

# Connect<sup>†</sup>

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# st John's OWLERTON

17<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2019

**NEXT SUNDAY 10am**

TONIGHT 6.30pm

Communion

In faith - reaching for  
**NEW HORIZONS**

"Shine like stars  
in the universe as  
you hold out the  
Word of Life".

Philippians 2:16-17

**Giving to our Mission  
and Ministry in 2019**



st John's  
OWLERTON

Please return your  
commitment pledge forms  
**TODAY!**

Just place them in the box at the  
back of the church.

If you have forgotten to bring your  
form with you, don't worry, there  
are spare copies at the back for  
you to fill in.



Your ideas  
matter.

Please complete our community survey  
[www.lovinghillsborough.org](http://www.lovinghillsborough.org)

Prayer  
FIRST 

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March**  
**7.30pm - 9pm**

**Our prayer focus will be on**  
Youth Ministry

**Please feel free to come and go!**

# Could you serve as a Church Council Member?

## What is the Parochial Church Council?

PCC members are elected as trustees of the charity registered as 'The Ecclesiastical Parish of St John the Baptist Owlerton'. PCC members have a governorship role over all the affairs and business of the church; their task is to ensure due diligence in the stewardship of the church's resources, finances, buildings and assets.

The PCC also represents the interests and concerns of the wider membership of the church and provide feedback to the Vicar and Wardens; they are required to work with the Vicar and the Church Wardens in the promotion of the Gospel and in the care of the church and its members.

The PCC is also the legal 'employer' of the non-clerical staff team, ensuring the proper management and care of the staff.

## This year we need to elect four new members

Each year on Vision Sunday, the membership of the PCC changes as some individuals complete their term and others are elected.

This year we have four places to fill. Each member of the council sits for three years. Please consider whether you could be a member of the PCC and make the commitment to attend six monthly meetings and one Saturday morning during the year.

It is important that the PCC is made up of a range of people with a good mix of skills, from those with an understanding of finance and management, to those who have a good understanding of what happens on the 'ground' within St. John's ministries.

**If you wish to stand for PCC, please complete the relevant form at the back of church.**

Place it in the box or give it to Catherine Jenkins or Mike Taylor.

**Please complete nominations by Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> April (Easter Sunday)**

## Sunday School needs YOU!

Do you love Jesus?

Do you love children?

Could you help once a month?



If you are interested in supporting our amazing Sunday School team in their work with our children, please speak to Amanda

## Table for 6



If you love hosting, cooking, or just eating..... this is PERFECT for you!

You will soon be getting to know those in church you don't already know, even if you've been sitting next to them for years!

Groups of 6 will be gathering together starting on 27<sup>th</sup> April.

Please sign up on the noticeboard and indicate whether you want to be a host, a guest or both!

See Tracey Braithwait or Angela Bradbrook for more details.

## Mother's Day

Sunday 31<sup>st</sup>  
March



**Connect News Sheet**  
**Deadline for items is Wednesday**