an active part in church business, and not already on the list, then you should complete an application form (available in the foyer or from the office) and return it via the collection box or church warden. The closing date is Monday 2nd April.

IT TAKES TWO – WEDNESDAY 21st MARCH

Care for the Family are running a course entitled 'Building a Lasting Marriage' in Swindon. Details on the notice board or to book call 029 2081 0800.

Prayer for the week:

Gracious Father, you gave up your Son out of love for the world:

lead us to ponder the mysteries of his passion, that we may know eternal peace through the shedding of our Saviour's blood, Jesus Christ our Lord.

This Sunday

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10.00 a.m.

Family Service

1 Chronicles
18: 8-36

"Deliver us from evil" –
God is our strength

6.30 p.m.

Holy
Communion

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Sunday 25th March

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10.00 a.m.

Morning
Worship

Rev 21: 1-6

"Your is the kingdom for ever & ever"
God is eternal

6.30 p.m.

'Streams' Cafe
Style Service

DATA CONSENT FORMS

In order to comply with the new General Data Protection regulations which come into effect in May we now need your specific consent to hold your data and contact you by email (including this bulletin), phone or include your details in the Church Directory (to be reprinted after the Annual Meeting). A new Parish Data Consent Form is now available which needs to be completed and returned to the church office. A separate Children's and Young Persons Consent Form is also available for parents/carers whose youngsters are involved in church youth activities, including Trailblazers, 4mation and Sunday Club.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to Charlotte W and Chris on the birth of a little boy, 8lb 4oz last Tuesday. Both Lucas and mum are home and doing well.

THE HOTCHKISSES ARE MOVING!

Mary is going to continue her training in a different Parish after Easter. We are having a farewell lunch on the 25th March after the service. It will be a 'Bring and Share' lunch with a bit of praise and worship afterwards. All are welcome.

EASTER CROSS

A team are planning to erect the Easter cross on the Aldi roundabout as in previous years. Please can you help on Maunday Thursday (28th March) evening? If so contact the office or speak to Rev Chris or Simon Greener.



Safeguarding:

The Parish of Bradley Stoke takes the safety and security of all seriously. If you have any safeguarding concerns with regard to children, young people or vulnerable adults please contact the local Parish Safeguarding Officer, Sue Cale, or email safeguarding@bradlestokeparish.org.uk to make initial contact.