

# Welcome

Our church news-sheet for Long Marston, Meon Vale, Welford, Weston and Quinton,

**Sunday, 5<sup>th</sup> January 2020 to**

*The second Sunday of Christmas*

**Sunday, 26<sup>th</sup> January 2020**

*The third Sunday of Epiphany*

**A very special New Year welcome to everyone sharing in our church services.**

Our news-sheet needs details of **your events** and **your news!** The deadline for the next issue is **Wed, 29<sup>th</sup> January.**

## **Martin Greenwood**

A thanksgiving service for the life of Martin will be in St Peter's, Welford on Tuesday, 14<sup>th</sup> January at 1'30 pm.

**MENS BREAKFAST Saturdays 11<sup>th</sup> January and 1<sup>st</sup> February** served in Welford Church Rooms at 10 am.

## **Confirmation 2020**

Bishop Robert will be coming to conduct a Confirmation Service on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> May at 4 pm. Confirmation is an important part of our Christian journey when we 'confirm' the promises made for us at our baptism.

Confirmation is open to both young people and adults. I suggest that young people should be in school year 6 or later. There will be preparation sessions for both young people and adults, which will provide a good way to explore your faith with others and ask any questions about God, Jesus and the Journey of Faith. If you would like to know more, please contact Ros (01789 751546) ASAP.

## **Benefice Information**

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## Supporting Meon Vale

We are setting in place a specific way for those who would like to give regular financial donations towards the work on Meon Vale. All gifts will be restricted solely to support the development of an emerging 'church' and Christian ministry in Meon Vale and, in time, on the airfield development. If you would like to know more about supporting this exciting ministry on our doorstep, please talk to Andrew Goy 720485, or to Ros 751546



**Messy Church** at both Meon Vale and Welford resume in February.

Meon Vale – Sat 1<sup>st</sup> Feb. at 4'00 pm and Welford on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb. also at 4pm.

## The Real String Orchestra

Welford Church is hosting a concert by the Orchestra at 7pm, on Saturday, 14 March 2020. The Real String Orchestra, is based in Stratford Upon Avon and the concert promises to give the audience powerful performances of string classics under the baton of Tori Rushton. For more details contact Ian Grundy 750006 or Tim 751546

## Welford Memorial Hall:

'Drop In' coffee mornings from 10 – 11'30 every third Wednesday of the month.

**Board Games** each second Tuesday from 2'00 – 4'00 pm

**Birmingham City Mission** – Please contact Jan (750329) if you have any items for the Mission.

## Weston

**Peaceful, prayerful, time-out with God:** Evening Prayer (BCP) at 2'30 pm. every Wednesday afternoon in Weston Church

## SUNDAY 5<sup>th</sup> JANUARY

### Quinton

11'00 am Family Service

### Long Marston

9'30 am Holy Communion

### Weston

11'00 am Holy Communion (BCP)

### Welford

9'30 am Morning Praise

## SUNDAY 12<sup>th</sup> JANUARY

### Quinton

11'00 am Holy Communion

### Long Marston

*No service this week*

### Weston

9'30 am Morning Prayer BCP

### Welford

9'30 am Morning Praise with Communion

## SUNDAY 19<sup>th</sup> JANUARY

### Quinton

11'00 am Songs of Praise

### Long Marston

10'30 am Breakfast followed by a service at 11am.

### Weston

9'30 am Holy Communion (BCP)

### Welford

9'30 am All Age Praise

## SUNDAY 26<sup>th</sup> JANUARY

### Quinton

11'00 am Morning Praise with Communion

### Long Marston

*No service this week*

### Weston

*No service this week*

### Welford

9'30 am Holy Communion