



Methodist
Church

Partnership News

30 April 2006

Third Sunday of Easter

Methodist Church & the Church of England in Partnership at both
Putnoe Heights Church & St. Mark's Church



Church of
England

Church Services Today

8.30 Holy Communion both churches
9.30am St Mark's Church - Holy Communion with Prayer for Christian Healing.

Preacher -- Revd Neil Bramble-Chapman
Leadership Team - Mrs Janet Day
Intercessions - Mr Warwick Holden

11.00am Putnoe Heights - Holy Communion with Prayer for Christian Healing

Preacher - Revd Neil Bramble-Chapman
Leadership Team - Mrs Wendy Nash
Intercessions - Mr Alan Bayliss

7 May—Fourth Sunday of Easter

8.30 Service of Holy Communion
9.30am St Mark's Church—Family Worship

Preacher - Revd Dr Sam Cappleman
Leadership - Mrs Linda Parry
Intercessions - Mr Ian Farthing

11.00am Putnoe Heights—Family Worship

Preacher – Revd Dr Sam Cappleman
Leadership Team - Mr Alan Cooper
Intercessions - Mr Eddy Peck

Reading 1 : Acts 4: 5-12

Reading 2 : 1 John 3: 16-24

Reading 3 : John 10: 11-18

Thank You

The flowers at St Mark's this week are given and arranged by Pearl James in memory of her sister Mona Margery Lovell

We are always grateful for any donations for flowers perhaps to celebrate a special occasion, an anniversary or in memory of a loved one. Please contact Miss Marion Prior 303254 (St. Mark's) or Miss Jennie Cooper 404950 (Putnoe Heights).

Prayer for Sunday

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Please note that any items submitted for inclusion in Partnership News will automatically be posted on our website.

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Please inform us if you know of anyone who is ill, bereaved, housebound, requires a visit, home communion or counselling services. Please also ask us if you would like a home visit for any reason.

Putnoe Heights Church Centre

Open 9am - 12 noon Monday & Friday
9am - 5pm Tuesday/Wednesday & Thursday
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Regular Weekly Activities - A Guide To Our Churches

Monday

9.30 - 12.00 pm Mon-Fri Putnoe Heights Pre-school Mrs Janet Smith 326685

9.30 - 5.30 pm Mon-Fri St Mark's Pre-school Mrs. Helen Harpin 312634

(See website for more details)

9.00 am Clubhouse at St. Mark's for those with Learning Disabilities. Karen Bywater 315460.

Mini-Strikers Sport for Children at Putnoe aged 2-4 years. Contact Andy Carey 01908 313751 or 07766 142754, or www.ministrikers.co.uk

12.00pm - 1.00pm Story box Putnoe Heights church welcome the under 5's and their carers to join them between 12noon and 1pm for a sandwich lunch followed by a Bible story, singing and activities. Lots of fun, donations. Contact Liz on 01234 302349

4pm Story Box Plus at St. Marks for 4 -11 year olds meet at 3.30. for refreshments & games, then till 5pm make props, sing & rehearse a short play to perform in church the 1st Sunday of each month. Lots of fun. Free. Contact Liz 302349

4.15pm - Rosemary Conley Diet & Fitness. Putnoe Heights. Miriam Adcock 01908 565044

4.15 - 5.45pm Kumon Maths at Putnoe Heights. Contact Ms Raksha Mistry 01908 392698

6.00pm Brownies St Mark's. Mrs C Mathew 826190

6.15 pm Brownies Putnoe. Penny Fulham 406045

7.30pm Sugarcraft Guild meets first Monday every month at St. Mark's Mrs Pauline Parrott 768419

7.15 m Guides -St. Mark's. Mrs Gill Lake 218091

7.15pm Yoga at Putnoe Heights Church. Contact Karen Simpson 244970

7.30pm Creative Needles at Putnoe Heights. Jacky Hayward 307648. New members welcome.

7.30pm Whist Drive - At St Mark's each month the next 15 May Mrs. Judith Stanton. 823313

7.30pm Housegroup 30 The Ridgeway. The home of Eddy & Margaret Peck 267567.

8.00pm 'Get Fit, Stay Fit' at Putnoe Heights. Mrs Diane Field 404976

Tuesday

9.30am Candlewicking (Needlework) at Putnoe Heights. Mrs Olive Shotbolt 267203

10.00am Keep Fit at Putnoe Heights. Mrs Stileman 822230

1.30-3pm Toddlers Playtime at Putnoe Heights. Geraldine Skeel 406828

9.30am -12.30 & 4 - 9pm Slimming World at St. Mark's. Helen Folbigg 351223

2.00pm Library Walk W.I. at Putnoe Heights meets monthly. Contact Morag Tompkins 356895

2 - 5pm Police Surgery. St Mark's Foyer.

2.15pm Putnoe Heights Women's Fellowship - Next meeting 9 May Revd. C. Royden, no meeting on 2 May. Contact Betty Wyatt 350188.

2.15pm Putnoe Heights Men's Fellowship. Next meeting . contact Lawrence Wyatt 350188.

2.30pm Mother Teresa Support Group. Meets fortnightly at St. Mark's. Wool and knitting needles provided. Mrs Maureen Watling 262225

2.30pm Tuesday Afternoon Housegroup. Meets fortnightly at St. Mark's. Mary Stubbs 406784.

3.45 - 5.30pm Stars School of Dance at Putnoe Heights. Esther Sancto 272517 or 07917 0582468.

6.30 - 7.30pm Yoga at Putnoe Heights. Rachel Leontyne 783129

6.45pm Guides at Putnoe Heights. Emma Holloway 293792

7.00 - 8.00 pm Keep Fit at St. Mark's. Mrs Jan Gregory 214107.

7.00 - 10pm Card Makers Club meets fortnightly at St Mark's. Carol Houghton 346718

7.30pm Tabernacle of Truth Church at Putnoe Heights. Bible study & prayers. Revd.Tarr on 360188 or 07866775515

7.30pm Dog and Puppy Training at Putnoe Heights. Contact Lynn Southwell 07974 743240

7. 45 pm Putnoe Heights Ladies Tuesday Club - Meets fortnightly. Next meeting May 2nd Patchwork -Valerie Morgan. Contact Madge Walsh 359088

8.30pm St Mark's Church Qi Gong. Contact Mrs D Steele 356384

Wednesday

9.30am Childminding Support Group at Putnoe Heights. Mrs S Longman 313949

9.30am - Body Control Pilates at Putnoe Heights. Stephanie Smith 357787.

9.00 a.m. Clubhouse at St Mark's for those with Learning Disabilities. Contact Karen Bywater 315460.

10.00 am Holy Communion at St. Mark's Chapel. A half hour service followed by coffee. All welcome.

10am Sewing & Chat Putnoe Heights Contact Valerie Russell 01462 815966

Luncheon Club at Putnoe Heights fortnightly. Next meeting 3 May Putnoe 365630

1 - 3pm Police Surgery at Putnoe Heights .

1.30 - 4.00pm. Bridge Club for the Retired at St. Mark's. Mrs Truss Boyce 781133

2.15pm - Fifty plus Keep Fit at Putnoe Heights . Mrs Webster 856966

4.15pm - Kumon Maths at Putnoe Heights Ms Raksha Mistry 01908 392698

6.00pm Self Defence at Putnoe Mr James 07711 687449

6.00 pm Brownies at St Mark's. Mrs Carol Warden 219731

7.00pm Bunyan Bridge at St. Mark's. Brian Sallows 407725

7.00pm Archaeological & Local History Society meets monthly at Putnoe Heights. Next meeting . Sylvia Woods 365095

7pm Putnoe Guild meets monthly at Putnoe Heights. Janice Loxley 347073

7.45pm Kick Boxing Junior classes at St Mark's. Contact Mr James 07711687449 or 07810234890

7.45pm Badminton Club at Putnoe Heights - all welcome. Ken Marriott 214867

Thursday

9.30am Thursday Prayer Group at Putnoe Heights in the quiet room. Sylvia Cohen 343424 *Request for prayer can be written in the prayer diary on the information table.*

9.30am Jo Jingles at St. Mark's. Music & movement for pre-school children. Jayne Phillips 01582 485333

9.45am Yoga at Putnoe Heights. Karen Simpson 244970

1.00pm - 3.00pm Clinic at St. Mark's 267444

12pm Story box St Mark's Church welcome the under 5's and their carers to join them between 12 noon and 1pm for a sandwich lunch followed by a Bible story, singing and activities. Lots of fun, donations. Contact Liz Spavins on 1234 302349

1.30-3pm Toddler Playtime at Putnoe. Geraldine Skeel 406828

1.30pm St. Mark's Church Toddler Group. Debbie Coppenhall 356828.

2pm - Putnoe Bridge Club. Gerald Palmer 345991

2pm U3A Indoor Games at Putnoe Radmila Dancer 404811

4.00 Story box Plus at Putnoe Heights for 4-11year old. Meet at 3.30 for refreshments & games. Then till 5pm make props, sing & rehearse a short play to perform in church on the 1st Sunday of each month Lots of fun And it's free! Liz Spavins 302349

5.30 - 7.30pm Police Surgery. St Mark's Foyer.

6.15 pm Weightwatchers at St. Mark's. Mrs Margaret Ralph 01767 224978.

6.15pm Brownies at Putnoe Helga Nash 218521

6.15pm Bedford Junior Chess Club. St. Mark's Mr & Mrs Pike 823795

7pm Street Dance at Putnoe Heights. Contact Curtis Ritchie 349255 or 07984 525147

7.00pm Club 2000 at Putnoe Mrs M White 404992

7.30pm - 11.00pm Bedford Senior Chess Club at St Mark's Mr P Housden 376597

7.30 - 9.30pm Embroiderer's Guild at St Mark's 3rd Thursday of the month. Mrs E Rigby 344442

7.30 - 9.30 Tabernacle of Truth Church at Putnoe Bible Studies every 2 Thursday- Pastor Tarr 360188

7.45pm. Housegroup- Meets fortnightly at 3 Little Headlands. Newcomers always welcome. Betty Wyatt 350188

8.00 - 10pm Bedford Writers Circle at St Mark's 1st Thursday each month. Mr John Broadhouse 740271

Friday

9.30am U3A Exercise at Putnoe Heights. Carole Maunder 301325

9.00 am Clubhouse at St. Mark's for those with Learning Disabilities. Karen Bywater 315460.

1.30 - 2pm Stars School of Dance at Putnoe.

Contact Esther Sancto 272517 or 07917 582468

2pm U3A Gardening Group at Putnoe Heights.

6pm Self Defence at Putnoe. Mr James 0771 687449 or 07810 234890

7.30pm Youth Club for age 13-18 at St Mark's Church. Contact PCSO Rowland Gilbey 349179

Saturday

9.30 - 11.30am Stars School of Dance at Putnoe. Contact Esther Sancto 272517 or 07917 582468

10.00am - 1.00pm Theatre Train at St Mark's - dancing acting, singing. - Kate Randle 01234 782414

2.30pm Calligraphy Group at Putnoe. Meets monthly next meeting. Philip Jones 350295

7.15pm - 10.30pm Duplicate Bridge at St Mark's Contact Ann or Peter 212066

Sunday

Junior Church with crèche for under 3's

9.30 - 10.30 at St.Mark's

11-12 at Putnoe Heights.

1 - 4pm Tabernacle of Truth Church at Putnoe Heights - Worship. Contact Revd. Tarr 360188 Mob. 07866775515

6.00pm TNT (The Nearly Teens) meet fortnightly at Putnoe Heights for various fun activities. Contact Putnoe Office 365630

Diary Dates

St Mark's Church Council 14 June, 11 Oct
Circuit Meeting

St Mark's Leadership Team - 6 June, 12 Sept
Putnoe Heights Leadership Team - 2 May

St Mark's Church Management Meeting

Putnoe Heights Management - 15 May,

Putnoe Church Council 12 June, 9 Oct

Pastoral Group Meeting -

Churchyard Committee -

Putnoe Heights Mission Group Meeting - .

Partnership Council - 19 Sept

Brickhill Parish Council - 27 Apr,

Deanery Meeting St Mary's Eucharist 22 June, 14 September, 16 November

Annual Congregational Meeting 7 May 2006

Putnoe Heights Children & Youth - , 28 June

Calendar dates appear on our church website www.ThisChurch.com. Please advise St Mark's Church Office of the dates of your meetings.

Third Sunday of Easter

Verse of Scripture Psalm 118

I will exalt you, O LORD, for you lifted me out of the depths and did not let my enemies gloat over me. O LORD my God, I called to you for help and you healed me. O LORD, you brought me up from the grave; you spared me from going down into the pit. Sing to the LORD, you saints of his; praise his holy name.

A Collect Prayer - Before we read we pray

Almighty Father, who in your great mercy gladdened the disciples with the sight of the risen Lord: give us such knowledge of his presence with us, that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life and serve you continually in righteousness and truth; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord; who is alive and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

First Reading - Acts 3: 12-19

When Peter saw this, he said to them: "Men of Israel, why does this surprise you? Why do you stare at us as if by our own power or godliness we had made this man walk? The God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, the God of our fathers, has glorified his servant Jesus. You handed him over to be killed, and you disowned him before Pilate, though he had decided to let him go. You disowned the Holy and Righteous One and asked that a murderer be released to you. You killed the author of life, but God raised him from the dead. We are witnesses of this. By faith in the name of Jesus, this man whom you see and know was made strong. It is Jesus' name and the faith that comes through him that has given this complete healing to him, as you can all see. "Now, brothers, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did your leaders. But this is how God fulfilled what he had foretold through all the prophets, saying that his Christ would suffer. Repent, then, and turn to God, so that your sins may be wiped out, that times of refreshing may come from the Lord

(Reader: This is the word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God**)

Second Reading - 1 John 3: 1-7

How great is the love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are! The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Dear friends, now we are children of God, and what we will be has not yet been made known. But we know that when he appears, we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is. Everyone who has this hope in him purifies himself, just as he is pure. Everyone who sins breaks the law; in fact, sin is lawlessness. But you know that he appeared so that he might take away our sins. And in him is no sin. No one who lives in him keeps on sinning. No one who continues to sin has either seen him or known him. Dear children, do not let anyone lead you astray. He who does what is right is righteous, just as he is righteous

(Reader : This is the word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God**)

Third Reading - Luke 24: 36b – 48 *When the reading is announced* 'Glory to Christ our Saviour'

While they were still talking about this, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you." They were startled and frightened, thinking they saw a ghost. He said to them, "Why are you troubled, and why do doubts rise in your minds? Look at my hands and my feet. It is I myself! Touch me and see; a ghost does not have flesh and bones, as you see I have." When he had said this, he showed them his hands and feet. And while they still did not believe it because of joy and amazement, he asked them, "Do you have anything here to eat?" They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate it in their presence. He said to them, "This is what I told you while I was still with you: Everything must be fulfilled that is written about me in the Law of Moses, the Prophets and the Psalms." Then he opened their minds so they could understand the Scriptures. He told them, "This is what is written: The Christ will suffer and rise from the dead on the third day,



**The God of Abraham,
the God of Isaac,
and the God of Jacob,
the God of our ancestors
has glorified his servant
Jesus.**

Acts 3.13

and repentance and forgiveness of sins will be preached in his name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things. I am going to send you what my Father has promised; but stay in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high."

(Reader: This is the gospel of Christ **All: Praise to Christ our Lord**)

Post Communion Prayer

Lord God our Father, through our Saviour Jesus Christ you have assured your children of eternal life and in baptism have made us one with him: deliver us from the death of sin and raise us to new life in your love, in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, by the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen

Hymns (*Please distribute*)

Commentary

Ghost stories can be scary and frightening. I remember as a child of 10, reading a collection of ghost stories that I found so frightening that I only managed to read through half of them and asked my father to look after the book until I was old enough not to be scared. I think I asked him for the book when I was about 16 and didn't find them anything like as frightening. I suppose that was because I was half as old again and had a wider understanding of the world and that ghosts don't really exist.

Or do they? We seem to have a predilection to being frightened. I wonder if ghost stories were told because they frighten us or because there is something about the stories which taps into a partly hidden truth about life and death. What I mean is that ghost stories might be told as fiction, but they are in fact closer to the truth than we like to comfortably admit. Now this is mere psychological and spiritual speculation, but in the Gospel reading we hear Jesus saying, "Look at my hands and feet. It is I myself! Touch me and see; *a ghost does not have flesh and bones, as you see I have.*"

Jesus compares himself with a ghost. Does this mean that Jesus believed in ghosts, or at least knew that other people did? That is not a discussion I want to get into now, but this suggests to us that Jesus is explaining to his disciples that he is real, flesh and blood, eating and drinking, like a normal human being. Jesus is distancing himself from that shadowy concept of existence that so many of Jesus contemporaries were familiar with and people today are all too ready to give credence to, that ghosts actually exist.

What does this tell us about Jesus? We learn that he is risen from the dead in a fully physical form. This clearly also tells us that Jesus is no ghost or psychological imagining of the bereaved that their beloved friend Jesus has reappeared in a dream or that they have merely imagined him to be there amongst them. So the Gospel tells us that Jesus truly has conquered death, that death no longer has a permanent hold over our lives, that there is the hope and promise of life after death for each one of us and of life everlasting. What a wonderful promise that Jesus has made for each one of us, for the whole of creation, for all time and for all eternity. The Lord is Risen! Alleluia, He is risen indeed!

Neil Bramble-Chapman

Meditation

Prayers for Sunday and the Week Ahead

News, Views and Information

Putnoe Heights Leadership Team meeting 2nd May will be held at the home of Jenny Emsley, 2 Sunningdale Walk.

Kempston Musical Society outing to Peterborough Saturday 13 May 2006. A few seats remain on the coaches if interested. Contact Alan Bayliss 268101

MethodistChildren has re-launched Rainbow, the magazine for 4 to 13 year-olds. Produced by Junior Mission for All (JMA), it has a fantastic new look with stunning images illustrating the lives of children all over the world.

It can be used in Junior Church, mid-week groups or in worship to help children understand how Christians in other countries live and celebrate their faith. Additional background material in the Follow Up Notes (FUN) help make the most of it as an educational resource.

The latest issue includes prayers written by children from Guantanamo Bay in Cuba and pictures from the World Council of Churches in Brazil. It is also launching an appeal to help the thousands of people in Pakistan who are suffering after the massive October 2005 earthquake. Rainbow is a fantastic resource and, thanks to Audrey Facey of the design team at Methodist Church House, its new look makes it even more accessible for children and adults alike. Raising the money for survivors of the earthquake seems like an enormous task, but we know that we can do it with the help of our supporters."

Examine your vocation. May 7 is Vocations Sunday. It is a chance to consider the issue of vocation in general and to focus on specific forms of vocation through accredited and authorised ministry within the church such as the ministry of Reader, evangelist, deacon or priest, whether in a traditional setting or in 'fresh expressions'. Resources are available on the Diocesan website: www.stalbans.anglican.org/xtianddevelopment/vocation.html

Feel the springtime breath of God The Easter Message of Bishop Christopher

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb ... Those words carry you into the heart of the story; you want to know what happened next. They come from St John's account of the Resurrection of Jesus. You can imagine him writing them, crouched over his desk, scratching away at a piece of parchment, the Mediterranean sunshine pouring in through the window near his left shoulder.

John had a fondness for sunshine. He was entranced by it and frequently used it in his Gospel as an image of God. By contrast (was it the sharpness of the

coastal light at Ephesus that influenced him?), he also talked of darkness as an image of concealment. You'll remember the story he wrote at the beginning of his gospel about Nicodemus who came to Jesus under cover of darkness. It is interesting, then, that in the words he has chosen to introduce the story of the Resurrection, he has one of his main characters, Mary Magdalene, coming to the tomb 'while it was still dark'. The other gospel writers had been quite specific in their descriptions that it was at sunrise, the dawning of the day.

Who knows? - but no amount of meteorological probing about times of sunrise, or the quality of early morning darkness before the dawn, will be any help in trying to decide which of the gospel writers was most factually accurate. What each of them conveys, however, is the sense of expectation - and John, in particular, plays with our imagination as we picture a solitary female figure, Mary Magdalene, making her way through the dark streets of Jerusalem on her own, on her tearful journey towards the tomb. You must read for yourself how the story in John's gospel continues: Mary rushing back to the disciples, then Peter and John hurrying up the steep slope to Calvary, their breath catching in the cold morning air, only to find that, as they had been told, the tomb was empty.

The truth that John captures in his story of that morning was that in the very darkness, God had stirred. The sunrise had not yet painted the golden stone of Jerusalem's houses. Most people were still deeply asleep. Yet in the quietness, in a place set apart for death, God had brought Christ into newness of life.

In all our lives, spiritually, mentally and physically, there are times of intense and inchoate darkness. Yet it is there, in those very depths, that God in His self-effacing power stirs and waits to bring us into the light. Easter happened two thousand years ago; it happens in our own lives now - and by Christ's power it will also happen when we enter our own time of absolute darkness at death, when we shall feel the springtime breath of God bringing us into the light of eternity.

+Christopher St Albans

London NW District Women's Network
Celebration Service Saturday 20 May at 2.30 pm at
West London Mission, Hinde Street, London.

Swedish Evening Saturday 6 May at 7.30 at
St.Mark's. Tickets selling fast book them with Janet
or Ian now.
Pre school are running the raffle for the Swedish
Evening and would be grateful for any donations of
prizes.

Footprints. The next walk will be on Sunday 30th
April. Meet at Old Warden Church at 2.30pm.
Further details from Margaret & Eddy Peck T:
267267

Storybox will take place at St Mark's on Thursday
4 May but please bring your own lunch.

NCH –A social evening for NCH with music by
“Sounds Instrumental” will be held at Kempston
East Methodist Church on Saturday 13th May at
7.30pm. There will be songs from the 60's to the 90's
and refreshments, a gift stall, competitions and a
sing-a-long. Tickets £3.00 available from Margaret
Standley or Vera Pearson.

**Jan, Peter, Elizabeth, Margaret and Andrew
Cooper** thank all of the Wednesday Group and the
Sunday congregation at St Mark's for their kindness
and prayers during the past months. They couldn't
have managed without your support. Thank You.

Tuesday Club Charity Evening -On Tuesday May

16th at Putnoe Heights Church. A concert by
Bedford Town Band in aid of the East Anglian Air
Ambulance. Cost £5 (including refreshments).
Please support our annual charity event. All
welcome.

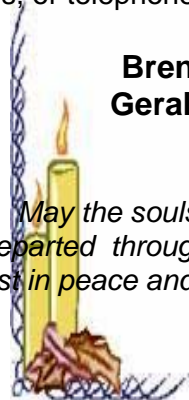
Putnoe Heights grass cutting rota is on the notice
board .Anyone who can help please sign up, it would
be much appreciated. Thank you.

Rest In Peace

On the Sunday following a funeral service we
remember in church those who have died. We
light a candle to symbolise the light of Christ
which eternally shines and brings hope. If you
would like a person remembered in our service
when the candle is lit, perhaps on an
anniversary or birthday, please inform the
ministers, or telephone the church office.

**Brenda Bliss
Gerald Barnes**

*May the souls of all the faithful
departed through the mercy of God,
rest in peace and rise in glory. Amen.'*



Rest in Peace