

Weekly Update

24th June 2018

A warm welcome to everyone at St Stephen's today. If this is your first visit we are delighted to welcome you and would love to talk to you after any service.

9:00am Traditional Service

Leader: Steve Newbold

Speaker: Steve Newbold

Readings: 2 Corinthians 6:1-13 page 1162

Mark 4:35-end Page 1006



Café between services

10:30am Informal Service

Leader: Caroline Newbold

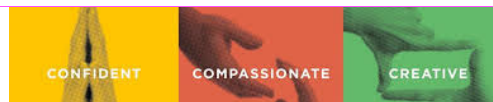
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6:30pm Open to God

Speaker: Izzy Cole

Personal Prayer is available at both morning services. If you have come with any concern or you have felt challenged during the service, do seek prayer this morning.



Deanery Mission Fund

Thursday 5th July at 7:30pm at St Paul's Church, Ridley Avenue. A Synod meeting to review the exciting mission projects which have been undertaken in the last year and to allocate the 2018 mission budget. All welcome.

People and Planet Gathering

today at 12:30pm. Members of Christian Solidarity Worldwide recently returned from China will talk about the persecution of the Living Stone Church.

Ordination of Sam Sanya

Sign up if you would like to attend the ordination of our new curate Sam Sanya at St Paul's Cathedral on Saturday 30th June at 3pm. On Sunday 1st July Sam, Rachael and Hannah-Joy will be with us at our morning services. Do sign up to come to the Church Hog Roast lunch at 12:15pm.

World Cup

Come and watch the final England Group game. Thursday from 6:30pm at the Vicarage. Bring your own drinks.

Community Fete

Sunday 8th July 12:30pm - 4pm
(worship at 12)

Only 2 weeks to go. We need YOU to play a part! Can you ...

- deliver leaflets
- be a BBQ sponsor
- volunteer to be part of a team
- lend Gazebos, marquees, plastic chairs and cool boxes
- make cakes or biscuits
- help with prep before the day
- invite your neighbours

Further info contact Jane Maffett, jane@maffett.co.uk

On the day of the Community Fete there will be a 9am Communion Service in church. There will not be a 10:30am or 6:30pm service. We will worship in the park instead.

New Wine

A reminder that there is a short planning meeting for all those going to New Wine this summer - today at 12 noon.

Prayer for the Week

Gracious Father, by obedience of Jesus you brought salvation to our wayward world: that we may find all things restored in him, our Saviour Jesus Christ.
Amen