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BARBY NEWS

St. Mary's Church will be open on Saturday, 4th April, 12 noon to 2.00-pm.

Soup and a roll, pies and cream, tea or coffee will be available for £4.50. Games and activities for children. All proceeds go to keeping this ancient building going.

The church will also be open on Saturday, 9th May, 2.00-4.00pm, when Cream Teas will be available.

St. Mary's Annual Vestry meeting and Annual Parochial Church meeting will take place in the church on Thursday, 23rd April, at 7.30pm, to which all those on the church Electoral Roll and others who have an interest in church matters are warmly invited

WANTED! New Brownies and Rainbows

Rainbows (girls aged 5 to 7 years) meet on Wednesdays during term time at Barby School, 5.30 to 6.30pm, with **Brownies** (girls aged 7 to 10 years) meeting from 6.30 to 7.30pm. Lots of interesting and fun activities. If you would like to join, please contact Brown Owl on 01788 891299.

Garage Sale – This year's Garage Sale will take place on Sunday, 14th June, from 10.00am to 2.00pm. Now is the time to tackle the loft, garage, spare room or wherever you hoard all those things that might one day come in useful, but never do! They might be just what someone's looking for. Contact Karen (891299) for more information.

A DATE FOR YOUR DIARY - ST.MARY'S CHURCH FETE, AND DOG SHOW, SUNDAY 28TH JUNE.

More details to follow.

BENEFICE NEWS

Messy Church – on Tuesday, 21st April, from 4.00 – 5.30pm, in the URC chapel in Kilsby.

Children with parents/carers very welcome from Barby and Kilsby. Come and join us for crafts, activities, songs and tea. – all free.

Northamptonshire Historic Churches Trust:

The NHCT exists to make grants for the care of churches in Northamptonshire. In recent years it has made total grants of circa £45,000 per annum. Participating churches in the annual Ride and Stride are considered favourably to receive a grant towards the upkeep of our churches.

We'll be very grateful to any who feel they can take part in the year's Ride and Stride, which takes place on Saturday, 12th September. More details later.

KILSBY NEWS

St. Faith's Annual Vestry meeting and Annual Parochial Church meeting will take place in the church on Thursday, 23rd April, at 7.45pm.

St. Faith's Social Committee:

Thank you to everyone who supported the Afternoon Tea on 26th February, and the Quiz on 7th March. £131.50 and £392.60 respectively was raised for church funds.

There will be a Coffee Morning, on Tuesday, 5th May, 10.30-12 noon in the Kilsby Room at the Village Hall. So please come and bring your friends and neighbours to enjoy a nice cup of coffee and some lovely cake.

We shall be decorating the church for Easter services on Saturday, 4th April. Please come along and help us to make the church look splendid. We shall start at 9.30am; there will be tea and biscuits. We will need plenty of help, so please do come.

Kathy Jenkins

Service at Stephenson Court, Thursday, 16th April, at 11.00am.

'Springing into Life' – service led by members of the congregations.

St. Faith's 100 Club – February winners:

£120 (16) J. Prendergast. £70 (74) D. Humphreys. £45 (80) L. Edwards.

£45 (35) B. Asbury. £20 (66) D. Longmore.

KILSBY UNITED REFORMED CHURCH

Services at 11.00am

5 th April	Mrs. Bobbie Wakeleigh Jones
12 th April	Mr. John Perkins
19 th April	Mr. Trevor Boys
26 th April	Revd. Conrad Husk (HC)
3 rd May	Revd. Michael Bond

Guild Meetings at 2.15pm:

14th April: Mrs. Bobbie Wakeleigh Jones

28th April: Share a special event in your life.

(Items for the May Newsletter should be sent to Ann Maiden, 6 Castle Mound, Barby, or to maidenann@aol.com by the 20th April, please).

CALENDAR of SERVICES for APRIL 2015

Holy Week

2nd April

Maundy Thursday

7.30pm: Holy Communion St. Mary's Revd. Ken Baker

3rd April

Good Friday

10.00am: Walk of Witness – from St. Faith's to URC Chapel

2.00-3.00pm: Quiet hour St. Mary's Revd. Ken Baker

4th April

Easter Eve

6.30pm: Compline St. Faith's Revd. Ken Baker

5th April

EASTER SUNDAY

8.30am: Holy Communion St. Faith's Revd. Doug Spenceley

10.00am: Parish Communion St. Mary's Revd. Doug Spenceley

12TH April

The Second Sunday of Easter

8.30am: Holy Communion St. Mary's Revd. John Stevenson

10.00am: Family Service St. Faith's Angela Squire

19th April

The Third Sunday of Easter

8.30am: Holy Communion (BCP) St. Faith's Revd. Liz Cowley

10.00am: Family Service St. Mary's Gilly Beardmore/
Mark Lane

26th April

The Fourth Sunday of Easter

8.30am: Holy Communion St. Mary's Revd. John Stevenson

10.00am: Parish Communion St. Faith's Revd. David MacPherson

3rd May

The Fifth Sunday of Easter

8.30am: Holy Communion St. Faith's Revd. Doug Spenceley

10.00am: Parish Communion St. Mary's Revd. Doug Spenceley

Children's Workshop in hall/church

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