

BOOK OF HEALING

If you would like us to pray for anyone you know who is ill at this time or in any kind of need, please feel free to write their names in the Book of Healing, situated in the small chapel in the West End of Church and we will pray for them.

PRAYER



BEREAVEMENT

Our love and prayers go to all those who have recently lost loved ones. Remembering especially the families and friends of Joan Trust.

Matthew 21: 22 - "If you believe, you will receive whatever you ask for in prayer"

SUPPORT ST ANNES!

The costs of running the church are ever increasing. We are once again facing a financial deficit this year. Our weekly outgoings do not match the money coming in. Giving to the work of God is a Christian privilege. Can I encourage everyone to think seriously about their weekly giving.

DIRECT DEBIT

If you would like to set up a Direct Debit please speak to Rev. Ian Greenwood or Caroline Blower who will provide you with bank details.

ENVELOPES

Envelopes for donations are now available at the back of the church.

COLLECTION PLATE

Please feel free to place your gift on the offertory plate as it is passed round during one of today's songs.

GIFT AID

If you pay tax have you signed a gift aid form? Did you know, the church can claim the tax back on every donation you make.

LEAVING A LEGACY

If this is something you would like to consider, please do pick up a leaflet from the pew holders for more information about how to go about doing this.

BECOME A FRIEND OF ST. ANNE'S

If you feel that St. Anne's hold a special place in your heart, or you have been moved in some way by your time spent with us, you may want to consider becoming a 'Friend of St. Anne's'. Please feel free to pick up a leaflet for more information: you will find them in the pew holders.

This Week

Tuesday: 10.00am: Drop in
10.00am: Prayer meeting –Choir/crèche room
7pm - Office hour
8pm - Band Practice

Wednesday: 8.30am Morning Prayer (Daily Office)
10.30am: Holy Communion– In the Tinne Family Room.
7.30pm AA Weekly meeting

Thursday: 9.30 SAS (Mums and Tots) Term time only
Monthly Craft Club supporting the Bloom Appeal (See Robina Crowe for more details)

Diary dates & news

SPACE 2 GROW PRAYER: Dear Lord, We give thanks for Your goodness. We pray for Your guidance, wisdom and provision as we embark on this exciting new project - 'Space2Grow' . Give us courage to step out in faith, a boldness to give and a hunger to see Your church transformed, that St. Anne's will truly be a 'Space 2 Grow' in faith! Amen

CHOIR WANTED FOR OUR CAROL SERVICE:

We are looking to put together a choir to help lead our Carol Service which will take place on Sunday 23rd December at 6pm. No experience is necessary. Martin will be holding practices on 4th, 12th and 19th of December starting at 7pm in church. Do see Martin Lovgreen for more information.

WEDNESDAY COMMUNION:

Please note there will be no Wednesday communion service on 19th December and for the next couple of Wednesdays. We will resume again on 9th January at 10.30am.

CHURCH CHRISTMAS CARD

This year we are encouraging church members to sign the large Christmas card (near the front door) This is a way of eliminating the large numbers of Christmas cards that remain in church never being opened. We are also asking if you would like to donate any money that you would normally spend on your Christmas cards towards our 'Space2Grow' project. (Of course if you would prefer to write traditional cards, please do feel free to continue).

OTHER CHRISTMAS SERVICES;

Sunday 23rd: 11am Christmas Jumper Sunday: Remember to come to church in your festive jumpers, hats etc.—We will be using them to help in our service

6pm: Annual Carol Service for all ages; Come and join us for what will be a fantastic service. Festive refreshments will be served after the service along with luxury hot chocolates for the children.

CHRISTMAS EVE:

4pm Crib service (45 minute short service for children)
11pm Holy Communion

CHRISTMAS DAY:

9.30am Christmas Communion
10.30am All Age Worship: Remember to bring a new toy with you!!!!

TEXT GIVING: You can now make quick one off donations to St. Anne's by texting "STAA55 £5" or "STAA55 £10" to 70070

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Every Tuesday 7-8pm.
Church is open for book-
ing your Baptism or Wed-
ding. No need to book—
just turn up!



WEDNESDAY COMMUNION:

Please note our Wednesday Communion service continues to take place every Wednesday at 10.30am. All are welcome to attend for what is a lovely 40 minute service followed by refreshments.. (A quiet moment in the middle of a busy week!)

ELECTORAL ROLL / Parish Directory Update

If you have moved house or changed your phone number or email address please inform Ruth McCann so that your details can be updated on the Electoral Roll and in the Parish Directory. You can email mccannruthm@gmail.com or phone/text 07552 755 077 or speak to her in church on Sunday

HOUSEGROUPS:

A great opportunity to make new friends, to study the bible together whilst reflecting on the Sunday sermon. Also a great opportunity for a good natter and to pray together. For more information about our Housegroups speak to Ian or Matt.

SPACE2GROW:

If you would like to give to our Church redevelopment project there are numerous ways in which you can do this. Please do speak to Ian Crowe, Paul Roberts or Ian Greenwood.

MOTTO TEXT 2018:

'Do you not know that you are God's temple and that God's Spirit dwells in you?' 1 Corinthians 3:16

NEXT SUNDAY: Sunday 23rd December
9.15am Holy Communion
11am Christmas Jumper Sunday
6pm Carol Service

SAS

St. Anne's Stars (SAS) a Parent/Carer and Toddler group for Pre-School children runs every Thursday morning from 9.30am–11am during term time. We are currently looking for helpers to join this group. If you can help out please do speak to Lis Hughes or Nikki Greenwood. Spread the word!!!!



St. Anne's News

Sunday 16th December 2018

3rd Sunday of Advent

Theme: Are you listening?

Readings: Isaiah 2: 1-5 & Matthew 24: 36 - end

Welcome to our services

9.15am Holy Communion
11am All Age Worship

O Lord Jesus Christ, who at your first coming sent your messenger to prepare your way before you: grant that the ministers and stewards of your mysteries may likewise so prepare and make ready your way by turning the hearts of the disobedient to the wisdom of the just, that at your second coming to judge the world we may be found an acceptable people in your sight; for you are alive and reign with the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

INTERCESSIONS: We pray this week:

For those who are alone, those who are sick and those who care for them, including, Joyce Farrington, Sandra Williams, Joseph Fleck, Maureen Gunn, Joan Quine, Ann Li, Katy Jones, Elizabeth Rimmer, Chris Anthony, Joe McCarthy, Annie Havard, Minnie Shirajudin, Ann Rudd, Ben Rodgers, Joan Harding, Clive Morgan, Gordon Cooper, Kath Jones, Norah Griffiths, Caroline Henderson, Marian Taylor, Wendy Shannon, Lyn Bailey, Maureen Mooney, Leo Gallagher Green, Phil Bailey, Evelyn Barker and Randolph Coles, Ian Taylor, Fiona Byrne, Rev. Jonathan Anders, Rosemary Silvester, Ruth Jones, Margaret Calleja, Susan McQueen, Marion Hewitt, Ben Irvine., Helen Bradley, Rosita and Janet Taylor, Arun Kumar, Ken Bond, Peter Moore, Linda French, Dave White, Sally Williams and Gary Ball.

The Beeches (Richmond Fellowship)

Hamlet Baptist Church;

Church Mission Society: sharing the love of God with people round the world - through medical, educational and evangelistic work.

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