



## HAITI HOSPITAL APPEAL

We are continuing to support the Haiti Hospital Appeal. Please look at the display on the blue board and if you would like to make a donation, this can be placed in the red box. Thank you for your support.

**Saturday 13th March at 1.30 pm**

### **Antiques & Collectables "AUCTION"**

We need old and interesting things to sell.  
We'll turn them into cash.

Seriously - if you have got unwanted jewellery, silver, silver plate, china, glassware, ornaments, stamps, and other collections, vintage handbags, lace, linen, old paintings, model toys, postcards ... we'd love to sell them for Cornerstone. If you have anything that you can spare, ring Pat or Clive on 8658 0011.

**Friday 19th March  
PAMPERING EVENING  
7.00 pm - 10.00 pm**

**Pamper yourself at our special evening at St. John's.**

Manicures, paraffin hand & foot wax, neck and shoulder massage, facials, reflexology plus stalls with a variety of products, jewellery, candles & handbags for sale. For tickets (£5) please see Anne Straiton or to pre-book a beauty treatment, please call Hayley Kembey on 8658 8064.

**Hall Kitchen Fridge** - If you use the fridge in the hall kitchen please make sure you do not leave unwanted food items that may soon go out of date. Regular Environmental Health inspections take place and therefore we need to make sure the fridge is kept in a clean condition and that food is not left in there to go mouldy. Your help with this will be very much appreciated.

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## St John's

*Church for Eden Park*

### **News & Notices for week commencing 7th February 2010**

Please stay for refreshments after the morning service which will be available at the top end of the church and also brought around on trays. A hearing aid loop is available in all areas of the church.

#### **Sunday 7th February**

8.00 am Holy Communion - Canon David Overington

10.00 am Morning Worship ; Rev'd Liz Lander

#### **Who is this Jesus?**

Isaiah 58: 1 - 9 and Mark 2: 13 - 22

6.30 pm Holy Communion - Dr. David Plummer

#### **David & Goliath - The triumph of faith**

1 Samuel 17: 1 - 16 and 1 Samuel 17: 32 - 50

#### **Wednesday 10th February**

10.45 am Holy Communion - Canon David Overington

#### **Sunday 14th February**

10.00 am All Age Worship - Alison Rose & Rev'd Liz Lander

#### **Who is this Jesus?**

Isaiah 1: 10 - 17 and Mark 2: 23 - 3: 6

6.30 pm Informal Service - Rev'd Nick Lang

#### **Samuel**

Samuel 3: 1 - 21

#### **Special Prayer for the fifth Sunday before Lent**

*God of our salvation,*

*help us to turn away from those habits which harm our bodies  
and poison our minds*

*and to choose again your gift of life,*

*revealed to us in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen*

***Is there something you would like to pray about today? Someone will be available to pray with you in the Chapel after the service.***

## Monday 8th February

- 8.45 am Parish Prayers
- 10.30 am The LINK – coffee followed by lunch from 12 noon
- 2.30 pm Women's Focus - Desert Island Discs
- 8.00 pm Homegroups

## Tuesday 9th February

- 10.00 am The Ark
- 8.00 pm Homegroups

## Wednesday 10th February

- 9.15 am Parish Prayers
- 10.45 am Holy Communion in the Chapel
- 10.30 am The LINK – coffee followed by lunch from 12 noon
- 5.30 pm Kingfishers
- 6.30 pm Kestrels

## Friday 12th February

- 8.45 am Parish Prayers

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

- ◆ *Dan Corcoran (brother of Becky Sowter)*
- ◆ *Florence Symonds (Pam Gann's mother)*
- ◆ *Derek Gamson (recovering from hip operation)*
- ◆ *Sheila Meakins*
- ◆ *Eve Hooper*
- ◆ *Nancy Palmer (mother of Gail Gee)*
- ◆ *Jane Elsbury (daughter of Doris Brooks)*

### **Special prayer topics:**

- ◆ *Residents of Stone Park Avenue*
- ◆ *People going out to work*

**Nick & Maureen** will be away on holiday from 31st January for two weeks. We pray that Nick & Maureen might have a safe and restful time away. If you have an urgent pastoral need during Nick's absence, please contact Liz Lander 8639 0412 or Anne Straiton 8658 8596

## **Messy Church!**

Our first "Messy Church" event was a wonderful success with lots of families and new faces coming along. We had a brilliant afternoon!



Many thanks to all who helped during the afternoon and also all those who helped behind the scenes providing cakes, sandwiches etc. We couldn't have done it without the prayers and support of the church.

### **Gift Day**

Following the brilliant response to our Gift Day recently, a reminder that collections will stay open for a few weeks. If you did not receive a special envelope, there are more available on the table near the entrance doors. If you have any questions about Gift Day, Gift Aid, or regular giving, please do have a chat with Terry Huxtable. (8658 6887)

**Fellowship Lunch Sunday 28th February** - Following the morning service on 28th February, there is an opportunity to get together over lunch with the family of St. John's. Lots of time to sit and chat. All are welcome - just sign up today so that we can work out numbers for catering. See Liz King to sign up.

**LINK** is looking for someone to wash the table cloths, aprons and tea towels used each week. There are also opportunities for working in Link on both Monday and Wednesday either regularly or to cover staff holidays and illness. If you feel you could help and would like further information please contact either Sue Rogers 8777-1856 or Judith Parry 8650-0979

### **CONFIRMATION SERVICE - Sunday 21st March**

Have you been thinking about Confirmation? It's a great way to recommit yourself in your Christian life so if you're between 13 and 93 and have never been confirmed before, then talk to Nick or Liz about what it is and what it means and they'll be delighted to chat it through with you.

### **MEN'S VIEWPOINT BREAKFAST - Saturday 20th February**

7.45 am - Our Viewpoint speaker in February will be Nick Lang whose talk is entitled: "God is still on the phone". If you would like to join us, or if you would like to know more about Men's Viewpoint please speak to David White 8650 5344.

**EMPTY BOXES!** Do you have any empty boxes or containers, i.e. ice-cream tubs, takeaway containers, or small cardboard boxes preferably with lids. Please contact Roger Clarke (8650 2170) if you have any containers to spare.