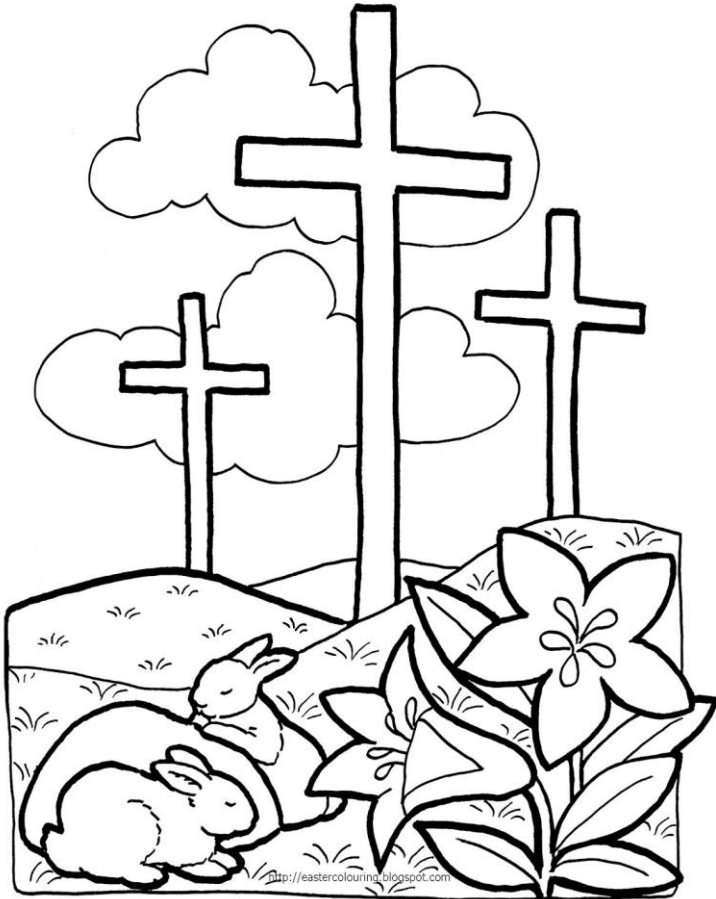


The Link

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**Alcester Minster Churches at Alcester,
Arrow, Coughton, Great Alne, Haselor,
Kinwarton, Sambourne and Weethley**

APRIL 2021

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A Message from Revd. Dr. Julian

Dear Friends,

Over these last few months of lockdown I have been reading for the first time the letters that I sent home from Bangladesh when I worked there as a missionary doctor in the 1970's . The letters are very detailed and I am quite amazed at what we managed to achieve in that very remote hospital without electricity or even running water! I was fascinated with my description of Easter there in that tiny Christian village , miles from the nearest town .

Good Friday began by driving a little nine year old boy ith an intestinal obstruction a hundred and twenty miles north to a better equipped hospital, along mud roads and across wide rivers. Despite the five and a half hour journey the little chaps condition improved and I was able to leave him in more experienced hands, returning to our thirty six- bedded hospital the following day .

"Easter morning started early in Bollobphur. At 4:30 am groups of singers with drums and cymbals began their processions around the villages. Three times they passed by the mission house before dawn. Then at dawn everyone was up and the singing of Easter hymns began at the village cemetery, where all the family graves had been tidied and scrubbed and all the families stood around the graves with candles and flowers. The church was full of happy and excited villagers for the communion service at 7:00 am. Then we had a boiled egg for breakfast , (a great treat!) followed by a quiet ward round, made even more memorable because there were no chickens to chase out."

As I look back on those years as a young doctor in that very remote hospital, where every day was full of new experiences and new challenges, I'm inspired all over again by the sheer vibrancy of the villagers who had so little in the way of security and material possessions, and yet celebrated Easter with such excitement and happiness.

Throughout the world this month tens of millions of Christian people will again be celebrating Easter, thanking God for the Resurrection of His Son Jesus Christ, and we too will be celebrating with them "Jesus risen from the grave"! This has been the message of the church for 2000 years.

To all of us the Resurrection of Jesus means a new life and a new beginning, a reassurance that he is alive and his presence can be experienced by those who put their trust in him.

"Alleluia – Christ is risen! He is risen indeed!"

May each one of us, like tens of millions of Christians across the world, share the joy of meeting with the risen Lord Jesus this Easter .

Julian



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Kinwarton, Sambourne and Weethley**

The Church office is currently closed

*Current location:
c/o 40 Horton Close
Alcester
Warwickshire
B49 6LB*

19 March 2021

Dear Church member

Easter is a special time of the year and many choose to attend church to celebrate the festival. This year, we are permitted to hold services at our churches and the good news is that almost all our churches will be offering a service on Easter Sunday.

We want to welcome you to services in the Minster Churches, but for everyone's safety we have established some COVID rules.

- It is mandatory to wear a form of face covering, unless you are exempt.
- We require you to maintain a 2 metre social distance at all times. For this reason the number attending our churches are limited. Therefore....
- **You MUST reserve a place through the Administrator if you wish to attend a service at any of the Minster Churches.**
- Those who are at extra risk and the 'clinically extremely vulnerable' are advised to refrain from attending public worship at the moment as the risk is still high, however the decision to attend is in your hands.
- Your details will be held to enable a seat to be booked and for track and trace purposes. Any information gathered in this respect will be destroyed after 21 days.
- Singing is still not permitted.

In order to avoid disappointment, please reserve your place in advance of the Sunday Service, preferably by noon on the Friday prior to the service, when the list of reservations is sent to the Churchwarden[s]. This enables them to have a list of who to expect to attend the service.

You can reserve a place by emailing administrator@alcesterminster.org or by telephone either 0784 028 4294 or 01789 763 246.

If you are able, you can view the weekly on-line Sunday service by going to the website: www.alcesterminster.org. The service is located on the front page of the website. If the service is not immediately visible, just scroll down the page. You do not need to subscribe to any website such as Zoom or YouTube. The service is recorded and can be viewed at any point during the week.

Yours sincerely,

Alcester Minster Churches, Administrator



Alcester Minster Churches

Easter Sunday Services – 04 April 2021

9.00 am	Haselor	Holy Communion
9.00 am	Kinwarton	Holy Communion
11.00 am	Alcester	Holy Communion
11.00 am	Arrow	Holy Communion
11.00 am	Great Alne	Holy Communion
3.00 pm	Weethley	Holy Communion
4.00 pm	Coughton	Holy Communion

From **Sunday 11 April 2021** **Usual Monthly Service Pattern**

<u>Every Sunday</u>	10.00 am	Alcester
First Sunday	10.00 am	Haselor
First Sunday	4.00 pm	Sambourne
Second Sunday	10.00 am	Arrow
Second Sunday	4.00 pm	Kinwarton
Third Sunday	10.00 am	Coughton
Third Sunday	3.00 pm	Weethley
Fourth Sunday	10.00 am	Great Alne

Except for Alcester, each church will alternate each month between Holy Communion and either Morning or Evening Prayer.

You must reserve a place if you wish to attend a Minster service, by emailing or telephoning the Administrator

Email: administrator@alcesterminster.org

Tel: 01789 763 246

An On-line service is available every Sunday on the Welcome page of the Alcester Minster website

www.alcesterminster.org

MINSTER EVENTS For the most up-to-date information on Minster Events please see the website calendar on the noticeboard page on the website – www.alcesterminster.org or check out the

Did you know that you can now 'LIKE' Alcester Minster on facebook?



Find details and pictures of events at

www.facebook.com/AlcesterMinster



Alcester Minster Churches at Alcester, Arrow, Coughton, Great Alne, Haselor, Kinwarton, Sambourne and Weethley

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are delighted to announce that the Reverend Katie Cross has been appointed as the next Rector in the parishes of Alcester, Arrow with Weethley, Haselor, Kinwarton with Great Alne, and Coughton with Sambourne, known as the Alcester Minster Benefice in the Diocese of Coventry, subject to the completion of all legalities.

Katie is presently Rector in the Netherexe Parishes, a rural mission community of eight parishes and ten churches near Exeter in Devon.

Katie, her husband Paul and family will move to Alcester Rectory at the beginning of April. We have yet to arrange a date for her institution service



Prayer

The Ministry Leadership Team would like you to pray for the following topics:

1. *It is now about a year since the first lockdown began, pray for all those who are struggling with not being able to see family and friends, and give thanks for the technology that goes some way to help people feel connected to others.*
2. *This time last year we were unable to be in church for Easter. This Palm Sunday let us rejoice that this year many will be able to worship together during Holy Week and on Easter Sunday.*

Lateral Flow Antigen Testing If you are taking part in church related activities with regular contact with the public, such as helping with the food bank etc. and do not have any COVID symptoms, you are encouraged to access weekly Lateral Flow Testing. This is a very quick process with quick results. You would need to pre-book a test. Find out more by following the link:

<https://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/covidcommunitytesting>
there is a centre in Stratford-upon-Avon.



The Church Coping With The Pandemic

As we approach the end of restrictions following the Covid pandemic, and some sort of normal life returns, it seemed appropriate to keep everyone up to date with how Church life has coped. The Link Parish Magazine has not been printed and distributed since March last year and it may be a few months before we are able to do so. The Government considered there was a risk of spreading the disease with the handling of printed matter and the Church of England reacted accordingly. As a result the Editor produced an electronic version of the Link each month using local Facebook Groups and websites to maintain its circulation.

Although Risk Assessments were made at both St Peter`s and Sambourne Church it was decided that regular services were too risky although both churches were open at times for private prayer. With the closing of churches the advent of on-line services were borne and the Alcester Minster produced such a service each Sunday and other special days.

Reduced services meant reduced collections, the closing of Coughton Court removed visitors donations at St Peter`s and with the restrictions on gatherings no fund raising events were possible. All important sources of income to the Church. However, with the help of the 100 Club Members, who maintained their contributions throughout the duration, and general donations from many sources, both by people connected with the Church and other well-wishers, the P.C.C. showed a deficit of only £167 for 2020. This was after a contribution was made to the Children`s Society of £300, as it was not possible to hold the annual Christingle service at St Peter`s, and £250 to the Birmingham Children`s Hospital.

As many parishioners will know the P.C.C. has wanted to redecorate St Peter`s Church internally for many years but it has not been possible for cost reasons. With the dawning of possibly a new era and as it has not been carried out for over 50 years, it has been decided to have the redecoration started before the end of the year with funds collected specially for the

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purpose and with a grant of £4,000 (we hope) from Charitable sources this may now be possible. Sambourne Church Hall also requires re-decoration and the lighting upgraded. This will be funded from reserves and with a donation made from Molly Loach`s family in her memory.

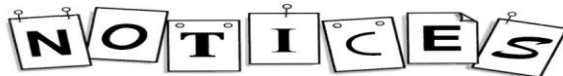
We now have a new Rector to replace Adrian and Katie Cross is moving up from Exeter to take on the role. Initially she will work remotely from home until she moves, with her family, to Alcester later in April. With restrictions slowly lifting it is hoped to resume regular Church Services at both Coughton and Sambourne as soon as possible .Until we meet again stay safe and well.

Gail Laband

John McTavish

Churchwarden

Treasurer



Sambourne Parish Council

The next meetings of the Parish Council will be as follows:

Annual Parish Assembly Monday 26th April 2021 7.15 pm

Parish Council Meeting Monday 26th April 2021 7.45 pm

Annual Meeting Tuesday 4th May 2021 7.45 pm

The meetings will be held using Zoom and details for joining the meeting can be obtained from the Clerk to the Council.

Parish Clerk, Teresa Murphy: clerk.sambournepc@aol.com

Parish Council website: www.sambourne.org.uk

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STUDLEY DAYTIME & STUDLEY PRIORY WOMENS INSTITUTE

Both Studley Daytime & Studley Priory WIs have not been able to meet 'in person' at their usual meetings in the Village

The WIs are now ready to put their meetings out to the villages again but this time via Zoom. They welcome new members or visitors if they would like to try their local WI in

If you would like to join in our weekly coffee mornings via ZOOM, please request an invite via email for an

STUDLEY DAYTIME WI

Weekly Chat: Fri @ 10am

**Monthly Meeting 1st Weds @
2pm**

**Contact: Margaret Pilkington
m.pilkington2@btinternet.com**

STUDLEY PRIORY WI

**Weekly Coffee Morning: Tues @
10.30am**

**Monthly Meeting 2nd Tues @
7.30pm**

**Contact: Sue Johnson
Suej_wellfield@htomail.com**

Come and join the WI to make new friends, learn new things and mix with like minded women

INSPIRING WOMEN

An Easter Message from Pat Newbold



It doesn't seem very long since I was talking about New Year Resolutions, with high hopes for 2021 and an end to Covid....well, that could be a long time yet!

So here we are at Easter, with shops full of eggs (I saw a salted caramel one yesterday, what temptation!). Eggs remind us of the joy of new birth, new beginnings and the hope that is ours through the Death and Resurrection of Jesus.

I am so thrilled that this year we shall be having a service on **Easter Day at St Peter's Coughton at 4pm**. Social distancing and masks are the order of the day, no chatting after and no coffee and sadly no singing, not even for the choir. But how wonderful to be able to worship together again. Christ is risen, He is risen indeed!

WE also have a **Morning Prayer service at Coughton at 10am on Sunday 18th April**. Because of limits on numbers for both these services, you will need to book your place with our Administrator, Tricia, on 01789 509276, Mon to Friday 10am to 1.30pm.

Each week there is a service on the Alcester Minster website welcome page, so do have a look if you have the facility – there is more info there.

Our God is a God of new beginnings, and the Bible is full of stories about people who were healed when they encountered Jesus – blind people who could now see, paralysed people who could walk, confused people set free. I myself have known His healing and comfort – and miracles - in my life – when I have been in despair, anxious, not knowing where to turn, sad in the depth of my being and He has come alongside with His amazing, healing love and gentle guidance.



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He can do this because he lived among us, experiencing all the same ups and downs as we do; He suffered and died, taking all our sins and sorrows with Him on the Cross so that we could be set free to know His peace, - like in the eye of a storm sometimes! On Easter day we celebrate Jesus miraculously coming alive again, meeting with his bereft disciples, teaching and encouraging them; and when, after 40 days, he went back to be with His Father in heaven, He promised them - and us, if we choose to follow him - that He will be with us always, in this life and the next. How He does it is another story....but Easter is always an opportunity for me to renew my faith - how about you?

However you celebrate Easter, may it be a happy time, and a time to enjoy the beauty of Spring all around us.

God bless,

Pat N



365 Days
4785 Tasks completed*
Thank you to every single volunteer
who has helped in anyway,
you are all **INCREDIBLE**.

We are so proud that not one resident we have supported has lost their life to Covid, our volunteers have kept them all safe.

*This doesn't include all the other wonderful volunteering work; masks made, leaflet deliveries, or the shifts at the vaccination centre. These are just the daily tasks undertaken to keep those in our community safe in their own homes.



Studley Isolation Support Group update

May 2020 Edition 2

Now, more than ever, the community in our village are pulling together to support each other. The Studley Isolation Support Group supports all those who are isolated, alone, elderly or vulnerable. With Studley in Business and the Parish Council, we have built a core team of around 50 volunteers who carry out tasks on a daily basis. So far we have supported 165 households and undertaken over 1000 tasks. These range from shopping, prescription collection to dog walking and daily newspaper deliveries.

Nothing is too much trouble for our volunteers, and we actively encourage anyone who is having to isolate, with no close family close by to help them, to give us a call on **07933 093268** from 9am to 5pm Monday to Saturday.

If you have a neighbour you are concerned about then please ask them to call us. Our aim is for everyone who is vulnerable to stay safely at home. No one who should be isolating needs to do any shopping, our volunteers are shopping ninjas!

We will be here for as long as necessary, and alongside our day to day tasks we can arrange for someone to call you for a chat, drop off some books or jigsaws, post letters etc. We are here for you.

**If you need help the Contact Phone number is: 07933 093268
Monday - Saturday 9am-5pm**

Please note that we operate a password system to protect you. Please do not open the door to anyone you don't know, unless they can tell you the password that YOU have chosen. There are scammers capitalising on the current situation, and we want everyone to stay safe. Always follow the Government's Social Distancing guidelines

We are still looking for volunteers, please contact us if you are willing to help..

Many volunteers are busy **sewing scrubs, bags, headbands and face-masks**. They are in need of new material (that can be washed at 60 deg), elastic & buttons about the size of a 2p. If you can help then please call the Isolation Support Group on 07933 093268.

Arden Foodbank is working hard to supply food parcels to our community. Anyone who is struggling can request a voucher. Parcels can be collected from the Methodist Church on Tuesday afternoons, or one of the Isolation Support Group Volunteers can collect and deliver it for you. To contact the foodbank please call 07733 551926. Food donations can be made via the collection box in the Co-Op, or by calling the Isolation Support Group on 07933 093268.

Useful Contacts: Samaritans 116123 24-hour helpline

Your mental health is important. For a listening ear in time of need, call Janet 07852 349361

Mental Health Matters 0800 616171, 24-hr helpline & webchat www.mhm.org.uk/coventry-warwickshire-helpline

Arden Marches Churches - for help, someone to talk to, or a prayer request: Revd Kate Mier 01527 852830 rector@ardenmarches.co.uk
or Revd Dan Corlett 07543370637 curate@ardenmarches.co.uk

Local Businesses & Contacts Offering Services to the Community

The situation changes daily, so for up to date information please visit www.enjoyablystudley.com and check out the Studley Isolation Support Group Facebook page for updates.

Bespoke Butchers FREE delivery over £25, or if you are over 65 no min. Tuesday-Friday. Ring 01527 852235 in the morning to check availability. Deliveries at the end of the day.

Bruno's Bakery min delivery £10, packed lunches also available for delivery. 01527 854652

Mount Everest for takeaways 6-8.30pm Sun-Thur & 5.30-9.30pm Fri & Sat 01527 850717

Caney's Cider deliveries. Contact: social media, website or email canescider@gmail.com

Studley Fish Bar for collection or delivery. Download their App or call 01527 852448
Delivery of orders over £10 with a delivery fee of £1.75

The **Cantonese Chef** is open 01527 852021.

Purity Brewing free delivery over £40 www.puritybrewing.com/online-shop

Seven Mile Homemade frozen meals delivered on Weds & Fri. Phone Jake 07891 448749
jake@sevenmile.co.uk See www.sevenmile.co.uk & Facebook for menus

Stephanie Evans (Virtual MoneyPenny) for coordinating home deliveries if you're struggling
07908 226633

Fetch N Stretch for dog walks for the elderly or key workers. Emily Smith 07713 057028

Robert Pannifer from Thomas Guise Solicitors for phone support 01527 912912

Studley Florist deliveries of fresh flowers for birthdays, celebrations, memorials or a cheer up gift. 01527 853509 Mon-Fri mornings www.studleyflorists.co.uk & Facebook/Insta

Botany Bay Garden Centre FREE delivery over £25 within 5 miles. 01527 893885

Flutterby Heidi Handmade cards with local delivery. www.flutterbyheidi.co.uk 07791 662348

Happy Buffalo personalised gifts, free local delivery happy-buffalo.myshopify.com & FB

Helping Hands homecare services Katie 07792 172 604 Katie.Woodhall@helpinghands.co.uk

Alcester Home Care homecare provider 01789 765468 office@alcesterhomecareagency.co.uk

Neighbourhood Watch: Ring the Police on 101 for suspicious activity. For a crime ring 999 & then tell Jim Bacon (jimbacon@blueyonder.co.uk) so Jim can alert others.

Please email info@enjoyablystudley.co.uk if you are a local business & wish to be included online



www.studleyinbusiness.co.uk

We would like to express our thanks to everyone who has helped to create, print and deliver this leaflet.

When you talk to your neighbours (from a safe distance), ask that they keep this leaflet close at hand, for help in the coming weeks. Not everyone has access to Social Media, and they may feel very isolated, particularly if they are poorly.



www.enjoyablystudley.com

All information is correct at time of print.

Nature jottings from Perrymill Lane



This has been the month when the transition from winter to spring has become apparent to bring us much cheer from the gloom of the pandemic.

21st Feb. Several Song Thrushes were singing and were audible from Perrymill Lane almost to Coughton along Wike Lane. A field off Wike Lane had 30+ Greylag and Canada Geese grazing. Adam mentioned having seen a Kingfisher by the brook below the end of Perrymill Lane – the first he's seen there since he was a boy (only yesterday!)

22nd Feb. In Coughton Lane, at the start of the drive to Coughton Lodge Farm, we spotted a flock of around six Yellowhammers, and a Cormorant was perched in a tree near the farmhouse.

23rd Feb. Justin mentioned having seen four Little Egrets in a field off Sambourne Lane. Frances later reported the same.

24th Feb. Celandines are adding some colour to the verges in Wike Lane.

25th Feb. A mixed flock of Siskins and Redpolls were feeding in birch trees in Wike Lane. A flock of Fieldfares and Redwings were feeding in a field off Coughton Lane, Coughton.

4th March. After a lengthy absence from our garden, Greenfinches and Goldfinches, three of each, have visited the sunflower seed feeders today.

7th March. As I potted in the garden my attention was attracted by the mewing call of a Buzzard. Five were circling overhead at a variety of altitudes – one quite low and the highest hardly visible.

8th March. A Kestrel was perched in a tree at the Alcester Heath end of Coughton Lane.

9th March. Pussy willow is now becoming apparent in the hedgerows.



13th March. More Greenfinches and Goldfinches were visiting the garden feeders and a Great Spotted Woodpecker visited the peanuts.

14th March. In Wike Lane Sue heard the first Chiffchaff of the spring, but unfortunately my inferior hearing couldn't pick it up. A Muntjac crossed the road in front of us. We watched a Skylark performing its song flight by Coughton Lane.

15th March. Blackthorn is now coming into blossom in the hedgerows.

16th March. Although still not audible to me, Sue could hear more Chiffchaff singing beyond the ford at Coughton.

17th March. Having presumably been temporarily woken from hibernation, a Peacock butterfly has now settled in a very vulnerable location by our utility room door.

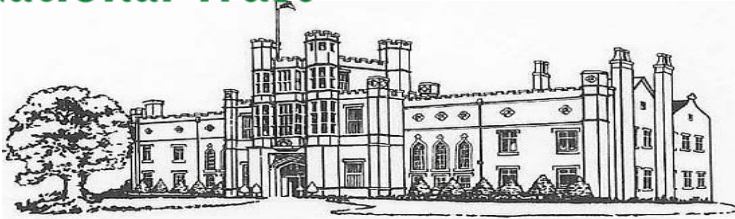
18th March. Eight Lapwings were feeding in a field off Coughton Lane.

These birds are no longer a common sight around us having suffered a significant decline in numbers. Pussy willow is now starting to develop it's lovely yellow display of pollen. A brief spell of sunshine this afternoon raised the temperature a little and resulted in the



welcome sight of a pristine Brimstone butterfly in our garden.

Phil J (18th March)



Coughton Court has now re-opened for the season and the gardens and parkland are currently open in line with government guidance. The safety of staff, volunteers and visitors remains our priority. We know how important it is for people to seek fresh air and nature and we urge visitors to stick to the rules and stay local.

The parkland, gardens and mini-café for takeaway hot and cold drinks and light snacks remain open for visitors to enjoy. At the time of writing this the house, shop and indoor seating are all closed, please check the website for the most up-to-date information on what is currently open and closed.

We've introduced advance booking to keep everyone safe and maintain social distancing. You will need to book your visit in advance to guarantee admission. Please go to the what's on section of the website to book tickets.

During the spring months the gardens here at Coughton erupt into a kaleidoscope of colour from bright yellows to delicate pink and white blossom. Throughout March and April thousands of brightly coloured daffodils line the paths all the way from the stable yard to the orchard and a carpet of shimmering bluebells cover the woodland floor from late April.

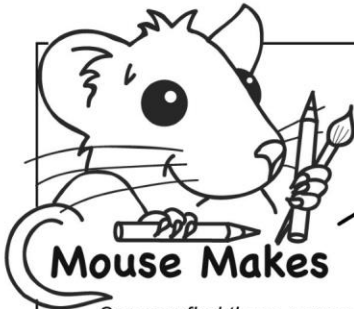
We look forward to welcoming visitors safely to Coughton Court over the spring months.

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www.nationaltrust.org.uk/coughtoncourt or call 01789
400777

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Junior Link



Mouse Makes

Can you find these names of **Jesus** in the word search?

SON OF GOD

Matthew 3:16-17



KING OF KINGS

Revelation 17:14

PROPHET

Luke 24:19



PRIEST

1 Timothy 2:5

ROCK

1 Corinthians 10: 4

LORD

1 Corinthians 1:9

AMEN

Revelation 3:14

LIFE

John 11:25-27

MESSIAH

John 1:41

SHEPHERD

John 10:11

LIGHT

John 8:12



WORD

John 1:1-50

BREAD

John 6:35



CREATOR

1 John 1:3



CHRIST

Matthew 16:16

SAVIOUR

John 3:16-17

HOLY ONE

Mark 1:24

VINE

John 15:5



DOOR

John 10:9



WAY

John 14:6

LAMB

John 1:29



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COUGHTON PARISH COUNCIL

Our meetings are now being held virtually on Zoom & information can be found on our website.

Our Parish Assembly is on Monday 29th March 2021 at 7pm.

We would love you to join us!

Our new website includes the following information and more:
Councillors Info, Meeting Dates, Agendas, Minutes, Events, News & Information and a Planning Tracker.

Please sign up for email alerts at www.coughtonparishcouncil.co.uk

For PC information, please contact our Clerk:

Kerry Finlayson coughtonclerk@gmail.com

Coughton & Sambourne 100 Club

The winner of the March draw for £100 was Roger Hammersley from Sambourne. It rarely happens, but, you are right he was the winner in February as well. Its like buses you wait ages and then two come along together. We have never had a member win 3 in a row.!!

The April draw is a Jackpot for £450 and, with churches reopening at last, the draw will be made on Sunday 4th at 5.00pm at Coughton. Try to be there its Easter Day.

The Organisers will be pleased to welcome any new members who would like to join the 100 Club. By doing so you would not only be helping to maintain the churches in both Sambourne and Coughton but also have every chance of winning a cash prize each month. You should contact Peter Laband (01527 893879) or John McTavish (01789 764703) to be included in the monthly bit of fun.

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