



*Flowing streams, bringing life*

## God hurts too

I have known that my job in a small charity has been at risk for some time: funding for the voluntary sector has been getting increasingly precarious over recent years as austerity bites into every pore of society. I was not prepared, however, to be told a few weeks back that I was to be made redundant at the end of August! I have been incredibly fortunate since leaving university to have always had work. I am on my fourth career! I have had opportunities to retrain, work in the public, private and third sectors, including as a minister, chaplain and broadcaster before joining People & Work ([www.peopleandwork.org.uk](http://www.peopleandwork.org.uk)) 11 years ago, working with people in disadvantaged communities. The irony is that as an industrial chaplain I sat alongside many who were facing troubling times in work, including redundancies, factories closing, 'business process redesign' (a euphemism for losing jobs or applying for your own!). I remember listening and sometimes speaking, even getting myself into difficulties sometimes with those in power for daring to comment on how such seismic life changes can affect people. Now it was my turn! I have an incredibly supportive boss and group of colleagues and I realised how much this was painful for them, too. This was the last thing they wanted and we had all tried all

manner of fund-raising. A lot has happened since that difficult day in February! Firstly, we have secured a little more funding, delaying my exit until at least the end of the year and there's the hope of more! We are always only a year or two away from such things happening! We are not out of the woods yet, but there is hope! Why am I telling you this in Lent?! Certainly not to elicit sympathy! Recent news from New Zealand and Mozambique provides a shocking perspective. Many people have been made redundant multiple times, some cannot find employment at all or, as I see too often, suffer the indignity of in-work poverty (zero hours, casual labour, low wages). I see children every week coming to a community centre for food, for instance (outrageous in the 21<sup>st</sup> century!). No, I mention my precarious situation because it's a very small reminder that in the midst of life, we are always surrounded by uncertainty, change, loss and challenge. It is also to remind myself what I have often said (sometimes glibly?): *it's not the person who is redundant, it's the job!* I am still me, a person for whom God has plans (finding out what these are is another matter!).

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I am reminded of a verse in Isaiah 43 (1b):

*“Do not fear, for I have redeemed you;  
I have called you by name,  
you are mine.”*

For me, Lent is about standing still for a moment to reflect on who we are, why we are here and the question of God: who is, what is God in all this? Lent reminds us that Jesus sensed loss and his own demise even in the midst of apparent popularity and success. He spent 40 days and nights in the wilderness facing his own demons, wept over the death of a close friend and sweated blood as he prayed desperately for release in the garden of Gethsemane. God as seen in Jesus is never remote and austere but close and present, whether we sense him or not. God experiences all our sorrow and stress and through that pain, God takes himself and us into resurrection! I find Timothy Rees' hymn, 'God is Love' really helpful and especially relevant for today:

“God is love, and is enfolding  
All the world in one embrace;  
With unfailing grasp is holding  
Every child of every race;  
And when human hearts are breaking  
Under sorrow's iron rod,  
That same sorrow, that same aching  
Wrings with pain the heart of God.”

Happy Easter!  
*James Hall*

# CHURCH NOTES

## Family News

This past month has been, and continues to be, a very difficult time for many members of the Beulah community. I hope you will understand that for this edition I have only been able to write the family news.

We were sorry to hear of the death of Tony Vinall at the end of February. Tony, with his late wife, Jean, had been a member of Beulah for many decades and gave great service to the church including as an elder. He will be missed by his many friends and neighbours, and we send our sympathies and prayers to Sue, Judy, Tim and all the family. The funeral service was a great tribute to Tony, and many of his closest Beulah friends contributed to make it the kind of day he would have wanted.

We then received the sad news of the death of Jennifer Collins, who had been in hospital for several months. A quiet, gentle lady, Jenny will also be greatly missed by her friends and family. Our thoughts and prayers are with her husband, Jeff, her children, Paul and Rachel, and her sister, Ann, along with

all of their families. We are grateful to the Revd. Roger Bidnell for conducting her funeral service, in which some of her Beulah friends also participated.

This week has seen the sudden and unexpected death of Elaine Edwards, who was one of our serving elders, Junior Church leader, Youth Fellowship leader and Drop-In leader. Elaine has given so much to both Beulah and the wider church, particularly in all her work with young people and there are not sufficient words to express our feelings on the loss of such a dear friend at far too young an age. We offer our loving support, sympathy and prayers to Ann, Colin, Jonathan, Vicki, Becky and Elinor. Funeral arrangements for Elaine will be shared when they are known.

Our thoughts and prayers are also with Mary and Mike Warsop on the sudden death of their brother-in-law, who was also a close friend to them both.

Several friends have received medical treatment this month, at home or in hospital, or are unwell, and

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Mrs Barbara Rhys,

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we think of Cathryn Hales, Alex Quinlan, Marg Jones, Mary Warsop, Vera Williams, Rob Owen, Ben Wilson and Peter Stevenson. At the time of writing, Carol Coleman is seriously ill in hospital, and our hearts and prayers go out to Chris, Steven, Tracey

and all the family as they wait and hope for better news.

We send our warmest wishes to Vera Williams who has moved to a nursing home following her hospital treatment, and hope that she settles in quickly.



**CHRISTIAN AID WEEK -  
12 – 18 MAY 2019**

The focus of Christian Aid Week 2019 is on maternal health and a reduction in infant mortality in Sierra Leone.

Sierra Leone is the world's most dangerous place to become a mother:-

- 10 women die every day in giving birth
- 1 in 9 children don't live to 5 years
- 10% of health workers died in the last Ebola virus outbreak

Women should be able to look forward to the birth of a child with joy and hope, however for most women in the poorest of countries this is not the case.

Jebbeh was heavily pregnant and her main emotion was one of fear. Her sister Fatmata (living in a nearby village) was also pregnant. When she went into labour there was no ambulance available, she had no option but to walk in the baking sun to the nearest hospital (some 3 hours away). Jebbeh explained "My sister was crying out with hunger, she died at the side of the road without giving birth". As she movingly says "All mums should live". Jebbeh herself

gave birth to a healthy baby but her worries for herself and her growing child are not over.

In Soula village health centre there is only one nurse (Nurse Judith) who was instrumental in saving the life of Tenneh's second child (her first child died).

These are horrifying and almost unimaginable facts which this year's Christian Aid Week's fundraising is aiming to address, namely that women don't routinely die in childbirth and that babies are safely delivered. To this end they are helping to support the Rehabilitation and Development Agency (RADA) in rebuilding and equipping health centres in villages in Sierra Leone.

In addition the Christian Aid Week focus for Schools and Youth projects is Women/Girls' Education in Sierra Leone.

Despite the fact that charity house-to-house collections have mostly been discontinued, the local Christian Aid office still feel that this is worthwhile as a lot of money continues to be raised. Our collections over the last 3 years have been falling and this is reflected in the Cardiff Local Authority CAW fundraising:-

€16 - £66,544

€17 - £64,720

2018 - £58,075

A total of £189,339 has been collected in the last 3 years. Since 2012 they have raised £434,477 during Christian Aid Week and are hoping to raise £65,523 to reach a target of £500,000 this year.

We have decided that for the Beulah house-to-house collection 2019 we will reduce the number of routes from 48 to 30, concentrating on houses in the Beulah vicinity. The list of routes will be placed on the noticeboard in the vestibule from the middle of April, and if you feel that you are able to collect this year then that would be great (but no pressure, we can only do what we can do!)

We have also decided to use the Whittaker Lounge during Christian Aid Week for displaying information and for collecting donations via a tin and envelopes. Many thanks to Christine, Barbara and Louise for allowing the takings for Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May to be donated to this cause, so please turn up to have a cuppa with us and swell the coffers.

*With love and grateful thanks  
Lynne*

## BEULAH THEME, 2019: Flowing Streams, Bringing Life

At the February Church Meeting, many interesting suggestions were made as to how to carry this year's theme forward. The Elders looked at the ideas and they have been collated into groups, with possible suggestions as to how they might be implemented. The table *alongside* shows all the collated ideas. We don't want to add to the load that people already have, but perhaps groups could bear these ideas in mind when planning their normal activities. Some are already under way!

If you think you could help with one of the ideas, either as part of a group or as an individual, please let Anne James or Louise know. We will not cover all of these ideas, but it would be great if some could be tried. They are your ideas – we need you to realise them!

### Greenbelt- save the date!

Greenbelt is an inspiring and exciting Christian Arts Festival that runs every August Bank Holiday. This year it is the 23<sup>rd</sup> -26<sup>th</sup> August. It takes place in the beautiful, landscaped grounds of [Boughton Estate](#), Northamptonshire, three miles from Kettering town centre. The weekend is packed with music, workshops, performances, debates, talks, activism, faith and worship. There are events for families, youth and the more mature that run throughout the day and night. Greenbelt sustained and developed my faith as a teenager, allowing me to experience many challenging speakers, styles of worship and Christian rock bands. It is a camping festival, but has glamping and indoor accommodation options also. I am keen to attend and take a group from Beulah and other Cardiff URC churches. We already have a couple of people interested from Beulah. Booking prices are on a sliding scale, if you book before the end of April it is £165 per adult and £50 per youth, Fri to Monday, covering the August bank holiday. I hope we can organise transport.

Come and talk to me or Fiona L. if you want to know more, or look at their website <https://www.greenbelt.org.uk/info/> and save the date. *Marianne Barwise*

### More Family News

We are pleased to send love and congratulations to Alun and Marg Jones as they celebrate their Blue Sapphire (65<sup>th</sup>) Wedding Anniversary this week.

Congratulations also to Denise Dickman, who will be celebrating a special birthday later in April.

Congratulations, too, to Edward Hampson who married Mariana on March 1st in St Patrick's Church, Tobago. There will be a Wedding Blessing for the happy couple in Beulah on Friday April 19th at 4;00 p.m.

Finally, we send love and congratulations to Michael Williams (Ruth and Gavin's son) on the occasion of his marriage to Catherine this weekend. We hope that the sun has shone for them, and wish them every happiness in their life together.

*Blessings,  
Louise.*

### YOUTH STRATEGY GROUP

At a meeting earlier this year this group took the decision that its work has run its course and is no longer needed in its current form. It was also agreed to discontinue the monthly 'All Age Junior Church' sessions.

Elders accepted these decisions and would like to express the thanks of the church for all the work that has been done by the members of the group over the past few years.

# Theme Ideas

<p><b><u>Worship &amp; Faith Development</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To continue with monthly theme Sundays, as far as is practical</li> <li>• A river/stream walk with stops for prayer, meditation etc; Linking other churches?</li> <li>• Keep theme below surface in planning for other services</li> <li>• Use as basis for theme on Caldey retreat</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Creative</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wall art – water theme – eg Canolfan wall a river, or Graffiti Jesus biblical water scenes</li> <li>• Art installation on balcony panels showing flow of a stream</li> <li>• Some sort of collage in Canolfan of a river, adding posts through the year showing what the church is doing throughout the year</li> <li>• A knitted stream</li> <li>• Textiles – pulpit falls</li> <li>• Pottery</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>Junior Church &amp; Young People</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A stream project along the brook: identifying fish, fauna etc;</li> <li>• A conservation project with other youth groups in the area; link with local schools</li> <li>• Find out how to conserve water &amp; tell people about it</li> <li>• Fund raising (eg for Toilet Twinning) – with fun!</li> <li>• Use theme as basis for Holiday Club activities</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Eco Church &amp; Environment; KIN Campaigns and Fundraising</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Campaigning to parliament with other churches re environmental issues</li> <li>• Establish a church ‘gum tree’</li> <li>• Raise awareness of use of water in cotton production: hold a sustainable Fashion Show</li> <li>• Encourage further conservation of water in Beulah buildings &amp; gardens, &amp; at home</li> <li>• A project to encourage growth of water conserving plants</li> <li>• Raise awareness of use of water in fracking</li> <li>• Raise money for charities such as ‘Water Aid’</li> <li>• Support Toilet Twinning – church &amp; Canolfan, &amp; at home</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>Social:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A walk along a river , with waterfalls</li> <li>• A bike ride along the River Taff</li> <li>• A walk to include a picnic for all ages – a river, with somewhere for all to meet altogether.</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Community Related:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Involve others in a stream walk</li> <li>• Publicity about events etc.</li> <li>• Engage with Canolfan users – perhaps encouraging water conservation</li> <li>• MWL – a place to re-fill water bottles</li> </ul>

# Concerts at the Crossroads

Wednesday April 24th at 1.05pm

## The Roberts family from Rhiwbina

Elen – double bass; Hannah – viola;  
Catrin – saxophone  
with Emyr – piano

All three of the summer concerts in Beulah - April, May and June, feature outstanding young musicians at the end of their formal training and on the brink of their professional careers.

Elen and Hannah Roberts both study at the RAM in London and are already involved in orchestral life. Younger sister Catrin is a National Eisteddfod and Urdd prize- winner. This is a wonderful opportunity to support a local, extremely musically gifted family.

**More lunchtime recital dates for your diary**

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> May at 1.05pm

**Mari and Elin Kelly – harp**, Both harpists from the RWCMD

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June at 1.05pm

**Laura Deignan – clarinet**  
**Sioned Evans – piano**

Laura was last years Stoutzker Prize winner at the RWCMD  
The RWCMD's highest musical award

**Tickets £5 on the door as usual.**

*All are welcome!*



*Croeso i Bawb!*



Volunteer required for the Whittaker Lounge on a Wednesday,  
1 morning in 6 weeks.  
If you feel you could help please contact Christine Pugh

## BIG DAY OUT

The Synod 'Big Day Out' will take place on Saturday, 29<sup>th</sup> June at the Royal Welsh Showground, Llanelwedd. It will take the form of 'a festival in a day', exploring what it means to be followers of Jesus in the twenty first century. There will be a range of activities through the day, including: music, storytelling, craft, talks and discussions, as well as quiet spaces and time to meet old friends and new. It is intended for all ages – you can come as individuals or families.

Kaye Mundy is co-ordinating registration for Beulah.

Registration is free, and there will also be a free coach provided for those who wish to travel that way, with friends from other churches. There will be a sign-up sheet soon – registration needs to be completed by May 28<sup>th</sup>.

Many Beulah people have enjoyed Big Days Out in the past, and we would encourage as many people as possible to go this time.

You may remember three years ago that we had the 'Yellow Bags' – this time we are invited to design a poster to take which is intended to represent the discipleship of each church. If you would be interested in helping to create the poster, please let Louise know.

## Early Notice - Summer Holiday Club!

To lovely parents and super-lovely helpers, just a short note to let you know that the elves are stirring, and Beulah Holiday Club is going to run this year for three days, Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> to Friday 26<sup>th</sup> July). Please make a note in your diaries. Further details to follow!

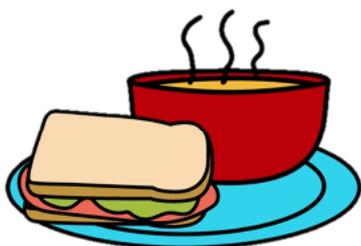
*Andy Wales*

## AGM, April 29<sup>th</sup> 2019

Please make a note of the date for this year's AGM. Please could all organisation representatives prepare and present a brief report to give to the meeting. Please bring a second copy to go with the Minutes.



## Thank You!



Both of us (George and Simon) would like to say a huge thank you to all those who attended, and contributed towards, our recent winter warmer. Thanks to your support we raised over £750 towards our trip to the jamboree. We hope you all enjoyed it and we are one step closer to our 3,760 mile journey to the World Scout Jamboree. Thank you again and we will be sure to give you a run down on all the madness we get up to at some point in the future.



# CHURCH CALENDAR

## APRIL

Mon	1 <sup>st</sup>	2.00p.m. 7.30p.m.	Women's Fellowship Rowan Williams Global Strategy –Christian Aid talk Ararat Baptist Church Whitchurch Common
Wed	3 <sup>rd</sup>	10.30a.m.	Mid-Week Meeting Point Church Office
Sun	7 <sup>th</sup>	7.30p.m. <b>10.30a.m.</b>	Lent Study Group City URC <b>Worship Team</b> <b>Junior Church</b>
Wed	10 <sup>th</sup>	<b>6.00p.m.</b> <b>7.15p.m.</b> 10.30a.m. 10.30a.m.	<b>United Communion Bethany</b> <b>Youth Fellowship</b> Church Office Mid-Week Meeting Point
Fri	12 <sup>th</sup>	7.30p.m.	Lent Study Group MWL
Sat	13 <sup>th</sup>	3.15p.m.	Youth Drop In MWL
Sun	14 <sup>th</sup>	10.00a.m. <b>10.30a.m.</b>	KIN Cake Stall <b>Worship Team</b> <b>Junior Church</b>
Mon	15 <sup>th</sup>	2.00p.m. 7.30p.m.	Women's Fellowship Holy Week Prayers Beulah
Tues	16 <sup>th</sup>	7.30p.m.	Holy Week Prayers Beulah
Wed	17 <sup>th</sup>	10.30a.m. 7.30p.m.	Church Office Holy Week Prayers Beulah
Thurs	18 <sup>th</sup>	<b>7.30p.m.</b>	<b>Maundy Thursday Communion Upper Room</b>
Fri	19 <sup>th</sup>	<b>9.30a.m.</b> <b>10.30a.m.</b> <b>12.00a.m.</b> <b>4:00p.m.</b>	<b>Good Friday Walk of Witness – Bethany Baptist Church</b> <b>Walk of Witness – All Saints Church</b> <b>Walk of Witness – Beulah followed by Good Friday Lunch</b> <b>Wedding Blessing of Ed and Mariana Hampson</b>
Sun	21 <sup>st</sup>	<b>8.45a.m.</b> <b>10.30a.m.</b>	<b>Easter Breakfast – Canolfan</b> <b>Revd Roger Bidnell</b> <b>Family Worship with Communion</b> <b>Deadline for Crossroads</b>
Wed	24 <sup>th</sup>	10.30a.m. 1.05p.m.	Church Office Lunchtime Concert – The Roberts Family
Sat	27 <sup>th</sup>	10.15a.m.	WRB Prayers – St Andrew's Methodist Church
Sun	28 <sup>th</sup>	<b>10.30a.m.</b>	<b>Revd Sally Thomas</b> <b>Junior Church</b>
Mon	29 <sup>th</sup>	2.00p.m. 7.30p.m.	Women's Fellowship Annual General Meeting

## MAY

Wed	1 <sup>st</sup>	10.30a.m.	Church Office
Fri	3 <sup>rd</sup>	10.30a.m. 12.00a.m.	Mid-Week Meeting Point Wedding of Rachel Morgan and Christopher Snelson
Sun	5 <sup>th</sup>	<b>10.30a.m.</b>  <b>6.00p.m.</b> <b>7.15p.m.</b>	<b>Mr Geraint Richards</b> <b>Junior Church</b> <b>United Communion – All Saints Church</b> <b>Youth Fellowship</b>



# THE WRONG SIDE OF CAERPHELLY ROAD?

**Having just benefited from the support of KIN, and from the wider Beulah fellowship, now may be an appropriate time to say a little more about the work of Good Neighbours in North Cardiff.**

Established back in 1981 - by the Llanishen Council of Churches - Llanishen Good Neighbours (LGN) as it was originally known has been supporting residents in Llanishen, Thornhill, Lisvane, Heath, Lakeside, Roath Park and most of Cyncoed for some 38 years. There were seven such good neighbour schemes which, together, covered all of Cardiff. Sadly, given the financial constraints impacting on local authorities, in 2014/2015 Cardiff Council withdrew all financial support to all seven good neighbour schemes.

The Radyr scheme ceased operation within just a few months. Age Connects (part of Age Concern) operated five of six remaining schemes but they too closed (including Rhiwbina) after a couple of years leaving LGN as the sole surviving scheme of its type in Cardiff.

In the months leading up to the decision to withdraw financial support, we had many meetings with Council committees, with local councillors, influential directors, cabinet members, the council leader (and our AM) to name but a few. We presented what was accepted as a strong business case in

support of maintaining financial support demonstrating that it would (and now does) cost the council much much more to put care packages in place, doing much of the work we could do at a fraction of the cost – all to no avail.

**We took professional advice as to how we might obtain funds to replace that lost as a consequence of the council decision, and as part of that we were advised to come up with a name which more accurately described the area we serve (much more than just Llanishen). Whilst not perfect, after lengthy research, Good Neighbours in North Cardiff was the best we could come up with (everyone's definition of north Cardiff is different!). So that's who we are!!**

We have continued to grow and presently complete approaching 2,500 jobs each year (transport, shopping and companionship) for clients who might suffer from loneliness, mobility problems, memory difficulties, confidence problems, depression, other disabilities and/or have a lack of support. Using our network of 60+ volunteers, we do not charge for our services and depend on voluntary donations as well as our own fundraising (charitable trusts, approaching businesses, local fundraising events, targeting residents etc.)

For logistical reasons, when all seven schemes were

in being, we had to have agreed boundaries and on the “western” side, we extended up to Caerphilly Road (where Rhiwbina Good Neighbours took over). Now, each week we receive requests from residents in Rhiwbina seeking our support but we simply don't have the resources to extend at this time. We have sought to conduct a feasibility study into extending to cover Rhiwbina (there are real issues of cost, volunteer recruitment, working hours, office space, equipment, computer facilities, management, grant support etc.) but Cardiff Council have twice rejected applications to support us in this feasibility study stating that they do not see us having a future and question that there is a real demand. You can understand why we are frustrated by the fact that the council continues to refer new clients to us – we will never refuse these as it would be the client who would suffer and it is not within our ethos to cause that.

There are many very worthwhile charities out there and it is sad that we each increasingly compete for the same limited pot of money which may or may not be available. As many people in Beulah who work with charities know all too well, it's a tough world out there which is why the support that we have received from KIN/Beulah is so important and so welcome. A big thank you!!

*Duncan J Pugh*



## Easter Lilies

If you would like a visual reminder of a loved one this Easter, you could donate a lily which will be used to decorate the windowsills in the church for the Easter weekend.

£4.00 will cover the cost of one name and one lily. Any money over will be donated to Cruse Bereavement Care

Please place money in an envelope with the name of the person to be remembered.

Please remember to indicate if you wish to gift aid your donation

*Many thanks  
Karen Holbrook*



# KIN

## Together we care and together we share

### Good Neighbours in North Cardiff

Many thanks to everyone who supported the recent coffee morning in aid of Good Neighbours in North Cardiff. We raised £441.23, which was superb.

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## KIN at EASTER

### Alms Bowl Collection

During Lent this year some of you may be following the Christian Aid **Count Your Blessings** booklet which contains daily reflections to help us give, act and pray for our neighbours around the world affected by climate change.

There are suggested donations which can be put aside for the Alms Bowl collection on Easter Sunday. (Please remember the daily giving amounts are only a guide). If you are not following Count Your Blessings, you are still invited to set aside money for the Alms Bowl. Thank you.

### Good Friday Lunch

Our soup, bread and cheese lunch will be held after the service at 12 noon.

This is a family meal and all are warmly invited. This year we'll be raising money for the **United Mission to Nepal's Disability Programme**, and specifically for children who are born with clubfoot.

### Easter Breakfast

The Easter Breakfast is held after early morning worship in the garden and all are very welcome. The money raised this year will go to **Space4U** drop-in for asylum seekers and refugees.

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A date for your diary ....

**Christian Aid BIG BREKKIE**  
**in the Canolfan**  
**Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> May**  
**10.30 am - 12.30 pm**

**Ready to change the world over breakfast?**

**Please come along to our Big Brekkie .**

**We'll be serving up a delicious morning meal, while raising money and campaigning to fight poverty and save lives.**

### Beulah Recipe Book.

I know a couple of you told me that you would be interested in helping create/edit this. If anyone else is interested, please let me know and I'll set a date for us to have a first meeting on it. The idea is to re-create a new Beulah Cookbook with easy (and successful) recipes for both young and older people to create. If you have a recipe or would like to help in any way, please contact me. Thanks, Eleri

# Who's Doing What and When

	Mini-Bus Drivers	Duty Elder	Stewards	Pulpit Reader
<b>April</b>				
7th	am Bill & Colin	<b>Anne James</b>	Kaye Mundy & Bev Hampson	Kate Hampson
	pm	<b>United Communion at All Saints</b>		
14th	am Huw & Giles	<b>Lorraine Larcombe</b>	Chris Phelps & Lynne Davies	Lynne Davies
18th	pm	<b>Gill Grivas</b>	<b>Mauudy Thursday</b>	
19th		<b>Jenny McDowell</b>	<b>Good Friday</b>	
21st	am Harley & Catherine	<b>Colin Grimes</b>	Diane Burton & Andrew Glanfield	Eleanor Mills
28th	am Mike & Keith	<b>Liz McCarthy</b>	Mair Haywood & Fiona Liddell	Anne Thomas
<b>May</b>				
5th	am Tony & Audrey	<b>Viv Jones</b>	Nesta Thomas & Marianne Barwise	Bev Hampson
	pm			
12th	am Bill & Colin	<b>Liz Kidd</b>	Phillipa & Giles Ballisat	Lorraine Larcombe
19th	am Huw & Giles	<b>Trix Pryce</b>	Karen Sampson & Audrey Budding	Ruth Williams
26th	am Harley & Catherine	<b>Fleur Richards</b>	Barbara Clift & John Prosser	Jenny McDowell

## Flower Rota

### April

7th Fleur Richards  
 14th Ann & Colin Grimes  
 21st Cathryn Hales  
 28th Jill & Peter Ferdinando

### May

5th Rachel & Chris..Wedding  
 12th Ann Brown  
 19th Marianne & Nigel Barwise  
 26th tba



Your parents take you to Church to be christened. Your friends take you to Church to be married. Your family take you to Church to be buried. Why can't you come on your own sometime?

*Betty Hulston*

Colin Grimes,

Huw Morgan,

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**Editors' Note**  
 The deadline for articles for the May edition of Crossroads is Sunday, 21st April and Colin will be editing.