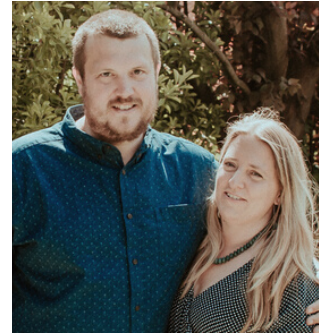


ST JOHN'S WEEKLY UPDATE

SUNDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER

HELLO FROM THE VICARAGE!

From next Sunday (10th) we're starting a series in Ruth across both Sunday services. There are notes for homegroups and individuals available in Church or electronically on our website's Church Life / Study page. I'm around Tuesday and Thursday, 10-12 in the Church Centre and Wednesday Communion restarts this week.



At the 10am this Sunday we welcome Harry and Ruby with their family and friends to be baptised, and our theme is Psalm 23.

The 4pm is back! Our all-age service with groups for children returns after a summer break and we're really looking forward to seeing you!

God bless, and see you soon, *Tom*

Welcome if you're joining us today!

Our Sunday services are at 10am and 4pm (all-age) and we have a quiet spoken service of Holy Communion, Wednesdays at 9.30am.

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.

If you are visiting, please ask the welcome team for a welcome pack. Prayer is usually available after the services.

More information is available at: stjohnssouthbourne.com
Including the new term for children, youth and families groups.

For any further information, please contact the Church office:
(01243) 375576 or email: admin@stjohnssouthbourne.com



LATEST NEWS & UPDATES



Coffee Connect is back! It will be open from this Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday morning from 9.00am-12noon



Alpha Course. Please can you commit to pray for the Alpha Course starting on Monday 4th September? Please could Bible study and prayer groups also include us in your weekly prayers. Thank you. Julie and Martin Fair



Film Club is also back! Starting next Tuesday, 12th September at 2.00pm with a film, starring Tom Hanks, about a grumpy man whose life is changed by a new family moving into his street.



Save the Date - Saturday 7th October
... the annual Tearfund quiz evening with puddings!
Round up your team members or come anyway and we will put you on a team.



Street Prayer 9.30am on Tuesday.
This week we will be praying for: -
Main Road South, Slipper Road, Thorney Road, Thornham Lane, Thorney Island, Gordon Road, Mill Quay, Osprey Quay, Heron Quay, Avocet Quay & Kings Court.
We will also be remembering our friends in Nutbourne including Patricia Way.



Easy Fundraising..Do you shop on line?

Below is a painless way to raise extra funds for the church. When you are thinking of buying something on line, check if the company takes part in Easyfundraising. If they do and you have signed up, see below, then a small percentage of your spend will come through to St John's. I have used regularly it for EBay purchases and Gousto meals. OK it's only a small amount each time but as they say, every little helps [Please click here](#) if you would like to sign up. Sue McNeill



Our special Harvest event this year will run in the church grounds from Thursday 21st – Saturday 24th September. There will be displays in the Church grounds suitable for all-ages. As well as celebrating the traditional harvest, it will also outline mankind's journey of salvation.

It will be done in the style of the Good Friday event we have offered for several years and consist of a series of gardens.

Preparations are ongoing now and we are interested to hear from anyone who can offer time and skills. Please have a word with Sarah Adams or Rosemary Pearson.

There are also sign-up sheets at the back of Church for those who can help with setting up from 2 p.m. on Wednesday 20th, and those willing to be part of a Welcome Team on the three days of the event itself.

Sunday, 24th Joint Harvest Thanksgiving Service at 10.00am followed by a Harvest lunch at 12.30pm

The Harvest Lunch will take place in the Church and it will be a Ploughmans, with cheese, ham and quiche followed by apple cumble and custard! If you would like to come along , [please click here](#) or come into the Church Office.



WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Online Prayer is on zoom. [Click here to join.](#) Meeting ID: 832 7893 7113. Passcode: 141540

Sunday, 3rd September

10:00am **Morning Worship** with Baptism at Church

Gathering together for worship, biblical teaching, prayer, and opportunities for sharing and healing. Communion is offered on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sunday during August.

Monday, 4th September

8:30am **Prayer on Zoom**

1.30pm **Dementia Friendly Group**

Tuesday, 5th September

9.00am - **Coffee Connect**

9:30am **Street Prayers on Zoom** Online

Wednesday, 6th September

9.00am **Coffee Connect**

9.30am **Holy Communion**

10.15am **Bible Study**

7.30pm **Parish Council**

7.50pm **5-side Football**

Thursday, 7th September

8:30am **Prayer on Zoom** at Online

9.00am **Coffee Connect**

7.30pm **PCC**

Friday, 8th September

9:30am **Praise & Prayer** in the Lounge



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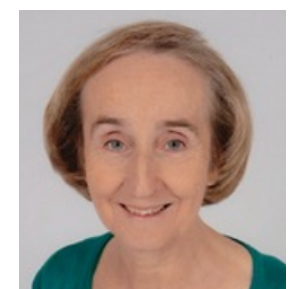
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