



FAMILIES NEWSLETTER



April 2021

The Junction

Every Sunday 9.15 on Zoom

Good Friday – Exploring the Easter Story

Friday 2nd April 9.45am - A special interactive Zoom service for all ages. Register with Linda Hicks at: l.hicks@solihullparish.org.uk to receive the link.



4th April Easter Day – Jesus has risen!

As we get ready to start our worship we'll talk about things that make up happy. Bring along a hollow chocolate egg which we will use to help us pray!



11th April – The Junction is taking a break!

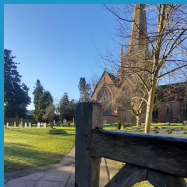
18 April – Jesus appears to his disciples

Jesus appears to his disciples at the lakeside. Let's share breakfast together as we hear the story! I wonder what you're going to have for breakfast? ???



25th April – St Alphege church

What's important to you/your favourite thing about St Alphege Church?



Like to attend?

Register with Linda in advance via email to receive the Zoom link l.hicks@solihullparish.org.uk



PRAISE & PLAY

After having a break on 2nd and 9th April Praise and Play will return online on Friday 16th April and then continue every Friday morning. Join us for our usual four action songs, a bible story, and prayer either via Facebook or the Parish website when a video will go live at 9.30am. We have loved receiving photos of your art work, keep them coming! <https://www.solihullparish.org.uk>

JUNCTION FACEBOOK PAGE

Don't forget the Junction has its very own Facebook page. We'd love you to Like it! Search for The Junction Solihull Parish on Facebook.

PARISH YOUTH

The Youth continue to meet over Zoom. Interested in joining? Contact Joe joe.minall@solihullparish.org.uk

YOUTH LENT PRAYER CHALLENGE
I hope you have all enjoyed Joe's Lent Prayer Challenge on Instagram.

The challenge of the prayer ratio, that being if you pray for 1 minute, then you have 1 minute of sitting and listening to what God has to say to you, can be taken into the rest of the year.

[Instagram@solihullparishyouth](https://www.instagram.com/solihullparishyouth)



IN MARCH FAMILIES FROM ACROSS THE PARISH ATTENDED A VERY SPECIAL MESSY CHURCH VIA ZOOM TO CELEBRATE MOTHERING SUNDAY. THE BIBLE IS FULL OF STORIES ABOUT AMAZING WOMEN AND AT MESSY CHURCH WE LOOKED AT SOME OF THOSE WOMEN.

EVERYONE WAS PROVIDED WITH A LIST OF THINGS TO BRING WITH THEM, WE DID SOME ACTIVITIES TOGETHER AND AS WE DID THE ACTIVITY WE TRIED TO GUESS WHICH BIBLE STORY EACH ACTIVITY RELATED TO.

WE MADE BUG HOTELS, CARRIED OUT A RAINBOW EXPERIMENT, MADE EXPLOSIONS OF JOY AND MADE FLOWER CARDS.

WE HAD A WONDERFUL MESSY TIME TOGETHER AND RECEIVED SOME FABULOUS FEEDBACK INCLUDING THE FOLLOWING:-



WE REALLY ENJOYED THE SESSION!
THE GIRLS EVEN MADE ME COOK THEM FISHFINGERS AFTERWARDS SO THAT IT FELT LIKE A REAL MESSY CHURCH!

