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Guisborough United Reformed Church

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Ministers: Rev Catey Morrison Rev Margaret Robb

Sunday, 22nd, March, 2009 at 9.30am.

Lent 4.

Mothering Sunday.

World Water Day

Worship is led this morning by Dorothy Harris.

Northern Synod's Prayer Cycle for 2009. Each day we are asked to pray for specific people, activities and fellowships within the Northern Province. *Thought for the month: **There are many people who think that Sunday is a sponge to wipe out all the sins of the week.** Henry Ward Beecher. Today we pray for the fellowships of: **Blyth; Rev'd Yvonne Tracey; Seaton Delaval LEP; Rev'd Malcolm Sellers Melvin & Susan Fincham (Salvation Army)***

Monday: *Exchange Visit to Troistorf, Germany in September.* A **Churches Together in Guisborough** meeting to arrange a trip to our twinned town, in Germany, will take place at 31, Oakley Close, at 7.30pm. Please attend if you are interested or contact Dorothy Harris.

Tuesday: *Bible Study Group* – the meeting time is at noon and details are by arrangement. See Maureen, Ernest, Donna or Dorothy Harris for information on venues.

Tuesday: Pastoral Carers Meeting: The meeting will be held in the home of Dorothy Harris, 31. Oakley Close, at 7.30pm.

Wednesday - Lent Group Discussions: This year's ecumenical discussions are being held on Wednesday evenings at St Nicholas Church from Wednesday, 4th March for five weeks. The discussions will follow the 'York' Course entitled '*These three.....Faith, Hope, Love.*' This forth week's topic is: '*The greatest of these...*' There is a booklet to accompany the course to guide the discussions and to aid personal study and prayer – cost £3. See Ray.

Wednesday: *In and For the World* - An introduction to "The Nature and Mission of the Church" Wednesday, 25th, March, 10.00am – 3.30pm at North Road Methodist Church, Durham. *A poster on the notice board gives further details.*

Thursday: Quiet Time at 11.30am, with *Catey, Meg, Ken* and others.

Thursday: *Mission Partnership Leadership Team Meeting* will be held in Redcar URC at 7.00pm.

Sunday: *Vision 4Life – Bible Year:* Our journey through the Bible Year began on the first Sunday of this month with us looking at Mark's Gospel. During the course of the month members are asked to read the book in full and then we will spend time, during the service of **Sunday, 29th, March**, with Meg, reflecting on what we have read – and working on the process of unpacking the meaning for ourselves, in our lives in the 21st, century.

Commitment for Life: The March edition of *Moving Stories* gives the latest information about some current events in Palestine. Copies are on the table at the back of the church.

LATE NOTICES: Your notes (*Only late notices - for events in the following week - and urgent matters will be announced*)

Sunday, 29th, March at 9.30am: Rev. Meg Robb - *Ray T Sec.*

Coffee after the service in the hall.

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