

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sun 8.00am Holy Communion
10.00am Parish Communion
Reading: The Rocky Road: 1 Peter 5: 1-14
6.30pm United Service at Coney Hill Baptist Church

Mon } No regular activities during half term

Tue
Wed 1pm-4pm CareerCafé drop-in at SJ's
4pm-7pm CareerCafé appointments

Thur No regular activities during half term

Fri 10am – noon Craft Club at SJ's

NEXT SUNDAY – 3rd June

8.00am Holy Communion
10.00am Family Service
6.30pm No service

NB Jon will be on annual leave 28th May to 1st June.

THIS WEEK'S QUESTION

God caused the waters of the Jordan to 'pile up in a heap' up river and lower down the water drained into the Dead Sea. Thus, the Israelites were able to walk over on the dry river bed. When they had all passed over, God told Joshua to take twelve men, one from each tribe, and tell them to do something – what was it?

Read Joshua 4: 1 - 7

MONDAY EVENING PRAYER MEETINGS

Remaining dates this term:

11th June, 2nd, 9th & 16th July. They are all @ 8pm in SJ's.

All welcome.

St John's
west wickham

27th May 2018
Trinity Sunday



WARDY SUMMER GARDEN PARTY

Hopefully you've already got the date in the diary, but here are some more details. The get together will be on **10 June from 3pm**, at the Rectory (30 Coney Hill Road).

For those of you who are newer to the church, it's an open invitation - all are welcome. Feel free to bring family and friends, and you can come and go as you please through the afternoon. We'll provide a selection of drinks, including Pimms and afternoon tea, as well as some nibbles. However, it's as a 'bring and share' occasion, so if you could come with anything suitable for an afternoon feast - cakes, sandwiches or savoury nibbles - that would be great.

If you are in it for the long haul, you might want to bring something to sit on. We've got a few things to keep littlies amused, but no doubt sugar levels will be high, so don't hesitate to arrive armed with your distraction tool of choice.

We look forward to seeing you.

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WELCOME

If you're a visitor this morning and wish to find out more about what goes on then introduce yourself to one of our leadership team, or **fill in one of our Connect Cards**. Equally, help yourself to any of our packs, which explain a bit more of what's going on in our church family.

CHURCH WEEKEND AWAY TEAM NEEDED!

The sign up sheets for our weekend away on **17-19 May 2019** (Friday evening to Sunday afternoon) are in the church. The venue will be the De Vere Horsley Estate Hotel, which you can find at

<https://www.phcompany.com/de-vere/horsley-estate/>

Our hope is to get as much as the church family there as possible. We do not want cost to be the limiting factor, so we are inviting you to indicate whether you would like to go, irrespective of whether you think you can afford it or not.

We want to put together a team of people who can start thinking about the structure of the weekend now. We'll need a variety of gifts in the mix from admin, finance, hospitality, etc so if you are interested please contact Jon.



WEDDING

Dan Turner and Sarah Haig are being married on Saturday 2nd June at 12 30 pm at St John

the Evangelist Church, Shirley.
(38 Shirley Church Rd, Croydon CR0 5EE). All very welcome



18-35 DISCUSSION

The continuation of the discussions we have begun on how better to serve this

age group will be on **Thursday 21 June, 8pm** at Dan & Sarah's house – 120 Bourne Vale, BR2 7NZ. Anyone in this age category is welcome to join the chat.



YP&FE APPOINTMENT!

For those of you who missed the recent announcement, we are pleased to announce that Amber Stockdale has been appointed to our new role of Young People and Families Enabler. Amber will be starting on **27 July**. Please pray for her as she prepares to take on this new position.



'YOU ASKED FOR IT'

Here are the topics which were most

frequently requested and will form the series, starting in June:

10 June	LGBTQ
17 June	Marriage
24 June	Tithing & Money
8 July	Singleness
15 July	The Bible
22 July	Abortion

Given the nature of some of the topics, the plan is to also have Q&A sessions after the service, where the preacher and the clergy will be available to explore the subject further.



GDPR

The new data privacy legislation came into effect from 25th May 2018. Forms are available in church and can be returned to the Parish Office by email, post or put in the box in church. For more information please see our website. We are producing a new version of the **Contact Book** so if you would like to be in it you will need to complete and return a form. Thanks.



FOODBANK

Bromley Foodbank are currently short of tinned tomatoes, tinned potatoes, long life fruit juice, soup, jam and rice. Also shampoo, toothbrushes, baby wipes, washing up liquid and washing

powder. Any of these for the collection box would be welcome. Thank you.



DEALING WITH DEPRESSION COURSE

Purley Baptist Church are running this 5 week course from Wednesday 30 May. Further details are on the poster at the information point in church.



PRAYERS

Please pray for:

- Amber Crisis Pregnancy Care and Christian Aid; our mission focus this month;
- All those currently in the midst of exams – that they would remain calm and be able to give their best;
- The many people in our church family who are recovering from illness or treatment, including Rachel Harris, Barry Clements, Sheila Foster, Geoff Larcombe and Julie Lancaster.
- The preparations for Sprung, and the many camps happening over the Summer;
- Nazanin Zaghari-Ratcliffe and her family, amidst rumours that Iranian officials may press further charges.