



# Families Newsletter

## March 2025



### Parish Pancake Party

**Parish Pancake Party Saturday 1st March 5.00pm in the Oliver Bird Hall.** There will be cakes for sale, a tombola for the children, lots of pancakes to eat. £10 per family (pay on the night). Join a team for the pancake tossing races or sit back and enjoy the fun!

### Sunday worship for families

The Junction is a short family focussed service that meets on Sunday mornings. Here are the March themes:

On **2nd March** the Junction will meet at 9.15am in the Oliver Bird Hall when we will be talking about the meaning of Lent.

On **9th March** everyone will meet in the St Alphege church building at 9.15am for **All age worship**. The Parish puppets will be returning to help us explore the second part of the Communion service. It was fantastic when they joined us last month, so don't miss out on the next exciting instalment! The service will also include a welcome to children who are attending this year's First Communion course.

On **16th March** the Junction will meet at 9.15am in the Oliver Bird Hall and will be talking about different ways to pray

On **23rd March** the Junction will be joining the Sunday club at St Helen's Church, St Helen's Road, B91 2DA (off Buryfield Road) at 10am when we will be doing lots of fun activities.

On **30th March** everyone will meet in the St Alphege church building at 9.15am for **Mothering Sunday All age worship** service with the worship band. This will include the blessing of posies which will be handed out at the end of the service





## Easter Messy Church

The next Messy Church session on **Friday 28th March 4-6pm** at St Helen's Church, St Helen's Road, B91 2DA (off Buryfield Road). There will be Easter themed activities - followed by a celebration when we will be joined by **Solihull Parish puppet team**. We'll finish with a tasty hot tea for everyone! Cost: £2 per person, max £7 per family. Booking is essential so e mail Linda [L.hicks@solihullparish.org.uk](mailto:L.hicks@solihullparish.org.uk) to secure your place.

## Praise and Play

Praise and Play meets every Friday morning in the Oliver Bird Hall 9.30am-10.30am for a mix of songs, a Bible story, a craft, toys and chat. Come along and join in the fun and enjoy a hot drink and a biscuit. E mail Linda [L.hicks@solihullparish.org.uk](mailto:L.hicks@solihullparish.org.uk) for more information.



## Pause and Pray



Pause and Pray meets every Monday morning in term time. This as a time for parents and carers to pause in Room 5 of the Oliver Bird Hall immediately after school drop off to enjoy pastries and good coffee together and reflect on the week ahead. We would love you to join us! 😊

