

**Mon**  
11<sup>th</sup>  
May

Praise God for our church family, and how we support each other during lockdown. Pray that everyone will benefit from the love of those around them.

**Tue** | 2pm Toft Fellowship on Zoom  
12<sup>th</sup> | evening Home Group Zooms  
May

Pray that we will continue to use our time wisely and prayerfully.

**Wed** | evening Home Group Zooms  
13<sup>th</sup>  
May

Praise God for Hope Central, and the volunteers helping those in need.

**Thu**  
14<sup>th</sup>  
May

Pray for the housebound, and those in care homes, that they will recognise God's love in those who look after them.

**Fri**  
15<sup>th</sup>  
May

Praise God for all working in the health and care sectors, for their commitment to their patients and clients.

**Sat**  
16<sup>th</sup>  
May

Pray for all those being abused in any way during lockdown, that they may receive the help they need and find a place of safety.

### Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> May (Easter 5)

#### Knutsford

From Joint YouTube service  
10.15am

**Toft** Joint YouTube service  
From  
10.15am

I will praise you, O LORD, with all my heart; I will tell of all your wonders. I will be glad and rejoice in you; I will sing praise to your name, O Most High.

## Sunday 10th May 2020 (Easter 4)

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### The Collect

Almighty God, you alone can order the unruly wills and passions of sinful men: grant that your people may love what you command and desire what you promise so that among the many and varied changes of this world our hearts may be firmly fixed where true joys are to be found through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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## St Johns Knutsford

**As all church services are on hold, you can see a joint service for both churches, which will be broadcast today, 10<sup>th</sup> May, at 10.15am on YouTube.**

Our URL is

<https://www.youtube.com/stjohnsknutsford>

Everyone is invited to the Zoom after-service coffee-time at 11.15. Email the office for the log-in details if you haven't received them.

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Our current online services last about 45 minutes.

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## St Johns Toft

Please join St Johns Knutsford on YouTube at 10.15 for our joint service.

**In the middle of a crisis? Sick? In need? Not sure what to do next?** We have friends in Knutsford & Toft you can talk to. Call Nigel (K632834) or our pastoral team leader Anne (07436 112305)

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**Days off:** Thursdays: Richard; Fridays: Helen; Saturdays: Nigel, Chris J

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## **12-SECOND THANKSGIVING CHALLENGE**

Would you like to be part of a sequence of short films, posted on the church family Facebook page, in which we acknowledge the blessings from God we have experienced, even in lockdown? The challenge is to film yourself, saying what you are grateful to God for, *in 12 seconds ONLY*, and then send that to Richard for collating with what others produce. To do that, please use your phone camera in the *landscape* mode. If you keep it short, you may be able to attach that to an email and simply then send to Richard at: [rbreeve@mace.net](mailto:rbreeve@mace.net) (If yours is too big a file to email, please get in touch with Richard to discuss another method.) The *deadline for films is Thursday 21 May*.

## **HOPE CENTRAL**

Hope Central needs this week: rice, sugar, cordial, soup, instant mash, tinned meat, tinned fish, tinned veg – except mushy peas- pasta, and pot noodles. Thanks to everyone's generosity Hope Central are able to provide food to all those in need. Please take to the Welcome or leave in the red bin in the Co-op.

## **YOUNG @ HEART**

The May and June meetings are cancelled. We will assess the situation re our Afternoon Tea in July. Everyone, please take care of yourselves and adhere to the Government Guidelines. May God bless and keep you, Chris & Diana Jones

## **NORTHWEST GOSPEL PARTNERSHIP TRAINING - TASTER EVENING**

Following the cancellation of the last one, due to Covid 19, we would like to try and deliver a Bible-handling taster session via Zoom on the evening of Thursday 11 June. If you would like to be part of that please be in touch with Richard at [rbreeve@macace.net](mailto:rbreeve@macace.net) People who have already undertaken NWGPship training are also welcome.

## **LOCAL SUPPORT**

A group has been set up to provide help for Knutsford people in need of help with shopping, prescription collections etc. during this period of restrictions. They have a Facebook group at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/weareknutsford/?fref=nf> or can be phoned at 0800 1181692. Their help email is [help@weareknutsford.org](mailto:help@weareknutsford.org)

## **CORONAVIRUS:**

We continue to follow the Church guidelines and will modify arrangements as necessary. Keep an eye on Facebook and the church website for up-to-date information. The office is open remotely, contactable via office email or phone, 9.00-12.30 weekdays.

## **ALL AGE YOUTUBE**

9.00am on Sunday

There are 2 playlists of songs on our YouTube page: Songs To Lift Your Soul and Songs for all Ages.

Chris J

## **TOFT FELLOWSHIP**

This is continuing on Zoom, on Tuesdays at 2pm, until further notice. Please contact Helen for details. (07714 58261 or [heccles@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:heccles@yahoo.co.uk))

## **PRAYING TOGETHER - KNUTSFORD AND TOFT**

We can pray together via Zoom on Wednesday May 6th at 8pm. Lots of folk participated in this gathering last month, from both Knutsford and Toft, and it seemed to be greatly appreciated. To be part of that you need to receive an invite from Richard in advance. To receive yours send an email to [rbreeve@macace.net](mailto:rbreeve@macace.net) with the subject: "Please send me an invite for the Prayer Gathering". We look forward to seeing you then.

## **MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT**

There is a new NHS Mental Health Crisis Line open to provide access to Mental Health 24hour Support run by NHS CWP Trust staff. This telephone line is for anyone who may need support in and across Wirral, Cheshire West and Cheshire East. Anyone can call and talk to a dedicated Mental Health Professional, including children, young people to all adult age groups 24/7. The number is 0300 303 3972.

## **LADIES BOOK GROUP**

On Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June all those ladies who wish are invited to get together to discuss the book All That's Good, by Hannah Anderson. It will either be a Zoom meeting or at a venue to be announced, depending on the circumstances. Order your book now from 10ofThose, Eden or Amazon and you'll have time to read it!