



In the Parish of Upper Deal & Great Mongeham

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Book Club: Monthly, please see Jane Slater for details.

Children's Service, St Richard's: Monthly, third Sunday, 10.00am.

Coffee Morning, St Leonard's Centre: Weekly, Tuesdays 9.30 – 11.30am

CrafTEA, St Leonard's Centre: Monthly, first Tuesday 2-4pm

Deal Warm Welcome, St Richard's: Weekly, Mondays 9am – 1pm*

Dwelling in the Word, The Manions', Fortnightly, Fridays.

English Lessons for Ukraine, St Richard's: Monthly, 2nd Thursday

Friendship Lunch, St Richard's, Monthly, first Thurs, 12 noon (Incl. 1/1/26)

Froglets, St Richard's: Term time, Weekly, Fridays, 10-12 noon

Memory Support Café, St Richard's: 2nd & last Tuesday of month 3-5pm

Men's Breakfast, Sir Norman Wisdom: Monthly, first Saturday, 8.30am

Mother's Union Holy Communion, St Leonard's: Monthly, 1st Thurs., 10am

Mother's Union Meetings St Leonard's Centre, Monthly, second Tues., 2.30pm

Sunday School, St Martin's: Available Weekly, 11.00am

UDGM Prayer Group, at home: Monthly, second Saturday, 10.00am

*returns to Community Café format in April

'Dwelling in the Word' passage James 2. 14-24

¹⁴ What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if someone claims to have faith but has no deeds? Can such faith save them? ¹⁵ Suppose a brother or a sister is without clothes and daily food. ¹⁶ If one of you says to them, "Go in peace; keep warm and well fed," but does nothing about their physical needs, what good is it? ¹⁷ In the same way, faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is dead.

¹⁸ But someone will say, "You have faith; I have deeds."

Show me your faith without deeds, and I will show you my faith by my deeds. ¹⁹ You believe that there is one God. Good! Even the demons believe that—and shudder.

²⁰ You foolish person, do you want evidence that faith without deeds is useless? ²¹ Was not our father Abraham considered righteous for what he did when he offered his son Isaac on the altar? ²² You see that his faith and his actions were working together, and his faith was made complete by what he did. ²³ And the scripture was fulfilled that says, "Abraham believed God, and it was credited to him as righteousness," and he was called God's friend. ²⁴ You see that a person is considered righteous by what they do and not by faith alone.

God of Mission,

Who alone brings growth to your Church,
Send your Holy Spirit to give
Vision for our planning,
Wisdom to our actions,
Joy to our worship
And power to our witness.
Help our church to grow in numbers,
In spiritual commitment to you
And in service to our local community,
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

PARISH CONTACTS

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