

St. Mary's Church Ashwell

Lent Course 2018

As our Lent Course for 2018 we will be following a series of studies developed by Turvey Abbey on the theme of

“Arise - Now is the Favourable Time”

Lent is a season of hope when even death gives rise to **Risen Life**. It is a season for focusing aspects of our faith journey which are ever present and throws into relief the new birth of baptism and the constant newness of life brought about by the death and resurrection of Jesus.

There will be five studies on successive Thursdays at 8:00pm in the Parish Room, commencing 20 February.

The titles for the five studies are:

- Tuesday, 20 February - **Arise** – Now is the Favourable time
- Tuesday, 27 February - **Trust** – The word of the Lord is Spirit and Light
- Thursday, 8 March - **Stand Up** – Do not be Afraid
- Thursday, 15 March - **Re-Birth** – I am the Living Water
- Thursday, 22 March - **Re-creation** – Christ will Shine on You

Each study will begin with the study of a picture painted by an artist at Turvey Abbey to help us focus on the theme and then studying one of more Bible passages which expand the theme and ending with a time for personal reflection on it.

Each study is largely independent of the others – so if you can only come along to one or two of them please feel free to do so.

Everyone is most welcome to join us.