

### **Building a House of Prayer**

*We pray for some of our church family each week.*

Peter & Margaret Parkin, Pat Partington, Geoff Peel, Janet Pinchbeck, Chas Price, Andy, Caroline, Leon & Gemma Przybylko, Barrie & Carole Read, Helen Richards, Josie Riley

#### **This week we also pray for:**

Vi Briggs, Margaret Hart, Rev'd John Bishop, Vi Scattergood, Mark Murphy, Ann Jacklin, Hayley Kalinins, Ryan Ursell, Carol Hanser, Lance Hogarth, Tim Sumpter, Michael Hackney, Mike Cole, Ivy Johnson and Ron Anderson.

Alice Sault-Bates, diagnosed with Auto-Immune disease which has attacked her liver, and her Parents Matt & Jo & Brother Archie.

Peter Wallace as he takes a career break to work with Tearfund in Haiti for 12 months from 3<sup>rd</sup> Jan 2012

Gemma Crammond and her family following the her Father's funeral this week

Louise & Simon Gregory and family following Louise's Father's funeral this week

#### **Pastoral Care Group**

If you have, or know someone who has, specific pastoral care needs please contact one of the group leaders:

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#### **Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> Feb 2012**

8.00am H/C at All Saints

9.15am M/W at St Stephen's

11.00am All Age at All Saints'

6.30pm H/C at All Saints'

#### **Notices for the Next News Sheet to be issued w/c 30<sup>th</sup> January 2012**

Any notices to be included in the News Sheet, must be with Moira Dick by **no later than 5 pm on Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> Jan 2012 Thank you.**

## **The Parish of Ockbrook and Borrowash All Saints' Ockbrook and St Stephen's Borrowash Church News**

**Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2012 – 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Epiphany**

**Welcome** to our services, particularly if you are with us for the first time. If you would like to find out more about us please fill in one of the cards in the pews at All Saints' or St Stephen's and we will be in touch.

#### **SERVICES:**

##### **All Saints'**

8.00am Holy Communion  
Rom 13: 1-7; Matt 8: 23-34

11.00am Morning Worship  
Mark 1: 21-34

##### **St Stephen's**

9.15am Holy Communion  
Rev 12: 1-5a; Mark 1: 21-34

4.00pm Said Service

Prayer Ministry is available after the 9.15 and 11.00am services. Prayer is available for every form of healing; to aid progress in our faith; for the filling of the Holy Spirit; for development of spiritual gifts and anything else you'd like to bring to God. For more information please speak to the Co-ordinator Betty Tyler.

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## Diary dates

<b>Sunday</b> 4pm – 5pm	<b>29<sup>th</sup> January</b> Inspire Youth Group Meeting at 70 Green Lane, Ockbrook
<b>Wednesday</b> 10.00 am 7pm	<b>1<sup>st</sup> February</b> Holy Communion at St Stephen's Briar Close Service
<b>Thursday</b> 7.30 pm 8.00 pm	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> February</b> Bell Ringers meet at All Saints' Music Group Practice at All Saints'
<b>Friday</b> 7.30pm	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> February</b> Choir Practice at St Stephen's
<b>Monday</b> 2pm	<b>6<sup>th</sup> February</b> Widow's Meeting at 70 Green Lane, Ockbrook

### Outward Giving

The PCC are reviewing the outward giving to charities in 2012. We hope to distribute this locally, nationally and internationally. If you know of any organisations that we should consider as beneficiaries, please contact Martin Shaw (Treasurer) on 661569 or [Martin.shaw13@ntlworld.com](mailto:Martin.shaw13@ntlworld.com).

### Children's Society

I'd like to thank everyone who has given to the Children's Society during 2011. As a result of your generosity I've been able to send £903.04 to the Society. £401.04 from the house collection boxes and £502 from the Christingle Service - £140.00 of that from the New Street housegroup.

Thank you all very much for your continued support. Sheila Exley

### Inspire Youth Group Meetings in January

The meetings will take place at 70 Green Lane, Ockbrook during the month of January whilst the renovation works take place at the GLH. Thank you to Sheila Bye for opening your house to host our meetings.

Moiria Dick & all the Youth Group Leaders

### Message from the Vicar:

I have now been off work since the All Age Service on Christmas Day 2011 and thankfully my health has begun to improve. As a result I have decided to return to work in the parish earlier than initially proposed. I therefore write to inform you that I shall begin a **phased return to work** commencing Wednesday 1st February 2012. It has been strongly recommended that I settle back into my parish work in a measured way, which is what I intend to do.

May I take this opportunity to thank you all for your understanding and patience over the last few weeks. I have been overwhelmed by all the messages of support and prayer that I have received. I am looking forward to seeing you all very soon and resuming responsibility in church. Rev'd Tim Sumpter.

### Prayer Ministry Group

The next training meeting for the Prayer Ministry team will be at 8pm on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> March at 163 The Ridings, Ockbrook (Home of Elaine Bonser).

Jeffrey Fewkes will be leading a seminar on '**How to hear from God.**' This will be a practical session! All those involved – and any others who would like to consider joining the team – are welcome. There will also be the opportunity to share prayer ministry experiences and to pray for each other.

Jeffrey Fewkes

### DEANERY SYNOD MEETING 13TH MARCH 2012

On the evening of 13th March 2012 the Deanery Synod Meeting will be taking place at St Stephen's Church with the Bishop in attendance at this meeting. Vanessa Anderson would appreciate help with opening up the Church, setting tables up, refreshments and clearing up afterwards. If anyone can assist, please contact Vanessa Anderson on 01332 820156

### Church Building Fund

The sale of cards/diaries has raised a further £135.21 plus £47.00 raised from the baking of bread/quiches in the last few months - total £182.21. This has been allocated to the Church Building Fund.

**Thank you** to everyone who has helped to raise this money. Janet Pinchbeck and Tuesday Homegroup.