

Today

Welcome to St. Paul's Breakfast Church & Word & Worship Service with our DVD presentation this morning.



If you are new or visiting please make yourself known and feel welcome to join us for our 'Bring & Share' Breakfast and tea and coffee after the service▲

For young people:

Crèche - facilities in the back room.

9:45am 'Ignite' Breakfast Club (Meet in church)▲

Collect

God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the gospel that, always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service; through 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.



Archdeaconry Consultation Meetings

The Isle Of Wight Archdeaconry meeting will be held on: Tuesday 3 October 7:00pm - 9:00pm in All Saints Church, Queen's Road Ryde PO33 3AF

Archdeaconry Consultation Meetings will take place this autumn to discuss the development of the Diocese Live, Pray Serve implementation plans. Key attendees will be Incumbents, Priests in Charge, and all core PCC officers, but the meetings are also open to anyone from parishes interested in being part of these important discussions.

The Isle Of Wight Archdeaconry Consultation meetings will also focus on the implementation plan for Live, Pray, Serve. Our diocese has tried to capture the essence of what we're about in those three words. It involves living as disciples of Christ; praying, individually and corporately; and serving our local communities and wider society together. Those three principles are permeating everything

we do at diocesan level. From this autumn, we'll be seeking to apply those same guidelines to everything happening in our parishes.

These meetings will give you the chance to hear about and contribute to the plans for support from diocesan staff and to begin to reframe your local mission plans to align with live, pray, serve priority areas.

Our Diocesan Secretary, the Rev Wendy Kennedy, said: "While it's important for us to have a clear direction at diocesan level, all we do is about supporting the front-line of parish mission.



"Our live, pray, serve strategy aims at enlarging the Church, numerical-

ly and spiritually. It has come out of the national Church's Reform and Renewal agenda, which has looked at issues such as funding, training, leadership, discipleship and the easing of red tape, in order to encourage us to step out in mission."

We identified four ways in which those at diocesan level can encapsulate the themes of 'live, pray, serve' in what we do:

- making Christian disciples, who can bring Christ to those who they work or study with, consider their own vocations, and be equipped to serve the world;
- supporting churches to grow, with training for parishes in mission, community engagement and communications, and the resourcing of pioneer ministry alongside traditional parish ministry;
- encouraging lifelong learning, developing schools and colleges as places of encounter with God and helping parishes to re-imagine their engagement with schools;
- supporting the transformation of society, by clearly articulating faith in the public sphere, and equipping people to challenging society.

Now we want to discover the specific ways in which our parishes are already contributing to that vision – or how they might do so in future▲

Calling anyone who works with children and families in and around the Isle of Wight.

Come meet with some new friends and old to share together about our ministry with children. Encourage and support one another. Eat breakfast and drink coffee - it costs as little as a cuppa all the way up to Full English.



We meet from 9:00-11:00am at The Chequers Inn, Niton Road, Rookley, Isle of Wight, PO38 3NZ on the following dates:

- ◆ Saturday 7th October 2017
- ◆ Saturday 20th January 2018
- ◆ Saturday 21st April 2018

The Wight Hub is run jointly by The Diocese of Portsmouth and CURBS.

For more details and to let us know you're coming contact Diocese of Portsmouth on 02392 899652 or email: ben.mizen@portsmouth.anglican.org

Ben Mizen, Diocese Youth and Children's Work Adviser. Mission, Discipleship & Ministry Team▲



The all new Halloween Bag of Hope, UCB in partnership with One Hope and World Vision

Picture the scene. It's October 31st, the night is drawing in and your doorbell rings. You know it'll probably be Trick or Treaters and you have two choices. You can pretend to not be in (dim the lights, quick!) or you can greet your callers with a big smile and the brand new FREE bag of Hope from UCB, One Hope and World Vision.

Each bag contains a full colour Bible-based booklet, The Bible App for Kids Book of Hope and if you were planning on offering sweets, you can drop those in the bag too. It's a great way to bring the light of God's love into an evening which traditionally draws attention to darkness.

UCB's Bag of Hope is free, although they ask you to pay a postage and packing charge. You can order 5 Bags of Hope or 500 – just fill in



the order form on their website and pay the postage cost (which is calculated at the checkout) then get ready to share hope with your Halloween visitors this year▲
Visit www.ucb.co.uk/bagofhope

Kathy & Ian would like to thank everyone for the support they have given at the start of this year's Shoebox Appeal.

A successful and happy coffee morning has set us on our way and provided the funds to assist in meeting postage costs. The big collection box for gifts continues to be filled and shoe boxes continue to appear. We have 6 weeks more before the end of the appeal so please continue to look for those bargains and donate towards the boxes with gifts or wrapping paper.



Leaflets explaining what to donate can be found at the back of the church or ask us if unsure. We will be wrapping the boxes on Wednesday 11th October from 1.30pm - 3.00pm in the Christian Centre. We will be packing the boxes on Thursday 9th November from 2.00pm - 3.30pm once again in the Christian Centre.

If you can join us for either day, or part of, please let us know. We will then present all the finished boxes in church on Sunday 12th November - Thank you all▲

We have our 'Messy' Harvest celebration next Sunday. You are encouraged to bring harvest gifts that can be used by the IOW Foodbank: Long dated tinned produce would be useful!



e.g. RICE / TINNED VEGETABLES/ TINNED TOMATOES / FRUIT JUICE /TINNED SPONGE PUDDINGS



Not needed are: PASTA / TEA BAGS / CEREALS / TINNED SPAGHETTI

Do you hold a current First Aid Certificate? If so, can you let Michele know (along with the date)! We're updating our list of first aiders. Thanks▲



EDGE

St. Paul's Men's Group and Friends

Speaker -Heath Monaghan
'My Journey - My Story'



St Paul's Christian Centre, School Lane, Newport
Monday 9th October 2017 at 7.00pm for 7.15pm

Order your food on the list at back of Church by ticking your choice and pay either Paul or Gary by Sunday 8th October

Bring your own choice of drink.
Paul 402555 / Gary 521939

In November Ben will be going to Africa with 'Wheels for The World' to help with the fitting and distribution of wheelchairs to those in need. If you would like to help with the cost of his air fare (there and back!) it would be much appreciated. Clearly marked donations can be put in the offering or handed to Penny our Treasurer. Why not come along to the fundraising concert?

Messy Harvest
Craft!
Praise!
Food!
Fun!
St. Paul's
Staplers Road, Newport

Sunday 1st October

9.30am

Starting in the Christian Centre
School Lane

Bring a harvest gift for our local foodbank!

Come and join us it's for all the family!
(Children need to come with an adult)

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You are invited to...

AN EVENING OF MUSIC, SONG & DANCE

7 o'clock
Saturday 7th October
St. Paul's Church
Staplers Road, Newport

Donations welcome to support
Ben Mulhern's visit to Ghana
with 'Wheels for the World'

St. Paul's Church

Staplers Road, Newport

Sunday 15th
October 2017
10am

Worship &
Communion

"He ever lives"

7 o'clock Service

"The debt we owe"



GUEST SPEAKER

Andrew Kane

Andrew is a trustee of Ezra UK, a charity which helps Jewish people return to Israel (make Aliyah) in fulfilment of Biblical prophecy.

After qualifying as a Chartered Quantity Surveyor, Andrew received a clear call to pastoral ministry in the mid 1960s. He studied for a London University Bachelor of Divinity degree and preparation for ministry at Spurgeon's College, ordained September 1970 with the Baptist Union and became Pastor of Durrington Free Church until 1986 and then Pastor of the New Life Church Woking in 1988.

Andrew retired from full time pastoral leadership in June 2008. He established a UK charity 'The Andrew Kane Partnership Trust' to oversee an itinerant teaching role in the UK and overseas. He has written 2 books 'Let there be Life' and 'Strengthening The Shepherds - a book for pastors, church leaders and all who have them!'

From March 2014 - August 2016, Andrew became Teaching Pastor at Christ Church Woking with responsibilities in teaching, preaching, training and the preparation of study materials, and is currently in a similar role at St. Paul's Church, Salisbury.

Parking - School Lane / Cross Lane or at Broadlands House

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This week

Date	Time	Event
Mon 25th	6:00pm 7:30pm	Archdeacon and Area Dean Fabric Visitation. Ladies Fellowship - See Mary or Margaret.
Tue 26th	9:45am	Little Rascals Parent and Toddler Group - For 0 - Pres-school 5's. Meets in St. Paul's Christian Centre 9:45am - 11:30am during term time - See Liz D for details.
Wed 27th	10:15am	Morning Prayer.
Thu 28th	10:15am 7:00pm 7:00pm	Thursday Prayers - 10:15am -11:15am in Paul's Christian Centre. Worship Team Practice. Deanery Synod Meeting - St. Mary's Church, Cowes. Our Reps Di & Kevin.
Fri 29th		Yom Kippur (Jewish Day of Atonement) - Is the holiest day of the year for the Jews. Its central themes are atonement and repentance. Jews traditionally observe this holy day with a 25-hour period of fasting and intensive prayer, often spending most of the day in synagogue services. Yom Kippur begins at sundown on Friday 29th September.
		
Sat 30th	2:00pm To 5:00pm	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).

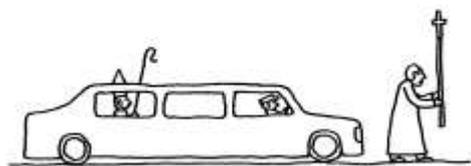
Looking ahead - Dates for your diary...

Date	Time	Event
Sun 1st Oct	9:30a 10:00am	'Messy Harvest' - Starts in the Christian Centre for Children & Parents/Carers. 'Messy Harvest!' - In the Church.
		
Sat 7th	7:00pm	An Evening of Music, Song & Dance at St. Paul's Donations welcome to support Ben Mulhern's visit to Ghana with 'Wheels for the World'.
Mon 9th	7:00pm	EDGE St. Paul's Men's Group and Friends - In the Christian Centre. Speaker -Heath Monaghan 'My Journey - My Story'. Order your food on the list at back of Church by ticking your choice and pay either Paul or Gary by Sunday 8th October.
		
Sun 15th	10:00am 7:00pm	Worship & Communion Service - Rev. Carol Smart. Guest Speaker Andrew Kane. "He Ever Lives" Andrew is a trustee of Ezra UK, a charity which helps Jewish people return to Israel (make Aliyah) in fulfilment of Biblical prophecy. The 7 O'clock Service - Andrew Kane - "The Debt We Owe".

THE BISHOP'S VISIT

THINGS THAT MUST BE DONE

ARCHDEACON'S



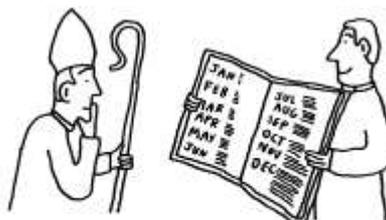
PREPARING THE WAY



CATERING FOR SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS



KEEPING UNDESIRABLE ELEMENTS AT A SAFE DISTANCE



WRITING IN THE BOOKS TO MAKE IT LOOK AS IF THERE ARE REGULAR SERVICES

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.

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