

Inspiration sheet

your weekly update of what is happening at St Anne's

SUNDAY SERVICES

This Sunday - 2nd August

8.30 am BCP Holy Communion

10 am **Trinity 9:** we focus on the gospel story during our service of Holy Communion.

Next Sunday - 9 August

10 am **Trinity 10:** We celebrate God's love for us during our service of Holy Communion.

12 noon **Christening:** Delphie Fisher is baptised

All our services are live streamed; watch via our YouTube account 'St Anne, Sale'

David Getgood: Sadly, we announce the death of David Getgood. David had dementia and died recently. He and Ruth had been married for over 67 years. We hold Ruth and the family in our prayers at this time.

Craft and Chat summer project: Help yourself to wool and a pattern from the box in the church porch to create a crib blanket for the Early Essentials charity (size approx 18" square). Please leave finished item in the box; thank you!

Clothes for the homeless: Please leave items of clothing for the homeless in balled bags in our church porch. These will be taken to the Manchester-based project after worship each Sunday.

Church open for prayers: Remember that the church building is open every Wednesday and Sunday from 9.30 am - 6 pm for your private prayers and also to allow you to drop off food for the local food bank or homeless project (see above) in the porch.



PRAYER & THANKSGIVING

Please email the vicar (alisoncox19@hotmail.com) with prayer requests. Deadline for inclusion in the Inspiration Sheet is 9 am on Saturday.

For those in any kind of need:

- Doreen Cropper; the Revd Julian Heaton, Gemma Tingay, Joan Hamnett and her son David; Pat Thomas; Shauna and Laura (our Children's workers).

For those who have died: For the friends and family of all those who have died including David Getgood who died recently.

For those being Christened: We pray for Delphie Lynne Fisher who will be baptised next Sunday and for her parents (Dale and Olivia) and their families as they gather for this service.

For peace: for the conflicts in Iran, Ukraine, Gaza, Israel, and South Sudan; and the crisis in Venezuela; and ebola situation in DRC..

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EVENTS THIS WEEK:



Mondays in August

Tuesdays in August

Wednesdays in August

10 am Holy Communion

Thursdays in August

1.30 pm Chat & Craft in hall

Fridays in August

Our term time toddler group resumes on Friday 11 September

Saturdays in August

9.30 am Morning Prayer via zoom resumes in September. Please email Alison for a zoom link code (alisoncox19@hotmail.com)

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Other events:

**Lay Gathering
Saturday 19 September
At Chester Cathedral**

'Together in Christ, Sharing Hope'
Speakers and worship for this one day conference for lay people across the diocese. With Bishop Mark



SONGS OF PRAISE

On Sunday 16 August, we will host another popular Songs of Praise. This means you get to choose the hymns we sing and there is no sermon!



The focus of this Songs of Praise session will be songs from childhood. Do you have a strong memory of a hymn or song from your childhood school assembly or Sunday School or church that you would like us to sing again? Could you tell us why you remember it and where you associate singing it? (School hall? Church?)

So please tell Alison or Olwyn what hymn or song you would like to request and why it matters to you.

HOLIDAY SEASON

During the August holiday season, we will not produce a weekly notice sheet. Please use this sheet as your information for August or see the church website.
Enjoy the summer!

Coffee Morning in church

Thursday 13 August

10.30 - 12 noon

All welcome.

Diocese launches fund raising link

An Ebola outbreak in the Democratic Republic of Congo has been declared a public health emergency of international concern, by the World Health Organization (WHO).

Bishop Mark is inviting the Diocese to contribute to an appeal to fund our Partner Dioceses in tackling the dreadful Ebola virus and its effects. Please pray for our partner Dioceses and please give generously and urgently. Giving is best received through the Chester Diocese website www.chesterdiocese.org and see the link for Ebola Virus fund in DRC.