All Saints, Great Braxted All Saints, Inworth All Saints, Messing St John the Baptist, Layer de la Haye St Luke, Tolleshunt Knights with Tiptree St Mary, Easthorpe

St Mary, Layer Breton with Birch

St Mary, Layer Marney

St Michael and All Angels, Copford



To be a transforming presence in our community, open and welcoming to all and serving all

Sunday 31st March 2024, Easter Day

<u>Today's Services & Readings</u> Acts 10:34-43; Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24;

1 Corinthians 15:1-11; Mark 16.1-8

St Mary, Easthorpe Hymns 107, 112, 114

9 am Holy Communion Revd Michael Hatchett

St Mary, Layer Marney Hymns 110, 113, 115, 120

9 am Holy Communion Revd Christine Newmarch

St Luke's, Tiptree

9.30 am Family Communion with Admission to Holy Communion

of Joe Whittle Revd Anne-Marie Renshaw

Hymns 381, 519, 359, 533, 420, 751

St John the Baptist, Layer de la Haye

10.30 am Holy Communion Revd Ruth Hatchett

Hymns 256, 315, 346, 522 (old hymn book)

St Michael, Copford

10.30 am Holy Communion Revd Michael Hatchett

All Saints', Great Braxted Hymns 147, 153, 160

11.15 am Parish Communion Revd Liz Barnes

All Saints', Inworth Hymns 100, 563, 355, 503

11.15 am Parish Communion Revd Anne-Marie Renshaw

All Saints', Messing Hymns 267, 324, 355, 503

11.15 am Parish Communion Revd Christine Newmarch

<u>Sunday Morning Resources Online</u> to find our sermons, readings &

intercessions please visit our Team website: thurstablewinstreechurches.org

See over page for events & weekly notices for the next two weeks ...

Sunday 7th April 2024, Easter 2

<u>Today's Services & Readings</u> Acts 4:32-35*; Psalm 133; 1 John 1:1-2:2; John 20:19-31

St Mary, Layer Marney

9 am Morning Prayer Graham Howlett

St Luke's, Tiptree

9.30 am Family Communion Revd Liz Barnes

Hymns 743, 87, Amazing Grace – my chains are gone, 15, 777

St John the Baptist, Layer de la Haye

10.30 am All-age Worship Revd Michael Hatchett,

Revd Christine Newmarch & All-age Team

All Saints', Great Braxted

11.15 am Parish Communion Revd Liz Barnes

Hymns 145, 174, 609

St Mary, Easthorpe

6 pm Evensong *Revd Christine Newmarch*

Hymns 105, 110, 160, 256



Bishop Roger will be taking part in a Sleep Out event in Castle Park in Colchester on Saturday, April 20th, to raise money for the Mayors charities. One of these is Beacon House, of which Bishop Roger is Patron.

Get in touch with Christine Hall if you would like to make a donation or take part.

Church weekday opening times for private prayer & visitors: please go to the Team website: thurstablewinstreechurches.org and click on the dropdown menu, 'Our Churches'.

The next two weeks in our churches: Mon 1st to Sat 6th April

Mon 1st 11 am Messing Easter Egg Hunt, on the Green

Tue 2nd 10 am Tiptree House Groups meet at Jenny & Christine's

Tue 2nd 12 pm Funeral of Patricia Pinder at Tiptree URC

Wed 3rd 10 am Layer Breton Pop-up Coffee Shop. We are open until

11.30 am; with collection for Tiptree Foodbank

Fri 5th 1.45 pm Funeral of Geoffrey Rowe, Colchester Crematorium

Sat 6th 1 pm Wedding of Adam Pennick & Heather Pennick,

at Messing

Sat 6th 4 pm Wedding of Charlie Rumbold & Charlene Duffield

at St Luke's

St Luke's Tiptree, regular events this week: No Morning Prayer this week

Bank Holiday Mon: no Parent & Toddler or Bible Study this week; Thur, 10 am Holy Communion (join us for coffee afterwards at 'The Exchange'); Thur 2-4 pm Tiptree Food-bank is Open (at Tiptree URC), with Citizens Advice on site

Mon 8th to Sat 13th April

Tue 9th 2 pm Funeral of Christopher Vincent at Layer de la Haye

Wed 10th 10 am Coffee Morning at Copford Church, 'til 12 noon

Wed 10th 10.15 am Messing Coffee Morning at the Village Hall

Wed 10th 8 pm Village Voices, at Layer de la Haye Village Hall. Details

from Debbie 01206 331898, dwalsham63@gmail.com

St Luke's Tiptree, regular events this week: No 9 am Morning Prayer

Mon, 9.15 am Parent & Toddler; Mon, 7.30 pm Bible Study on Zoom;

Thur, 10 am Holy Communion (join us for coffee afterwards at 'The Exchange');

Thur 2-4 pm Tiptree Food-bank open (Tiptree URC, Chapel Rd)

Diary Dates & News

The Ministry Team would like to wish everyone a joyful and blessed Easter

<u>After Easter</u>: **Zoom Bible Studies** resume on Monday 7th April, Morning Prayer at St Luke's resumes on Tuesday 16th April, and <u>JB Tots</u> next meet on Thursday 18th April.

<u>Preparation for Confirmation</u> will begin after Easter, please contact Anne-Marie if you are interested in finding our more.

<u>Tiptree Food Bank</u> - this week we need: his & hers shampoo, tinned meat and Long-life milk. Thank you for your support.

Donations can be taken to: the United Reformed Church Thursdays 2-4 pm, St Luke's Church any day 9 am-4 pm (place in the yellow box) or The Original Factory Shop.

St Luke's Church Office, please note that the office will be closed on Tuesday, 2nd April and 4th April, while I am on annual leave. Please contact me and leave a message, 07421 078981 thurstableteamadmin@btinternet.com or if urgent, please contact Revd Liz Barnes. Many thanks, Christine.

<u>Urgent Request: St Luke's desperately need more people to join the sanctuary team</u> (to carry the cross and candles), as we no longer have enough people to do this every Sunday. If you would like to find out more about this, please speak to Wendy Borgartz, 01376 573184.

<u>Choir Practice dates, St Luke's</u> we are breaking for Easter on Wednesday 3rd & 10th April, resuming on Wednesday 17th.

<u>Witham Deanery are seeking a Secretary</u> to take minutes for Deanery Synod 3 evening meetings a year and for 3 daytime meetings (of the Standing Committee) a year. The role will be paid at between £12 - £14 per hour. To find out more please contact Simon Garwood <u>simongarwood@simonliz62.plus.com</u>. Applicants do not already have to be Synod members.

<u>Jazz at St Luke's with The Andy Brush Quintet</u> is on Saturday 27th April, at St Luke's Church hall, Tiptree. Doors open at 7 pm for 7.45 pm, and tickets are £12 from 'The Computer Guys' in Tiptree and from: <u>foslbookings@gmail.com</u> or call the church office and leave a message 01621 819557. Refreshments will be available in the interval for a donation. *Raising funds for the Friends of St Luke's*.

<u>Layer de la Haye APCM Reports 2024</u>, please send any outstanding reports to Christine Hall: <u>thurstableteamadmin@btinternet.com</u> by <u>Thursday 4th April</u>.

<u>Tiptree with Tolleshunt Knights and Great Braxted APCM</u>, please send your reports to Christine Hall by <u>Thurs 11th April</u>. <u>thurstableteamadmin@btinternet.com</u>

APCM dates 2024

Sunday 21st April **Inworth** 12.15 pm, after the service; Tuesday 23rd April, **Copford** 3 pm in church; Thursday 25th April **Easthorpe** 8 pm in the Church Hall Mon 29th April 7.30 pm **Layer de la Haye;** Tuesday 23rd April **Layer Breton** 10 am; Sunday 2nd May **Messing** 7.30 pm in church; Sunday 11th May **Tiptree with Tolleshunt Knights and Great Braxted** 11 am; Wednesday 22nd May, **Layer Marney** 8 pm in church – *please note change of date.*

Get in touch – our contact details:

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St Luke's Hall bookings: Gareth Williams, 01621 818069 hall.stlukestiptree@btinternet.com