

# ST JOHN'S WEEKLY NEWS

## SUNDAY 16TH JUNE

*Hello and Welcome.*

This Sunday at the 10am we welcome the friends and family of Sofia Dalli to her baptism, do come and join us. We will also be continuing through Romans and asking 'What's so amazing about grace?' At the 4pm we're thinking about Jesus' welcome to children. Then at 7pm it's 'Holy Presence', with time and space to wait on the Lord, hear from his word and respond in prayer and worship.



If you are visiting us on Sunday, please ask the welcome team for a welcome pack and prayer is usually available after our services. Our aim is: *'Together, to make Jesus known.'* We would love the chance to get to know you and share more of the life and faith of our church. I will be in the Church Centre on Tuesday morning, from 10am until just before midday (but not Thursday 20th) if you'd like to meet.

*God bless, Tom*

### Next Sunday (16th June):

**10am Morning Worship // 4pm All-age Communion // 7pm Holy Presence**

### Next Sunday (23rd June):

10am Holy Communion // 4pm All-age Worship // 6.30pm In-Church Prayer

Usual Sunday Services Pattern	10AM	4PM (TERM-TIME)	6.30pm*
1st Sunday	Morning Worship	All-age Service	Quiet Communion
2nd Sunday	Communion	All-age Service	Online Prayer
3rd Sunday	Morning Worship	All-age Communion	*7pm - 'Holy Presence'
4th Sunday	Communion	All-age Service	In-Church Prayer
(5th Sunday)	Morning Worship	All-age Communion	

Our latest news, diary and more is available at: [stjohnssouthbourne.com](http://stjohnssouthbourne.com)

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# LATEST NEWS & UPDATES

Please send items for the Weekly News to the office by Wednesday.



Sussex Day Fete is on this Saturday. Sue Hall is holding a stall to raise money for Headway, the charity that has helped and continues to help Pete and her since his accident. She is selling homemade items, with help from the Craft Club including cakes! Do come along to support her and the other stalls that will be there.

**Family Support Fair**  
Tuesday 18th June, 9-11am

St John's Church, Main Road, Stein Rd, A259, Southbourne  
PO10 8LB

Come along to our Family Support Fair to meet experts and discover the support and resources available for your family!

The Family Support Fair is arranged for you by Bourne Community College, Thorney Island Primary, Southbourne Infant, Southbourne Junior, Chidham Parochial Primary, Bosham Primary, Westbourne Primary and Funtington Primary Schools.  
Speak to your school SENCO for more information!

St John's is hosting a Family Support Fair organised by 8 local schools on Tuesday 18th June. This provides a great opportunity for local families to discover support in the local area. Could you give a hand in re arranging our chairs? **Tuesday 18th June 4-5pm?** Thank you, please let Tom know if you could help support this important event.



Sue Fallon will be talking about her trip to Tanzania on Thursday, 20th June at 7.00pm in the Lounge. Puddings will be served!

**ST JOHN'S SOUTHBOURNE  
CHURCH TOGETHER DAY  
SUNDAY 21ST JULY**

**10AM ALL-AGES SERVICE  
FROM 12PM BBQ & FELLOWSHIP  
3PM OUTDOOR COMMUNION**

Full information and BBQ sign up at:  
[stjohnssouthbourne.com/together](http://stjohnssouthbourne.com/together)  
or speak to Susie in the office.

Everyone is invited to our St John's Church Together Day on Sunday 21st July.

We will start with an all-together service for both congregations at 10am in Church, followed by the usual refreshments. Then from midday there will be a BBQ in the Vicarage garden, with time and space to enjoy time together. There will be opportunities for games on the Church lawn. Please bring a chair, sunhat, cup, plate and cutlery. Tickets are just £1 per person from [stjohnssouthbourne.com/together](http://stjohnssouthbourne.com/together) Then we will finish with an outdoor communion together as a church family in the garden. Please come for as much of the day as you can.

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to book!



Emsworth Baptist Church invites you to: Women Walking in Faith Together Conference.

Speaker: Sharon Anson. Saturday 29 June, 2024.  
9.30am - 12.30pm.



**This Saturday, 15th June, Karen Williams** along with my daughter and son (Natalie and Luke) will be walking 10 miles as part of the **Moonlight Walk for St Wilfrid's Hospice** where Dave and I already volunteer. If anyone would like to support St. Wildrid's Hospice, please [click here](#). Thank you.



**Next to the compost bins behind the church is a sack of garden compost** - please help yourself. Could I remind anyone working in the church garden that we 'quick compost' so please do not put twigs, evergreens or leaves (except those chopped up with the lawn mowings) in the bins. Thank you very much, Janice.



**Could anyone host a Church Coffee Morning in August** whilst the Coffee Connect team earned a well-deserved rest?



**The next Walk and Talk will be on Sunday, 14th July.** Start time 1.50pm at the Church to leave the Church promptly at 2pm to be back at Church at 3.50pm in time for the 4pm service.

**MISSION**  
OF THE MONTH



**The Mission of the month for June is The Lighthouse Fellowship in Belgium.** We support Callum and Rianne in their work in Antwerp bringing the word of Jesus to the city and their neighbourhood. If you would like to know about their work, please look at the Mission's board in the Centre. **They will be joining us at St. John's for both services to talk about life in Belgium on Sunday 30th June.** If you would like to donate to their work [click here](#).



**Street Prayers, Tuesday 9.30am on Zoom.**

**This week we are praying for:**

Kelsey Avenue, Barnfield Close, Eastfield Close, Overton Road & Glenwood Road

We will be remembering all those people who give us personal services –

Refuse Collectors, Post persons, Milk and other deliveries and our Street cleaners.

# **WHAT'S ON DURING THE WEEK**

Online Prayer is on Zoom [Click here to join](#) Meeting ID: 832 7893 7113. Passcode: 141540  
Please check Churchsuite or the website for the full diary.

## **Monday, 17 June**

8:30am Morning Prayer Online (Zoom)

## **Tuesday, 18 June**

9:00am Coffee Connect (Foyer)  
9:30am Street Prayers on Zoom (Online)

## **Wednesday, 19 June**

9:00am Coffee Connect (The Foyer)  
9:30am Communion (Church)  
10:15am Bible Study (Lounge)  
10:30am Nuture Group (Prayer Room)  
7:30pm Singing Practise (Lounge)  
7:50pm Men's Football (Bourne Leisure)

## **Thursday, 20 June**

8:30am Morning Prayer Online (Zoom)  
9:00am Coffee Connect (Foyer)  
10:00am Assembly - Perseverance  
(Southbourne Junior School)  
10:00am St John's Tots (Centre Hall)  
12:00pm Pastoral Team Meeting  
(Lounge)  
7:00pm Tanzania Trip - Sue Fallon  
(Lounge)

## **Friday, 21 June**

9:45am Prayer and Praise (Lounge)

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If a Church event isn't shown, please check in the office that its on Churchsuite, thanks!

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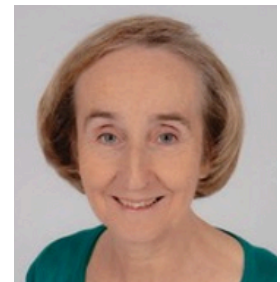
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