



## O, I do like to be beside the seaside!

Well, if you really do like being by the seaside and would like to join our group going to Eastbourne for the day - here are the details.

Focus will be going by coach to **Eastbourne on Monday 10th July**.

We will be leaving St. John's at 9.00 am and returning by 7.00 pm.

There will be lots of free time to enjoy Eastbourne, or, providing the weather is good, you can find a comfy deckchair and just take in the sea air. We hope to meet up in the afternoon for tea together before we meet the coach to return home. The price is £12 per person. The afternoon tea will be approx. £4 per person.

If you would like to join us, please let me know as soon as possible so that I can book your places. Liz King Church Office 020 8650 3515

**FOOD BANK** - Our Food Bank is continuing to run throughout the summer so please try to remember to bring your donations which are all gratefully received. Tinned and packaged foods including rice, pasta, coffee, tea, longline milk, cereals, etc. Laundry supplies and also toiletries are very welcome.

Thank you all for your continued support with the Foodbank.

**ONGOING TASKS** - There is always plenty to do in and around our church and grounds; tidying, sorting, clearing & cleaning, gardening, etc.. If you would like to get involved, even on an occasional basis, please do speak to our Churchwardens, Tony Peters and Julia Lewis who will be happy to receive offers of help.

### Refreshments

Refreshments will be served on Sunday 9th July by members of Liz King's group.



Vicar: Rev'd Liz Lander ☎ 8650 6110 ✉ [landerliz@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:landerliz@yahoo.co.uk) (Liz's day off is Saturday)

Associate Vicar: Rev'd Scott Smith ☎ 8289 4819 ✉ [smithscott@hotmail.com](mailto:smithscott@hotmail.com) (Scott's day off is Friday)

Churchwardens: Julia Lewis ☎ 8462 3508 and Tony Peters ☎ 8402 1876

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Office Hours: Mon, Weds, Thurs & Fri 8.00 am-4.00 pm **CLOSED TUESDAYS**

## News & Notices

2nd July 2017

A very warm welcome to you all, especially if you are new to St. John's or you are just visiting - we are delighted to have you with us. Refreshments will be served after the service so do please stay and join us for coffee/tea.

### Sunday 2nd July

10.00 am Holy Communion - Rev'd Scott Smith  
**'Generous Justice'**

Luke 10:25-37 and Romans 3:21-26

6.30 pm Hour of Prayer & Worship - Rev'd Scott Smith

### Wednesday 5th July

11.15 am Holy Communion - Rev'd Scott Smith

### Sunday 9th July

10.00 am Morning Worship - Wesley Guy  
**'Why do justice'**

Readings: James 2: 1 - 13 and Matthew 5: 1 - 12

3.30 pm



A summer Messy Church with Bouncy Castle, Soft Play, crafts and delicious BBQ to enjoy! All are welcome.

### **Special Prayer for Fourth Sunday after Trinity**

*Gracious Father,*

*by the obedience of Jesus*

*you brought salvation to our wayward world:*

*draw us into harmony with your will,*

*that we may find all things restored in him,*

*our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen*

*If you would like prayer today - please speak to the person leading the service who will find someone to pray with you.*

### **Monday 3rd July**

- 12.30 pm Link Cafe  
2.00 pm FOCUS - 'Treasures of the Archives' (see note opposite)

### **Tuesday 4th July**

- 10.00 am The ARK  
8.00 pm PCC Meeting

### **Wednesday 5th July**

- 11.15 am Holy Communion  
12.30 pm LINK Lunch  
1.30 pm Art Class - Beginners welcome  
2.00 pm Exercise class for all ages and abilities  
5.30 pm Kingfishers

### **Friday 7th July**

- 8.45 am Parish Prayers

#### **Please pray for:**

- *Vicky Wood (John & Christine's daughter in law)*
- *Stan Elsey*
- *India Peters (18 mths) daughter of Paul & Anna*
- *Bob Baldwin*
- *Keith Shelley*
- *Avangelina Mountford*
- *Kit Grant*
- *Brenda Webb (Becky James mum)*
- *Brian & Rosemary Clayton*
- *Jane Newman*
- *Paul Allen*
- *Graham Mountford*
- *Essive Grives*

#### **Special prayer topics**

- Older people at home - retired people
- Residents who live in Upper Elmers End Road



The Traidcraft stall will be open next Sunday 9th July after the service for all your fairly traded goods.

**FOCUS tomorrow** - 'Treasurers of the Archives' with Lucy Bonner, from Bromley Historic Collections. A really interesting talk to which all are invited. We will be meeting at 2.00 pm in the Lounge Room. All are welcome. Hope to see you there.


**PCC MEETING** - A reminder for all PCC members. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 4th July in the Lounge Room. Please check for your papers via email.

**CHURCH WALK** - today in Greenwich Park. Meet here at St. John's (bring a picnic) and we'll be taking the train from Eden Park to Greenwich for a walk in the park. At 2.30 pm there will be live music at the bandstand so feel free to stay and enjoy a live 8 piece band! Any questions, please contact Michael Dullaway on: 07828 453196



On 23<sup>rd</sup> July Kate Peters will be attempting to complete the Olympic Distance event (1.5km swim, 40km cycle and 10km run) at the London Triathlon. Kate is raising money for two charities; Samaritans and the Association for Post Natal Illness. The link to her fundraising page is <http://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/KatePetersTri> or you can watch the event at Excel Centre in the Docklands.

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**Are you on Facebook?** Have you seen 'posts' from St. John's Eden Park? If you  Like the posts, then our pages go out to more people. We want to tell more people about St. John's, so please do check your Facebook pages and don't forget to 'like' us.



We would really like to complete our photo boards by having photos of **ALL** of our church family here at St. John's displayed on our boards. It is a really good way to get to know people. Everyone is important ... so don't be shy, please be ready to have your photo taken, or, if you prefer, you can send in your own photo to the office by email: [office@sjep.org](mailto:office@sjep.org) Thank you.