

Sunday 12th July

St. John's

10:30am Holy Communion*

Colossians 1:21-29

Leader: Doug Johnson

Preacher: Ben Graham

St. Andrew's

3pm Afternoon Service

Colossians 1:15-24

Leader: Keith Stevens

Preacher: Beth Farrington

St. John's

6:30pm Evening Service

Luke 16:1-15

Leader: Ben Graham

Preacher: Doug Johnson

Weekly Notice Sheet

WELCOME

New here?

If you are visiting, or here for the first time, please do come and say hello. We would love to get to know you.

After the service

Tea and coffee will be served. You are very welcome to stay and join us.

Here with children?

* During the 10:30am service at St. John's, there are groups running for 0-3yrs (Creche) & 3-11yrs (Junior Church) over in the Schoolrooms between 10:45-11:45am. This is a building just 30 seconds across from the main church. If your children would like to join us, please could you accompany them and introduce yourselves to the registration team there. There is also a group for 11-16yrs (Pathfinders) who meet down in the church crypt during this time; if this is you and you'd like to join them, you'd be most welcome.

Any questions?

Please speak to the welcome team on the door; they will be happy to help.

Services next Sunday: 19th July

St. Andrew's | 9:30am

Holy Communion

1 Corinthians 13

St. John's | 10:30am

Morning Worship

1 Corinthians 13

St. John's | 6:30pm

Evening Service

Luke 16:16-18

ON EVERY WEEK

Footprints (toddler group)

Mondays | 10am | Schoolrooms

Bellringing Practice

Mondays | 7pm |

St. John's Church

Holy Communion

Tuesdays | 10:30am |

St. John's Church

Tiny Toes (baby group)

Thursdays | 10am | Schoolrooms

Gone Fishing Café

Thursdays | 10am - 12pm |

St. John's Church

FAN Prayer

Fridays | 9am | Schoolrooms

Youth

Fridays | 7pm | Schoolrooms

COMING UP THIS WEEK

Prayers for Wider Westfield

Monday 13th July | 6:30pm | St. Peter's Church, Coronation Avenue

Men's Fellowship Group

Wednesday 15th July | 2:30 - 4:15pm | St. John's Schoolrooms

Open to men of all ages, looking for fellowship and some Bible study. Come and join us for coffee, cake and a chat. All welcome. Contact Tim Thurgood for more information.

SJYA

Wednesday 15th July | 7:30pm

For all young adults (18-30s). This month we will be meeting for a walk at West Bay. If you'd like to come along to SJYA, please message Tim or Hannah Osborn for more details or contact the church office via email.

Food for Thought

Thursday 16th July | 12:30pm | St. John's Schoolrooms

For those wanting to find out about the Christian faith in a relaxed, friendly atmosphere. Light lunch provided. Is there someone you may want to invite along? For more details, please contact maryirwin@capuk.org

Model Railway Group

Thursday 16th July | 7pm | St. John's Schoolrooms

Come for tea, coffee and a chat with like-minded individuals, and enjoy a chance to run some trains.

Crafty Ladies

Thursday 16th July | 7:30pm | St. John's Schoolrooms

This friendly group was started as a way of creating furnishings for St. John's and has become a great way of building friendships. For more information, please contact Roz Chatwin or the church office.

NOTICES

Lapsuna, Moldova

The church building of our mission partners in Lapusna, Moldova, will cost a further £15,000 to weatherproof, preventing deterioration of the work already completed (see Mission update letter available at the back of St. John's). A HUGE thank you to all those who have recently donated to this fund through the St John's account or through Ruth and Keith Stevens' mammoth 12-hour hymnathon* last Monday. Further donations can still be made, to account name: PCC St John, Sort code: 60-24-37 Account number: 68835183 using the payment reference Moldova building. Thank you

***A big thank you to the 30 guests that came to join the hymnathon during the day. £1000 was raised, which will go towards the building work needed at Emmanuel Church.**

A Christian Newspaper?

James D-S writes: 'Evangelicals Now' is a monthly Christian newspaper celebrating its 40th anniversary. I have been a subscriber for over 30 years. Check out the website: <https://www.e-n.org.uk>. If you subscribe you can read it online, or get a paper copy by post, or both. Vouchers are available at the back of St. John's to get 25% off a year's subscription (£40 or £30 with the voucher). We used the current edition at our July First Weds prayer meeting, to pray for persecuted Christians around the world, and for our Parliament and nation, and the General Synod, and Bible Translation in Senegal, and our own church's pastoral care, youth work, and more. Take a voucher, or a free copy (if any are left) or check out the website.

Please Pray

Please continue to pray for Helen, Jon, Hannah, Tim, Dan, Hannah, and the whole family as they prepare the funeral arrangements for Helen's mum. Beryl's Service of Thanksgiving will take place on Monday 20th July at 2pm at Christ Church, Downend.

Please also continue to pray for Alison Read, and for other friends of Norman Browne who died recently. Arrangements are being made for a private committal, and for a service at St. John's in due course.

Servants of the Word

On Sunday 19th Steven Musa Kormayea from SOW (The Gambia) is the preacher at St John's 10.30 service (1 Cor 13). Ben will still be leading and preaching at St Andrew's.

St. John's Shared Lunch

Sunday 19th July | 12pm | St. John's Schoolrooms

All are welcome to join us for a shared lunch following the 10:30am service on Sunday 19th July. Please sign the sheet at the back of the church to indicate what you will be bringing to the lunch. If your food contains any known allergens, please could you also list this on the sign-up sheet (particularly if it contains nuts). Please also remember to bring your own plates, cutlery and a bag to take them home to wash after the event. Thank you!

The Loop

Sunday 19th July | 4:30 – 6pm | St. John's Schoolrooms

Bible discussion group for anyone exploring faith. Join at any time. No Bible knowledge needed. All questions welcome. The Loop is an informal Bible course that gives the opportunity to explore faith for yourself; it runs for a year over 19 sessions and covers all key aspects of the Christian faith. You are welcome to try one or complete a year, starting at any point. Contact ben@sjyeovil.org.uk

Holiday Club Whole Team Briefing

Thursday 23rd July | 7:30pm | St. John's Church

Holiday Club Set-up Sunday

Sunday 26th July | 12pm | St. John's Church

Please come and help the team set up and prepare! There are many jobs to do to suit everyone and all help will be gratefully received. The preparations begin after coffee at around 12pm with bringing tables over from the Schoolrooms once Junior Church is over and last a few hours. Folk can bring their lunch with them or come back after they have eaten.

Notice from Emelia

Emelia Smith is doing a church internship next year. She has been placed at YCC by SWYM. She will be working with children and youth at YCC and local schools and completing a theology qualification. She will be talking about it at both services on Sunday. Below is the link to her sponsorship page if you feel you could help her with this work. <http://www.stewardship.org.uk/partners/20627381>

Christian Aid

Has launched an emergency appeal in response to the devastating earthquakes in Venezuela.

If you would like to give you can do so via this link: <https://www.christianaid.org.uk/appeals/emergencies/venezuela-earthquake-appeal>

The Assisted Dying Bill is back - write to your MP now

In the last parliamentary session, the Assisted Dying Bill failed to pass through the House of Lords. But it has been reintroduced by Lauren Edwards and will have a second reading on the 12th of September in the House of Commons, unchanged from the last parliament, despite all its flaws. Both Adam Dance and Edward Morello voted for the bill in the last session of parliament. Without your intervention, they will likely do the same. Please continue to pray, but also write to your MP in opposition to this bill. It only went through the House of Commons last time by a very small majority. There is plenty of material available to help you. Please talk to Gordon McFarlane or David Barnes if you have any questions.

Meal Train

Adam and Victoria Oxborrow are expecting their new arrival within the next few weeks and it would be wonderful if we could support them with some meals. If you would like to help in this way, they have set up a 'meal train' where you can find more information and sign up to a particular date www.mealtrain.com/trains/dedgw6 Please note there is no obligation to fill every date, they will be thankful for any dates / meals offered. Many thanks.