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WELCOME to St Winfrid's Church @AFC Totton

Sharing Jesus' love in the community

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***Be joyful always, pray at all times, be
thankful in all circumstances. This is
what God wants from you in your life in
union with Christ Jesus.
1 Thessalonians 5:16-18***

Worship opportunities

Sunday services are held at 11am, with coffee served from 10.30

We worship in the Monarch Suite, AFC Totton's Testwood Community Stadium, Salisbury Road, Totton, SO40 2RW, while our own building is being repaired and refurbished.

Today's service: 10th March 2019 (1st Sunday in Lent)

Morning Prayer

We meet at the Rectory on **Fridays at 9.15am.**

Sunday Night Live

Christian Music to Inspire and Encourage every **Third Sunday** of the Month
7.30 – 8.30 pm

Cell groups meet during the week:

Wednesdays 5.30-7.30pm Peter's cell group
8.00pm Margaret's cell group
Thursdays 1.00pm Joyce's cell group
Fridays Lesley's cell group are meeting informally for coffee.

If you'd like to join one of these groups, please speak to Mike.

CHURCH BUSINESS

St Winfrid's Annual General Meeting

This will be held at AFC Totton on **Sunday 7th April**, directly after morning worship.

Prior to the AGM, we need to

- Sign up to our new electoral
- Nominate Churchwardens
- Nominate members for the new DCC

All the forms we need are on the welcome table – please take what you need, complete them and return them to the box on the table.

OPPORTUNITIES TO GO DEEPER

Pilgrim Course

Our nurture course takes place on **Tuesdays at 7.30pm** at the Rectory, and in cell groups.

Messy Church

Our next Messy church is “Messy Easter” and takes place at St Winfrid's on Saturday 6 April from 2.00 to 5.00pm. All are welcome; children please bring an adult or two with you.

Worship event at Central Hall, Southampton

Doug Ross from Central Hall & Big Church Day Out in Southampton would like to invite us to an awesome Worship Tour that is coming to Central Hall with Housefires (Writers of Good Good Father).

They are hoping for a full house (800) and would love this to be a city wide worship night. **25th March 7.30pm**

Tickets costing £16 are on sale from www.bigchurchtickets.com

WHAT'S GOING ON SOCIALLY?

Quiz Night at AFC Totton – a chance to get involved with this community!

There's a quiz night on March the 14th between 7.00pm and 10.00pm at the football club.

It's a charity event raising funds for Wessex Heartbeat and they are looking for teams of 8. It's £10 per head and includes and pie and chips supper.

Shall we send a team along? Contact Mike (07711 308012) or Tony (07501 336708) if you're interested.

Trinity Church invite us to a showing of the film “A Plastic Ocean” on **Sunday 24th March 3pm for a 3.30 start**, followed by questions and tea, then the option to stay for an **Evening Service** which will be theme related, starting at **6.30pm**.

Easter Coffee Morning at St Anne's

We are invited to St Anne's on **Saturday 6th April** from **10.00am – 12noon** for their Easter Coffee Morning, including a Spring Flower in a Tea Cup competition!

Deanery Lent Appeal

We recently received the following appeal from Antoine, the Principal of Kigali Theological College and University:

“The Rwanda Parliament now requires ALL Christian Ministers to have a University Education, a bachelor's degree and a valid

certificate in religious studies. This means further training which can be ill afforded.” On our visit to Rwanda in 2016 we found that many pastors carrying out valuable work in remote communities have little or no cash income – so little hope of finding the means to travel to Kigali and to enter a long period of study and training. The Deanery Rwanda Mission team have decided to use the 2019 Lent Appeal to offer vital help. The Deanery has good links with the University; please help to provide BURSARIES for Pastors to continue in Ministry.

Ickle Village - update

Ickle Village stops on 23rd March when Laura Pike relinquishes the business after more than two years.

Laura has handed over the business to her assistant Jade who will operate it in a slightly different way. Jade will bring some new ideas and deserves every chance to succeed. Signifying this change, the new operation is being called ‘**Lottie Tots Street**’. Look it up (www.lottietotsstreet.co.uk). The strapline is ‘Imagine, play and explore’.

Jade is open to building stronger links with the church so it looks like a good outcome for now at least.