

**Ukrainian Refugee Photo Exhibition & Soul Cafe:** a collection of 18 professionally produced photographs. Each photo is of a real person and their own story. The Exhibition is in place *at Ilkeston Methodist Church, Wilmot Street* through April and May at these times:

- Wednesday afternoons from 1.30pm to 3.30pm
- Friday mornings from 10.00am to 12 noon
- Sunday 16th April from 5.30pm to 6.30pm

On Sunday 16th April, at about 6.30pm we will be setting up for our monthly **Soul Cafe** which will start at 7.00pm (refreshments on offer from 6.30pm). The theme for the evening is presented in video, songs and stories in a cafe style atmosphere with free refreshments. In the current series the theme is "death", rarely talked about. As well as addressing the challenges, we will use humour and positivity.

**Easter Extravaganza at UCAS, Stanley Common: Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> April,** 2-4pm, free entry. Stalls, tea and cake, raffle, tombola, bric-a-brac, face painting and Easter Egg Hunt.

### **Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> April ~ Palm Sunday**

9.30am	Praise and Worship	Holy Trinity, Mapperley
9.30am	Holy Communion	UCAS, Stanley Common
11.00am	Holy Communion	St Wilfrid's, West Hallam
4.00pm	1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday at 4pm	West Hallam Village Hall

### **7<sup>th</sup> April ~ Good Friday**

10.30am	Stations of the Cross	St Wilfrid's
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### **Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> April ~ Easter Eve**

7.00pm	Bringing in the Light	St Andrew's, Stanley
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### **Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> April ~ Easter Day**

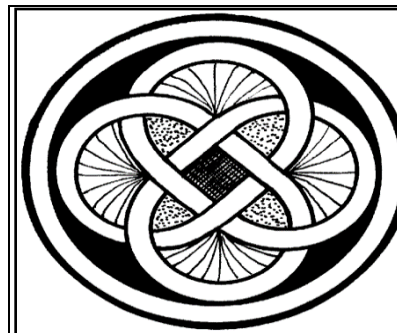
9.30am	Morning Worship	UCAS
10.30am	Easter Holy Communion	St Wilfrid's

*Sue Hack is working Mondays from home & on Wednesdays from Mapperley Church.*

*Please submit Newsletter items by midday on Wednesday.*

*If you want to visit the office, please ring as the outer door is locked.*

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St Wilfrid, West Hallam ~ Holy Trinity, Mapperley  
St Andrew, Stanley ~ United Church, Stanley Common

**THE NEWSLETTER**

**2<sup>nd</sup> April 2023**

**Palm Sunday**

**Welcome to Worship**

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### **Verse for April: John 11:25 & 26 NIV**

‘Jesus said to her I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in me will live even though he dies and whoever lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?’

### **Please also include in your prayers:**

Ruth Pratt, John, Barbara, Roger Marvin, Christine Thompson,  
Mary Beedell, Mike Semken, Kevin Massey, Bob Prew,  
Val (Dr Jean Parson's cousin), Hazel Massey  
and the family and friends of Michael Bull, Pat Gould,  
Desmond Annable, Evelyn Daniels, Brian Clifton and Marion Harriman RIP.

### **THIS WEEK**

<b>Mon 3</b>	9.30am	Holy Trinity, Mapperley open for private prayer
<b>Tues 4</b>	7.00pm	Bellringers meet in St Wilfrid's, West Hallam
<b>Wed 5</b>	7.30pm	First Wednesday Worship, WHMC
<b>Thurs 6</b>	10.30am	Benefice Coffee Morning, W Hallam Village Hall

### **NOTICES**

**Support please** for St Wilfrid's stall at the West Hallam Coronation Celebrations. The idea behind this is to promote our church to the local community, with the theme 'This is your Church and what we do for you, use it'. We will also be running a "water or wine" tombola on the stall, to (hopefully) attract the crowds. It would be lovely, therefore, if you could donate a bottle of wine.