

Today

Welcome to St. Paul's All Age Worship & Communion with Canon Alan Brown. If you are new or visiting please make yourself known and feel welcome to join us for tea and coffee after the service▲

For young people:

Crèche - facilities in the back room▲

Shoebox Appeal 2017

Please join us this Saturday (9th) in the Christian Centre to kick start this year's Shoebox Appeal!

Enjoy tea, coffee, edible goodies and wonderful company. All proceeds will go to helping us obtain items or postage for the shoeboxes. 2016

was very successful and God filled, let us show our love for those children in need even more this year.

The box for donated items will be at the back of the church from the beginning of September. *Ian & Kathy*▲



Extraordinary Meeting



The PCC has called an Extraordinary Meeting of Parishioners for next Sunday (10th September)

to fill a casual vacancy for a position of Churchwarden. The meeting will take place after morning worship when Howard Cunnington will be with us.

Vacancy Prayer Father God. You know all our needs and the plans you have for us at **St. Paul's**. We pray for the person of your calling who will be our new Priest and for the church they are leaving.

We continue to stand on all you have asked us to do and trust in your provision and timing. In Jesus name. Amen.

Collect

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray and to give more than either we desire or deserve:

pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid and giving us those good things which we are not worthy to ask but through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Time to Join a Group?

As September and a 'new term' begins, why not join one of our groups for fellowship, study and more?

Monday Christian Centre Fellowship Group
Led fortnightly by Andrew and currently working their way through the latest Alpha material.

Ladies Fellowship (Weekly on Mondays)
With Mary & Margaret in various homes in the Parish.

Christian Centre Tuesday Group
Fortnightly with Malcolm & Gary.

St. Paul's Fellowship Group (Wednesdays)
Fortnightly in the Christian Centre with Leigh.

If you're new and not sure who the leaders are then ask Andrew our Churchwarden (AKA the 'Master of Ceremonies' on Sunday mornings!) or Kevin who can nearly always be found at the sound desk at the back and they will point you in the right direction!



Also don't forget opportunities to PRAY on Thursday mornings and our Wednesday fortnightly Evening Prayer (with intercessions)▲

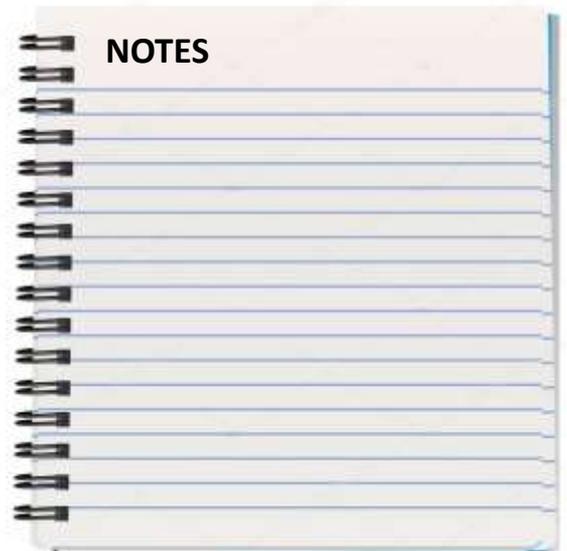
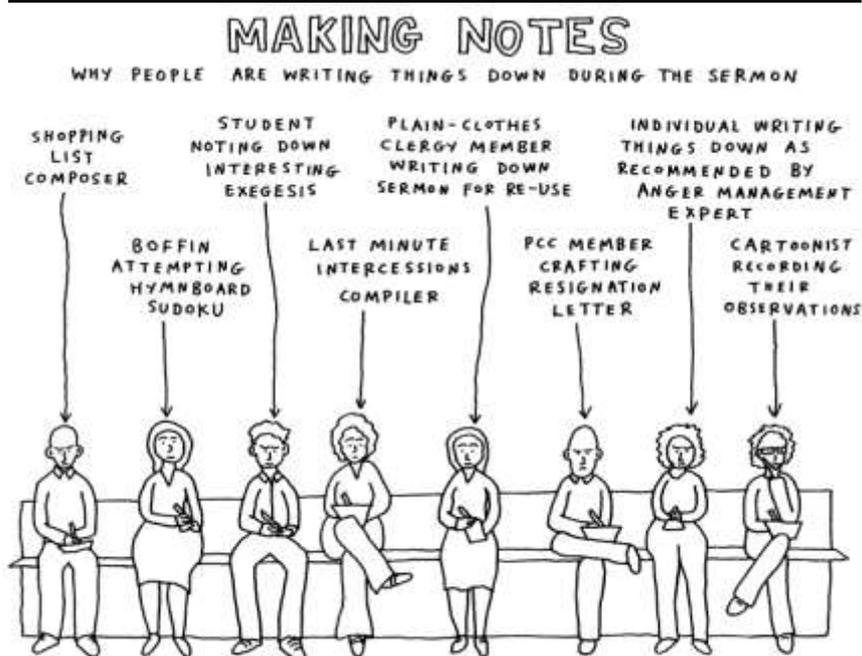
This week

Date	Time	Event
Mon 4th	7:30pm 8:00pm	Ladies Fellowship - See Mary or Margaret. Monday Christian Centre Fellowship Group - Continuing our look at the Alpha videos.
Wed 6th	10:15am 7:30pm	Morning Prayer. Evening Prayer with Intercessions.
Thu 7th	2:00pm 7:00pm	'Tea And Chat' - 2:00pm - 4:00pm in Paul's Christian Centre. ALL WELCOME! Worship Team Practice.
Sat 9th	10:00am	St. Paul's Coffee Morning 10:00am - 12:00noon in the Christian Centre. This month we'll be raising funds for our Samaritan's Purse Shoe-box Appeal.

Dates for your diary...

Date	Time	Event
Sun 10th	9:45am 10:00am 11:30am	Ignite - For Young People 4-16. In the Christian Centre except 1st Sunday of each month. Worship & Communion Service - Rev. Howard Cunnington. Extraordinary Meeting of Parishioners.
Mon 11th		CWTN (Churches Working Together in Newport) Meeting - Our reps Ian & Gary.
Tue 12th	9:45am	'Little Rascals' Parent & Toddler Group starts again 9:45am - 11:30am in the Christian Centre.
Wed 13th	7:30pm	PCC Meeting.
Sat 16th		Wedding.
Fri 22nd		Christian Friends of Israel Conference - Eastbourne (See Andrew).
Sat 23rd		Christian Friends of Israel Conference - Eastbourne (See Andrew).
Sat 30th		CMJ (Churches Ministry Amongst Jewish People) Yom Kippur Prayer Event A unique annual event for a range of Jewish ministry staff and supporters to unite in order to pray. Stanstead House - The venue is Close to Portsmouth and the Chapel at Stanstead House has a very interesting history via Lewis Way and a unique stained glass window representing mission to the Jewish people! (See Kevin or Penny).

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DIAMOND WEDDING ANNIVERSARY!
We send Love and Congratulations to Phyl & George Ryall who will be celebrating their Diamond Wedding Anniversary on Thursday 7th September.
Well done!

