

Notices

HELPERS NEEDED FOR HOLIDAY

Sue Richardson for a number of years has attended a Scripture Union Holiday called UNLIMITED

Which is for young adults with various learning disabilities aged 19-24.

The dates are Monday August 7th (for helpers) until Saturday August 12th 2023
The venue is at the Diocesan Youth Centre, Cottishall, North Norwich.
Cost £256

There is a waiting list of those who wish to join the holiday but no more can be taken on holiday at the present time until there are more people over 18: who are available to be part of the team as helpers. Some need 1 to 1 help.

No previous experience is needed Sue can provide transport there and back, but you will need DBS enhanced clearance which will be organised through Scripture Union.

More details from Sue on 07811621427 or on the Scripture Union Website.....volunteer with Scripture Union.

A celebration of Graham Heath's 25 years as Tower Captain will take place in All Saints Church on Saturday 27th May from 12 noon until 3.00pm.

There will be refreshments, sandwiches, and nibbles available and of course the sound of the bells.

Graham would be delighted if anyone from the Church who knows him would like to come along and help celebrate.

A Healing House of Prayer
Early Summer Reflections at St Philips Church on Tuesday Mornings at 10am for 10.30am from April – June 2023

- June 13th – In Pentecost
- June 27th In Spare Rooms!!

We look forward to seeing you. Further details from
John Richardson

The Parish of All Saints
With St Philip, Maidstone and
St Stephen, Tovil

Sunday 28th May 2023
The Eighth Sunday of Easter
Whit Sunday

10am Parish Eucharist for Pentecost at
All Saints Church



Next Week's Service's

Sunday 4th June 2023
Trinity Sunday

10am Parish Eucharist
at St Philips Church

6.30pm Choral Evensong at All Saints

Collect

God, who as at this time taught the hearts of your faithful people by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit: grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgement in all things and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Reading

Joel Chapter 2 Verses 28:32

Then afterwards

I will pour out my spirit on all flesh;
your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,
your old men shall dream dreams,
and your young men shall see visions.
Even on the male and female slaves,
in those days, I will pour out my spirit.
I will show portents in the heavens and on the earth, blood and fire and columns of

smoke. The sun shall be turned to darkness, and the moon to blood, before the great and terrible day of the LORD comes. Then everyone who calls on the name of the LORD shall be saved; for in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there shall be those who escape, as the LORD has said, and among the survivors shall be those whom the LORD calls.

Gospel

John 20 Verses 19:23

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.' When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

Post Communion

Faithful God,
who fulfilled the promises of Easter
by sending us your Holy Spirit
and opening to every race and nation
the way of life eternal:
open our lips by your Spirit,
that every tongue may tell of your glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Future Services

Please note these maybe subject to change

All at 10am unless specified.

11th June Parish Eucharist at All Saints

18th June Morning Worship at St Stephens
(Archbishop Courtenay School)

25th June Parish Eucharist at St Philips

Special prayers

*Matt 5.3 'Blessed are the poor in spirit,
For theirs is the kingdom of heaven'*

*Daphne Holland, Mary Wheeler, Jane Sadler,
Sue Marks, Pamela Hocking, Pam Ratcliffe*

**Vicar: All saints, Maidstone with St.
Philip's, and St. Stephen's Tovil**

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**Please note Revd John will be on Leave
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Save the Date

Saturday 2nd September 2023
Revd John & Sue would like to invite you to
an open house at The Rectory, Dymchurch
TN290LD

From 10.30am – 5pm
More details will follow.
