

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sun	8.00am	Holy Communion
	10.00am	Parish Communion with Sunday Club, Crèche & Sunday Tots.
	Reading:	"From Proud to Humble" John 13: 1-17 & Acts 10: 17-29(a)
	3.30pm	Friends & Heroes
	6.30pm	Prayer Meeting
Mon	8.00pm	Prayer Meeting in the Beacon Centre
Tue	10:15am	Prayer Meeting in the Beacon Centre
	6.15pm	Cru 2 (Urban Saints) (7-11s) at the Assembly Rooms
	7.30pm	Club 2000 (11 – 13s) meet at Coney Hill Baptist Church
Wed	9.30am	Open Door for mothers & children at the Beacon Centre
Thur	2.00pm	Over 60s Club at the Beacon Centre
	7.30pm	14 Plus – Venue as advised
Fri	10.00am	Craft Club in the Beacon Centre
NEXT SUNDAY – 17th May		
	8.00am	Holy Communion
	10.00am	Morning Worship with Baptism
	11.30am	Holy Communion
	6.30pm	No Service



THIS WEEK'S QUESTION

Who escaped from the Jews by being let down over a wall in a basket by the disciples? Read Acts 9: 22 - 25

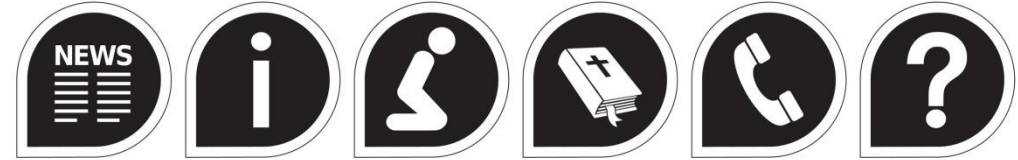
PRAYER IN THE BEACON CENTRE

In May the only Monday evening prayer meeting will take place on 11th at 8pm. All welcome.

New Tuesday morning prayer meetings weekly at 10.15am. All welcome.

St John's
west wickham

10th May 2015
6th Sunday of Easter



BEACON CENTRE UPDATE

Last week the PCC approved in principle the proposal to refurbish the Beacon Centre at a level that is more extensive than simply a lick of paint and a bit of a facelift. The plan includes gutting the place, re-wiring, re-plumbing and a re-fit, in line with the intended multi-use brief.

Full details will follow in due course, but we are at the stage of obtaining comparative quotes for the works, as well as ironing out an interior design, which will help people to get hold of what we are trying to achieve.

You may have noticed the 'in principle' in the first line. As a leadership, we were clear that there is much envisioning to be done and gathering of people to drive the vision, without which it's simply a building project – which we are not so interested in financing. The refurbishment is intended to be the start of a means by which we develop our work as God's people in the local community.

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WELCOME TO ST JOHN'S

If this is your first time here, we are delighted to see you. If you can, do stay for a drink after the service. If you would like to know more about our church life, complete one of our welcome cards.



NEWCOMERS WELCOME EVENT

Our new 'Caring & Befriending' team is organizing some simple welcome events for newcomers.

The first of these will be 'Tea & Cakes' on 17 May. So you can receive an invite, the team would love to hear from you if you have joined St John's since 2012.

Please let Sue Watson (020 8777 3112, email Suejwatson@btinternet.com) or Maureen Lang (8650 650 6151, email maureenlang23@gmail.com) know and they'll provide more details soon.



TODAY FRIENDS & HEROES

In church, 3:30-5:00pm.



CHRISTIAN AID WEEK

10th -16th May 2015

Thank you to all our collectors - please pray for them as they go out this Christian Aid Week.

For those who don't receive an envelope, some are available in church and can be returned there, the Beacon Centre, 56 Woodland Way (Jeff), or 7 Sylvan Way (Anne). We are still short of two collectors in Cherry Tree Walk and Birch Tree Avenue. If you have about an hour's time, the donations collected can show God's love to many women and their families who live in extreme poverty. If you can help, please contact Jeff Seabrook (020 8777 0014) or Anne Ford (020 8289 2432).



WEDDINGS VERGER

We are looking for someone to take over the reins from Michael

Fletcher in preparing the registers, and help out at the wedding services we conduct. It provides some 'pocket money' and we'll provide full training for all that's required. If you are interested let Jon or Michael know.



PAT WHIFFEN

Long-standing members of the congregation will be sorry to hear that Pat Whiffen, Angela Bunn's mother, died on 14th April. Her funeral will take place at Beckenham Crematorium on 14th May at 11.15am, followed at 69 The Crescent. All welcome.



SOUND DESK HELP

We need volunteers for our Sunday Morning Services. This would normally work out at once in every 4 or 5 weeks. Training will be given. If you would like to be one of the team please contact Mike Kerrey on 0208 462 3619, or Stu Carey on 07948 452925, or in church.



FIRST AID COURSE

There is a First Aid course at Bromley Baptist, Sat 16th May, cost £45. Contact: Dave Brown, church administrator: 020 8460 3307 or email: office@bromleybaptist.com for availability.



CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY PACKS

Penny Seabrook would be grateful if someone could take over keeping the children's activity packs sorted out: throwing out rubbish, re-stocking wallets, checking there is working stationery, etc. See Penny or ring her on 020 8777 0014. It can be done at church or home.



PRAYERS

Please pray for:

- Tim & Maggie Gaved, working with

Wycliffe Bible Translators and Christian Aid – our mission focus this month;

- Maureen Lang, Angela Bunn and their respective families, following the death of their mums.
- Our newly elected government and the policies they will implement in this term of office.
- All those taking exams in the coming weeks and the way they handle the pressure.



FRESH NEWS

Please forward news for the News Sheet, to Margaret Kingman by Wednesday morning.



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