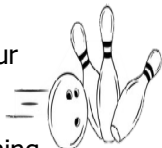


Thanks!

Huge thanks to everyone who came along last night to enjoy our skittles and bar games evening. Thanks too to all involved in getting the evening together and helping on the night. It was a fantastic event and the total raised will be announced this morning...



Parish Magazine

Next Sunday, a questionnaire will be given out which gives an opportunity to have your say about the future of our St Stephen's parish magazine – What should it contain? How often should it be published? Is there still a need for a printed publication?



The Children's Society

The Children's Society collection boxes are now due for emptying. If you have a box, please give this to Maureen Batchelor. If you would like a donation box to collect for this excellent charity at home, please speak to Maureen.

Activity Day

Our next children's Activity Day is taking place on Tuesday 27th October. If you can help out in any way, setting up, clearing away or helping on the day itself, please speak to Jane. Registration forms are now available in the conservatory.

Hall Hire

The hiring out of our lovely hall is a great source of income and we have now produced a new advertising flyer and poster. Please do take flyers/posters and let people know we're here! We have particularly good availability on Tuesday and Friday day-times and Saturday day and evening.



Start!



Basic Christianity Course

From late November, we are planning to run the 'Start' course again at St Stephen's. This course runs over 6 sessions and is ideal for new Christians, those wanting to find out more about the Christian faith or exploring Baptism and/or Confirmation. If you, or someone you know might be interested in this course, please do speak to Ros.

Messy Church

Our October Messy Church is taking place this afternoon. Please do invite any children and families you think might enjoy it and pray for the children and leaders as they explore the story of David and Goliath.

Church Redecoration

We have now identified an excellent contractor and have raised £3500 of the £6500 needed for the redecoration of the church. To help us get over the line, we are planning to hold a 'Gift Day' on Sunday 1st October, inviting donations specifically for this project. Further details next week....

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WEEKDAY SERVICES

Sunday 18 th	10am	Sung Mass
	1pm	Baptism
	4pm	Messy Church
Wednesday 21 st	9.30am	Morning Prayer in church
	7pm	Said Mass

Leader: Revd Mike Batchelor Preacher: Tina Titley



NEXT SUNDAY: Bible Sunday

25th October 2026

4th Sunday of the Month

10:00 am Sung Mass

Revd Kerry Holt