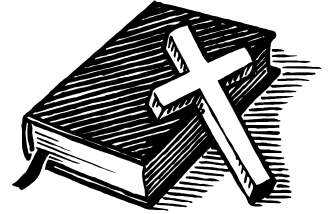




## IN EAST CENTRAL BRISTOL



### MISSION STATEMENT:

“CREATING COMMUNITIES OF WHOLENESS WITH CHRIST AT THE CENTRE AND TO WORK TOGETHER TO PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES TO ACT AS A VISIBLE CHRISTIAN PRESENCE.”

**PLEASE THANK GOD FOR: (A VERY BUSY TIME!)**

**CHRISTMAS CAROLS:** ON SATURDAY 16 DECEMBER CAROLS WERE SUNG ON CHURCH ROAD AND IN BARTON HILL, AND £200.00 WAS RAISED FOR THE SALVATION ARMY.

**LENTEN GROUPS AND AGAPE:** 3 LENT GROUPS WERE HELD AT THE SHORE GALLERY, LED BY REV. ANGIE HOARE, FATHER GREGORY GRANT & ROB EASTON, THE 4TH GROUP FORMED PART OF THE AGAPE CELEBRATION AT ST LUKE'S ON 12 MARCH. £130.58 WAS COLLECTED AT THE AGAPE FOR THE JESSIE MAY TRUST.

**WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER:** HELD ON 7 MARCH, THE SERVICE WAS HELD AT ST PATRICK'S CHURCH AND INCLUDED PARTICIPANTS FROM OTHER CHURCHES IN OUR AREA INCLUDING CROFTS END, ST GEORGE BAPTIST, SUMMERHILL & THE SALVATION ARMY.

**GOOD FRIDAY PROCESSION & ECUMENICAL SERVICE ON TROOPERS HILL:** THIS EVER-POPULAR EVENT ATTRACTED LARGE NUMBERS EVEN THOUGH IT WAS VERY COLD AND BLUSTERY. UNDER THE BANNER OF 'CHURCHES TOGETHER' WE WERE JOINED BY CROFTS END, ST AIDAN'S, ST AMBROSE, ST GEORGE BAPTIST, SUMMERHILL, HOPE CHURCH, PLUS MEMBERS OF THE 4 LOCAL CHURCHES. £283.00 WAS RAISED FOR CHRISTIAN AID.

***A BIG THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO ORGANISED, HOSTED, PARTICIPATED AND ATTENDED THESE EVENTS.***

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

**WHIT SUNDAY PROCESSION, ECUMENICAL SERVICE, PICNIC & GAMES:** ON SUNDAY 11 MAY, A PROCESSION WILL START FROM ST AIDAN'S CHURCH AT 2.00 PM, & WILL PROCESS INTO NAGS HEAD HILL, SUMMERHILL CHURCH, CHURCH ROAD, CHALKS ROAD, INTO ST. GEORGE'S PARK. THERE WILL BE AN ECUMENICAL SERVICE IN THE PARK AT 3.00 PM AND FUN & GAMES FOR THE CHILDREN. YOU ARE ASKED TO BRING ALONG YOUR OWN PICNIC AND REFRESHMENTS. PLEASE SEE YOUR E&C TEAM MEMBER BELOW FOR DETAILS OF WHERE YOUR CHURCH CONGREGATIONS WILL BE JOINING THE PROCESSION.

**CHURCHES TOGETHER AGM & ENVIRONMENTAL CONFERENCE:** 'CREATION WAITS. . . OUR CALLING TO ENGAGE WITH THE ENVIRONMENTAL CHALLENGE'. ON 11 JUNE, AT ST LUKE'S CHURCH WE WILL BE HOLDING A VERY BRIEF AGM AT 7.00 PM—7.20 PM, AND THE CONFERENCE AT 7.30 PM—9.15 PM. KEYNOTE ADDRESS BY REV. DR CHRIS SUNDERLAND, CO-ORDINATOR OF AGORA AND DIRECTOR OF CHOUSEDAY. THE CONFERENCE WILL COMPRISE OF 2 WORKSHOPS AND REFRESHMENTS WILL ALSO BE PROVIDED.

***WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AT THESE EVENTS.***

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