

## COLLECT:

Eternal Father, who at the baptism of Jesus revealed him to be your Son, anointing him with the Holy Spirit: grant to us, who are born again by water and the Spirit, that we may be faithful to our calling as your adopted children; Through Jesus Christ your Son who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

### Prayer this week – PLEASE PRAY FOR:

#### ***Those unable to join us:***

Mabel Raffe, Monica Edwards, Rene Hall, Reg Draper, Wendy Martindale, Poppy Milner and Muriel Evans.

#### ***Those sick or recovering from operations:***

Doreen Bryce, Jean Watts, Jean Griffiths and Hannah Tierney, Pauline Evans, Shirley Lewis and Tommy Allen.

#### ***Bereaved:***

Please pray for the friends and families of Barbara Champion, Joyce Thomas, Marjorie Parker, Maureen Kelly, Ron Curtis, Gail Cowell and Frank Sloan recently bereaved.

#### ***Mission:***

www.om.org – Operation Mobilisation works in over 110 countries, motivating and equipping people to share God's love with people all over the world. OM seeks to help plant and strengthen churches, especially in areas of the world where Christ is least known.

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# WELCOME TO



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moreton

## SUNDAY 7<sup>th</sup> January 2018

If you're new or visiting today we hope you feel at home and enjoy the service. Please visit the welcome desk at the back of church if you'd like to know more about who we are and what we do as a church. If you would like us to keep in touch with you and haven't filled in a Welcome Card yet please do so.

We have toys at the back of Church for the very young children, our Sunday clubs are for school age children during the 10.45 service.

### SERVICES TODAY

**9.00 am Holy Communion (BCP)** –  
Pressing on Philippians 3:1-14

**10.45 am Family Worship** – Pressing  
on Philippians 3:1-14

**6.30pm Café Church** with communion.  
*If you're there God, why don't you  
prove it?*

### REFRESHMENTS

Please join us for tea and coffee in the parish centre after our morning services today. We would love to meet up and get to know you better.



### PRAYER MINISTRY



Would you like prayer for something? Members of our Prayer Ministry Team are available to pray with you today if there is anything specific you need prayer for.

“But one thing I do: forgetting what is behind and straining towards what is ahead, I press on towards the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenwards in Christ Jesus.”  
Philippians 3:13-14

## OPEN CHURCH

Christ Church is open Monday to Friday each week at 12 noon to 1.00 pm. Please make the most of this chance to have a place to be quiet and pray during the day.



## LIGHTHOUSE

‘The Lighthouse’ tea bar is open on Mondays and Tuesdays each week from 9.30 am to 11.00 am please drop in for a drink and a snack.

## DIARY FOR THE WEEK

### Home groups restart this week

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> – 6.30 pm PCMT meeting

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> – 7.45 PCC meeting

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> – 10.45 Ron Curtis’ funeral

### SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY 14<sup>th</sup> January

**9.00 am Morning Prayer** – Citizens of Heaven (Philippians 3:15-21)

**10.45 am Family Communion** – Citizens of Heaven (Philippians 3:15-21)

**6.30 pm Café Church** – If I can be forgiven everything, doesn’t that mean I can do what I want?

**JANUARY NEWSLETTER NOW AVAILABLE**



## THE BIG CHRISTMAS CARD

Thank you to everyone who signed the card and donated the money they would have spent on Christmas cards, we raised a massive £350.00. This is enough for a medical camp and mosquito nets for those in need. This will help the poorer of the poor would never get the chance to get any medical help.

Thank you

## RON CURTIS

Ron’s funeral will be held on Friday the 12<sup>th</sup> January 2018 at 10.45 am in Church then on to Landican. Refreshments will be served afterward in the parish centre and Gwen and Graham all are welcome.

Home group notes available at the back of Church

Dark brown leather three piece suite is in need of a good home if you or you know anyone who needs one please speak to George and Helen Anders or contact the office



This February half term we will be launching our school holiday party called F.I.S.H. (Which stands for Fun & Food In School Holidays) on Wednesday 21st February from 12.30 to 2.30pm.

We will provide a yummy lunch, games, craft and as much fun activities as we can stuff into two hours. The love of God and the gospel will be shared to all the families attending. Would you be interested in volunteering? (We need help behind the scenes too) If so, please let Kat know.