

Worship@6

An opportunity to meet together, sing and pray for all that we do as we try to reach out to our community and make Jesus known.

Maintenance Adventure

We are having a maintenance morning on Saturday 24th June primarily to spring clean in the main church building. Anyone willing to help is welcome to join us from 9am-12noon for tea/coffee/chat/cakes and maybe some high level cleaning, dusting, washing, vacuuming, etc. If you have a vacuum with a long hose that will be useful as well as having no fear of heights!! Jobs for all ages and sizes. Any questions - see Steve Hyde.

Cricket Match - Saturday 24th June at 2:00pm

The Allen family will once again be holding this annual match in memory of Mark Allen and also to raise funds for the wonderful Pilgrims Hospices in the process. It will be held on the Harvey Grammar School cricket field just off Cherry Garden Avenue (west side, near crossroads). If you have any unwanted gifts at home which you would like to donate to the raffle we would be very pleased to receive them! You can also buy raffle tickets from me, after All Stars during coffee time or after the 10:45 service at coffee time today. You have all been such generous supporters in the past. Many thanks. Mandy Allen

Women's World Day of Prayer

Women's World Day of Prayer is having an afternoon tea at All Soul's Church Hall in Cheriton on the 23rd June at 2:30pm. Tickets are available at £3.50 each from Frances Morgan

Bookstall

Jack Leeming has very kindly donated a lot of Christian books from his library. You will find them, in assorted groups, just past the bookstall. Do please have a browse and take any that interest you...Bibles, commentaries, CS Lewis, Martin Lloyd Jones, Charles Swindoll, plus many others. There are some great "classics" there, hugely valuable for faith. There is no charge but if you wish to make a donation to church funds, then please place the money in the bookstall slot. Robert Grieve.

Prayer Ministry after 10:45am Service

If anyone would like someone to pray with them, about anything at all, just make your way to the front of the church to the small seating area near the lectern (on the left).

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Sunday 18th June 2017
1st Sunday after Trinity

Get Connected

Welcome to St John's!

We warmly welcome you if you are visiting us today. Please make yourselves known to us and if you would like to learn more about the life of St John's do collect a welcome pack, available at all our services.

At our 10:45am service you can go to our welcome desk near the door where someone will be able to give you a welcome pack and answer any questions you may have.

Refreshments are available in the church hall after the All Stars and 10:45am services. Do join us for coffee and a chat.

Happy Fathers Day

Today we honour all fathers in our church. None of us are perfect, unlike our Heavenly Father, and we all have room for improvement. Fortunately for us God is in the business of transforming all of us to be more Christlike.

Of course not all men have their own children but all Christian men have a responsibility to provide spiritual fathering to other Christians as they seek to grow in faith. For these responsibilities they need our prayers, support and thanks:

Heavenly Father, bless all fathers as they care for their families, both earthly and spiritual. Give them strength and wisdom, tenderness and patience; support them in the work they have to do, protecting those who look to them, as we look to you for love and salvation, through Jesus Christ our rock and defender. Amen

Steve

What's on this week.....

Monday 19th June	Tuesday 20th June
8:30am Morning Prayer, Church Hall	
Wednesday 21st June	Thursday 22nd June
8:30am Morning Prayer	9:15am Open the Book (Term Time)
9:00am Staff Meeting, Church Hall	1:15pm Twiglets (Toddler Group), Church Hall
10:00am Taylor Toddlers, Grace Taylor Hall	7:00pm On Fizz (Youth Group), Grace Taylor Hall
2:00pm Primetime	7:45pm Choir & Musicians Practice
3:30pm Shooting Stars, Church Hall	
Friday 23rd June	Saturday 24th June
1:00pm All Stars Team Meeting	9:00am Maintenance Morning, Church
5:30pm Brownies	2:00pm Mark Allen Memorial Cricket Match, Harvey Grammar School pitch
7:15 Rangers	
Sunday 25th June - Morning	Sunday 25th June - Evening
9:15am Morning Worship, Grace Taylor Hall	6:00pm Worship@6, Church Hall
9:15 All Stars - Worship for All Ages, Church Hall	7:15pm Sunday Nighters, Church Hall
10:45 Morning Worship in Church	



BBQ 2nd July, 1:00pm at the Vicarage

All are invited to come along and join us as we welcome Jo Purle, our new curate.

There will be sign up lists for contributions at each service venue. If you sign up to bring things, please bring them to the kitchen at the vicarage as early as possible ready to eat. Please bring a plate, knife, fork and spoon and a beaker for drinks which will be supplied. You will also need a blanket or chair to sit on. We will have dishes for desserts. Thank you. Frances Morgan



Jo Purle's Ordination
11am Canterbury Cathedral on Saturday 1st July.
Everyone welcome.