

## Announcements

(1)The next **Congregational Committee Meeting** will take place tomorrow night, Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> February at 7.30pm.

(2)The church is open on a Wednesday morning for anyone who would like to spend time in **prayer and quiet reflection**.

(3)The Paradoxes of the Christian Faith

**Bible Study Series** continuing this Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> February at 7.30pm when, through the words of John's first letter, we will explore some of the paradoxes of our Christian Faith.

John wrote his letter to encourage certainty in the midst of a very uncertain world, to help Christians who were facing doubts and many unanswered questions. You will be made very welcome, as we explore God's word and share together.

(4)A **Women's World Day of Prayer Coffee Morning** will be held this Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> February between 10.30 and 12.00 in the Walter Nelson Hall. Please do come along and show your support. Everyone is welcome.

(5)**Baby Clothes and Men's Toiletries:** The Mission Committee would like to thank everyone for their very generous response to this appeal. We will be delivering these items to the International Meeting Point this week where they will be a blessing to many in need. The box will remain in the vestibule during February if anyone would still wish to donate. Thank you again for your kindness. Please keep the IMP in your prayers.

Next Sunday: Children's Church is with Sharon Goldie and Barbara Shepherd

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**Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2020**

### Thought for the Week

O for a closer walk with God, a calm and heavenly frame,  
a light to shine upon the road, that leads me to the Lamb.

*William Cowper*

A WARM WELCOME is extended to members and visitors to our Services today. We hope you feel at home in our Worship.

THE VISITORS' BOOK  
is in the front porch for signing.  
THE YELLOW WELCOME CARDS in the pews are  
for  
your convenience and may be placed on the  
Offering Plate.

## MORNING SERVICE at 11.30am

Organ Prelude & Preparation for Worship in quietness before God

Welcome & Announcements

INTROIT

Scripture Sentences

**PRAISE 180** Lord Jesus, when Your people meet (Warrington)

Prayer & Lord's prayer

Scripture Reading John 9:1-12 (page 1075)  
read by Margaret McCreedy

**PRAISE 75** Today Your mercy calls us (Penlan)

Talk with the girls and boys Essential – we have to have it!

**PRAISE 344** Have you heard the raindrops?  
*(Children leave for Children's Church)*

Offering & Prayer of Dedication

Scripture Reading John 9:13-34 (page 1075)

Mission Focus

Prayer of Intercession

**PRAISE 342** Before the heaven and earth (Carlisle 238)

SERMON Bad Theology

**PRAISE 280** Forth in the peace of Christ we go (Ombersley)

Benediction & Choral Amen