



# All Saints Guildford

*Joyfully Living Jesus*

Welcoming Everyone

Growing Disciples Deepening Community



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If you'd like to feature anything in the magazine, we would love to hear from you! Articles should be emailed to **allsaintsmag@gmail.com** by the **15th of the previous month**. We like to keep content varied and interesting so almost anything goes. Please get in touch if you have any questions. Thank you!

## ALL SAINTS SERVICES AND OPENING TIMES

Our pattern of services is as follows:

- ★ Morning Prayer takes place Monday to Wednesday at 9.15am in the church and via Zoom for anyone who would like this option.
- ★ A service of Holy Communion is held in church every Thursday morning at 9.30am.
- ★ An 8am service of Holy Communion is held in church on the first and third Sundays of the month (the third Sunday will use the Book of Common Prayer).
- ★ Our 10am Sunday services follow this pattern:
  - ◇ First Sunday: Café-style Altogether Worship
  - ◇ Second, fourth and fifth Sundays:  
Family Communion with Children's Church
  - ◇ Third Sunday: Morning Worship with Children's Church  
*Note: Children's Church is term-time only*
- ★ Each Sunday, we hold 'Tea-Time Church' at 4pm.
- ★ Each Sunday, we record the sermon and this can be found on our YouTube channel: [www.youtube.com/@allsaintsguildford](https://www.youtube.com/@allsaintsguildford)



## THOUGHTS FROM THE VICARAGE



A few days ago I was privileged to visit Coventry Cathedral with our younger daughter, Lydia. Lydia had been at a conference at Warwick University, at it seemed an ideal opportunity to spend a day together. Lydia had never been to Coventry Cathedral, so we made that our first destination.

I remember being taken to the Cathedral by my parents when I was about 10 years old, and finding it an unforgettable experience. The remains of the old Cathedral – bombed out in 1940 – stand alongside the new Cathedral; and the two are poignantly linked together. The new cathedral is daringly ‘modern’, with works by some of the foremost artists of the 20 th century: Graham Sutherland’s Christ in Glory (the largest tapestry in the world), John Piper’s abstract Baptistry window, and John Hutton’s great west screen to name a few. I remember not knowing what to make of it as a child – visiting only a decade or so after the new cathedral had been completed in 1962.

Today Coventry Cathedral is a focus for reconciliation throughout the world. Every weekday at 12 noon there is a Litany of Reconciliation, based around Jesus’ words, ‘Father forgive’. This service is prayed throughout the world by partners from the Community of the Cross of Nails, who are active in reconciliation in a range of different ways. At a time when our world is facing increased tension, both in the Middle East and Ukraine, Coventry Cathedral’s ministry of reconciliation seems deeply poignant. As Lydia and I attended the Litany of Reconciliation, it offered a sense of hope –



*Statue of Reconciliation by Josephina de Vasconcellos*

the hope of the Gospel of reconciliation, for our challenging times.

Today, in all our services at All Saints, we pray regularly for peace and reconciliation – being aware that we all have a part to play. I was reminded of that song, ‘Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me’ by Jackson and Miller, also written in the post-war years. In this month of May, as we continue through the Easter season, and prepare for Pentecost, let’s pray for the work of the Holy Spirit in our lives and in our world – bringing peace and reconciliation where it’s needed most.

Wishing you every blessing,

Beverly



## MISSION FOCUS: CHRISTIAN AID WEEK

Sunday 12th to Saturday 18th May 2024

Christian Aid exists to create a world where everyone can live a full life, free from poverty.

Set up by the Irish and British Churches in 1945 they help people of all faiths and none.

The year in numbers: 2022 to 2023:

- ★ 3.3 million people benefited from Christian Aid’s interventions
- ★ 275 projects were implemented globally
- ★ £90.6 million was raised throughout the year.

The new Chair of Christian Aid (March 2024) is the Bishop of London, Sarah Mullally (pictured) who has said:

*“I have long admired Christian Aid and its steadfast commitment to combating poverty and injustice and campaigning for change.” “This work has never been more vital than now, as the climate crisis forces us to face questions about our stewardship of creation, and violence and conflict around the world acutely undermine God’s agenda of justice and peace.”*



Current programmes focus on topics as diverse as: emergency response to natural disasters such as earthquakes, or man-made disasters such as war; peace building; health, land rights, tax justice and helping communities adapt to climate change. Christian Aid helps women (and families) to set up businesses – maybe selling surplus food that they have grown, or things they have made more profitably.



As their website states, Christian Aid’s work in Africa includes strengthening peace-building in South Sudan, promoting resilient farming in Kenya and challenging inequality in Sierra Leone. Christian Aid also works with women to increase their access to green and sustainable energy in Burkina Faso, Ethiopia and Malawi.

In Asia, Christian Aid’s programmes include promoting women’s rights in Afghanistan, justice and peacebuilding in Myanmar and ensuring people can access the services they need in Bangladesh.

In Latin America and the Caribbean, Christian Aid helps promote gender justice in the Dominican Republic, El Salvador and Guatemala, peacebuilding in Colombia, and supports marginalised communities to adapt their livelihoods to climate change in Honduras, Nicaragua and Haiti. Christian Aid works to stop trafficking of children out of Haiti – returning over 1 thousand children a year to their families.

Christian Aid’s work in the Middle East includes defending people’s rights in Israel and the Occupied Palestinian territory, protecting women at risk of violence in Iraq and providing humanitarian assistance to refugees in Lebanon.



## What can we at All Saints do to support this caring charity?

1. **Deliver envelopes** to houses in this area (no need to collect them nowadays – we put information on the back of each envelope as to how people can give online, or where they can return their envelopes to). If you even have 30 minutes spare in Christian Aid week it will be great if you can deliver some envelopes.
2. **Cake sale and car wash** at Onslow Village Hall 2pm to 5pm on Saturday 18th May. Please come and support this – bake cakes, buy cakes, wash cars and bring your car to be washed. Also please encourage your neighbours to come. Please let Carolyn Nicholls or Katherine Hopwood know what help you can offer.



3. **Give to Christian Aid** – either return an envelope to All Saints, or give online with the QR code or this link: <https://fundraise.christianaid.org.uk/envelope-2024/2024-christian-aid-week-all-saints-guildford>

4. **Pray for the work of Christian Aid.**

*Katherine Hopwood*



## GREETINGS FROM UKARUMPA, PAPUA NEW GUINEA

We recently attended a celebration of all the Scripture published by our organisation here in Papua New Guinea in the last two years. There were audio recordings, various booklets, New Testaments and one whole Bible.



We thank God for the chance to be part of this Bible translation work, and for all of you who partner with us through prayer, encouragement and financial giving.

Please Pray and Praise God with us:

- ◆ Praise God for the Scripture that has been published in the last couple of years. Please pray that people in the different language communities would read/listen to it, and be transformed by God's Word.
- ◆ Please be in prayer for a **team of Scripture Use workers** who **will facilitate the Bible Background/God's Big Story workshop** in Tamigidu village (Tami language group). The workshop will take place from 9 - 22 April. Pray for spiritual and physical protection for the team during travel by air, land and sea and while in the village. Pray for wisdom as the team shares God's Word, and as the people in Tamigidu apply Scripture to their lives. And please pray too that lead-



ers in the village would continue to share what they have learned after the team leaves

- ◆ Many of Clare's colleagues in the missionary care department will be leaving in the next two months, leaving the department very short-staffed. **Please pray for this transition period, as Clare takes on new responsibilities and lets go of others.** Please pray that God would build up the missionary care team.
- ◆ Please pray as **Clare leads two parenting workshops** over the next two weeks **and also offers parent coaching** to missionary parents in PNG and beyond. We are praying that all who would find this helpful would sign up.



With much gratitude for your partnership,  
*Andrew and Clare Koens,  
with Levi, Heidi and Eowyn*

**ALL SAINTS' ORCHARD PROJECT**  
*Volunteer Morning*

MAY 18      JUNE 29      JULY 27

**ALL WELCOME IN THE CHURCH FIELD  
10AM-12 NOON**



## ALL SAINTS' BIG BUILD: COMMUNITY AUDIT FINDINGS

Having discussed the findings of the Community Audit, it was felt that the existing design for the new foyer did not have enough space to meet our needs. In addition we were unclear about the correct interpretation of the recent geotechnical surveys. So a meeting was held on April 10th with the architect and structural engineers.

We gave a quick presentation about the Community Audit which ended with an outline of our thoughts on a new design for the extension on the slope down to the car park. This suggested a realignment of the new toilets, a slightly larger kitchen and a much larger reception area. This area would extend out toward the existing steps down to the hall. It was also proposed that a folding door be inserted at the back of the church which could be opened to utilise the reception area as an overspill when necessary. Finally it was suggested that the existing hedge was removed and that a ramp and new steps leading to the hall might be constructed.

The architect liked the various ideas and will now draw up some new concept designs. He also said that the Community Audit would help us in gaining Diocesan and Borough council planning permission. The structural engineer said that further geotechnical work will be needed to ascertain both the length of piles used for the new foundations and any problems with tree roots.

*Robin Holdsworth*



**Brownies**



Brownies welcomes all girls from 7 to 10 years old for nonstop fun, learning and adventure.

Brownies meet in the Church Hall on Mondays and Fridays. If you would like to add your daughter to the waiting list please visit:

<https://www.girlguiding.org.uk/information-for-parents/register-a-child/>

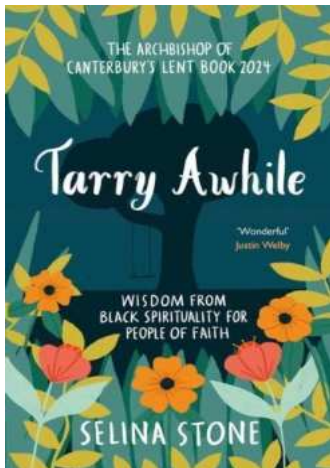
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**aid**

**Car Wash & Cake Sale**

**Saturday 18th May 2.00-5.00pm  
in Onslow Village Hall car park**



## LENT COURSE 2024 REVIEW



“TARRY AWHILE” by Selina Stone was a curious choice for this year’s All Saints Lent Course. Written by an African Caribbean, born and raised in Birmingham, with a vibrant and influential Pentecostal background, she presents a rich image of a different culture which shaped her experience of faith, prayer and worship. Her ancestors’ experiences of coming to the UK (‘Windrush Generation’) enabled her to understand and express a deep-rooted feeling of displacement and oppression, which she feels is still very prevalent in Black communities today.

Her focus is on 'Black Spirituality' and seems more 'autobiography' than 'Lent Book'. A significant part of her Pentecostal upbringing assumed that 'speaking in tongues' was essential proof of the Spirit's presence. As predominantly white and Anglican, with less vibrance, energy and emotion, and with a more staid and traditional approach to faith and 'Spirituality', it was difficult for participants to identify with such different experience. Whereas differing experiences of others from all walks of life and faith are broadening and enriching, applying them to one's own spiritual journey (in Life as well as Lent) is not necessarily helpful or relevant.

But we have much to learn; in the Pentecostal tradition, Sundays are completely devoted to 'going to Church' for most of the day; everyone 'dressed in their best' and the **Day is for The Lord**. How **wonderful** is that? In her book there is much about 'bringing everything to God' and God being present in every part of our lives. Brought up with an exuberant high-spirited form of worship, she movingly reflects on how she discovered 'silent prayer' and expresses her gratitude for a 'deeper understanding of the Christian life and capacity to find God in the darkness'.

The seven chapter titles ('Darkness', 'One', 'Movement', 'Spirit', 'Quiet', 'Healing' and 'Weeping') were inspiring, and within each chapter were several complex and often ambiguous questions for us to discuss in our zoom 'break-out' groups but inevitably there wasn't enough time to do them justice or explore them fully. And no time to contemplate the last two chapters.

One of the riches of participating in a Lent Course should perhaps be the opportunity to discover afresh the meaning and message of Lent and Easter. Studying the Scriptures, sharing thoughts and experiences about its relevance to our daily lives is vital, inspiring and encouraging, and does much to bring us together. I wonder if this book would be a greater inspiration to those whose experience resonated more readily with the author.

*Annie Cox*

## **The woman with the flow of blood: Mark chapter 5, verses 25-34**

The rhythms of the moon, waxing and waning,  
The rhythms of the tides, ebbing and flowing,  
The highs and the lows.  
I was meant to be in step with these,  
Dancing the monthly cycle of life -  
In step with my sisters,  
In time with my biological clock.  
All the other women trod the dance lightly.  
All the other women picked up the rhythms, in touch with the tempo,  
The highs and the lows  
The ebb and flow.

Only I was out of sync with the music of the spheres.  
Only I kept to my own choreography of shame:  
The flow unstoppable, the ebb unattainable, the arrhythmia unbearable.  
Tired and low and always drained, I kept company with outcasts.  
Pushed to the edge,  
Shut out from the red tent,  
And yet stained always red,  
My feet like lead.  
Unclean, unwelcome, forcing every step  
Just to cling to life.

But when I clung to his hem,  
For dear life, holding onto the edge  
Of hope, I felt a surge within me  
Different from the endless heavy flow.  
A rhythm starting in my soul,  
A beat beneath my feet,  
A quickstep in my heart.  
I rose from the dust. I stepped out  
From my stained robes, unashamed.  
I felt my instant freedom!  
Years of pain fell away.  
I felt His flow of Grace.

Clean, unforced and welcome,  
I would be no longer shunned,

No longer hidden. I now  
Could join my sisters in their pattern  
Join my hands with theirs, and fit my steps.  
I had but glimpsed His feet  
But could have sworn  
They danced.

*Julie Shaw*



Vivace Chorus will perform this awe-inspiring piece alongside the Liverpool Welsh Choral Union and the National Symphony Orchestra at GLive. With 200 singers, a huge orchestra, four soloists and eight off-stage trumpets, it promises to be a night full of drama and beauty.

Verdi's Requiem  
GLive, London Rd, Guildford GU1 2AA  
Saturday 18th May, 19.30  
Tickets £12.50-£35  
0343 310 0055 [GLive.co.uk](http://GLive.co.uk)



## **Sunday 12th May 11.15am in Church**

*APCM postponed from March due to a delay in the 2023 accounts*

Please join us for our annual meeting to hear about the past year, plans for the coming year and to elect new members to the Parochial Church Council (PCC).

The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

1. Notice convening the meeting to be taken as read
2. Minutes of the Annual Parochial Church Meeting for 2023
3. Revision of the Electoral Roll
4. Election of people to the PCC
5. Annual reports for the church
6. Financial statement for the year ending 31 December 2023
7. Appointment of auditor
8. Review of safeguarding
9. Appointment of Parish Safeguarding Representative
10. Year's report by the vicar
11. Church Development Plan
12. Questions and points of interest
13. Closing prayers

The agenda looks long but will only last about an hour and it's a great opportunity to feel fully involved in our church family.



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CATHEDRAL

# postbox **TOPPERS** *Exhibition*

This Exhibition will bring together 40 postbox toppers from around the country. The exhibition will celebrate creativity, fibre arts and talent.

**16 APRIL** to **2 JUNE**

## EXHIBITION WORKSHOPS

*Beginners Knitting or Crochet*

*Create a Postbox Topper base*

Details of both workshops and what to bring are on our website.

Booking opens on 16 April.

## KEEP AN EYE OUT

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## PARISH PROFILE: MARGUERITE AND DAVE BARCLAY

### **How long have you lived in Guildford and where were you previously?**

Dave and Marguerite moved to Elmside in 2010 from their home in the Scottish borders, not far from Selkirk. It was a very special home. Needing a complete renovation, it was a daunting project, but the beautiful landscape gave them a huge sense of wellbeing, and Marguerite enjoyed modernising the interior and restoring the building's original features. They made the most of the space by offering bed and breakfast as a sideline.

Before their 12 years in Scotland, they lived in St John's, Woking, with their daughters Natasha and Emily. Marguerite was a social worker and Dave taught at a local primary school.

The move back down to Surrey in 2010 came when they realised that their remote location - miles from the hospital and doctor's surgery, and with no public transport - was not going to be suitable long term.

### **What brought you to All Saints?**

Marguerite and Dave were keen to join a church as soon as they moved into Elmside, having been worshipping regularly all their lives. They joined a service at St Saviour's, but felt it was too big and a little impersonal. Soon after, on their first visit to All Saints, they were warmly welcomed by Reverend Barbara and others in the congregation, and they have never looked back.

### **What do you value most about All Saints?**

Both Dave and Marguerite love that All Saints welcomes people from all different backgrounds and with different experiences and expectations of church - they feel it is a unique place where everyone is encouraged to use their gifts and follow their calling. It took Marguerite some time to adjust to their new life in the south and come to terms with losing the life they had lovingly created in Scotland. Dave, already a licensed lay reader, was quickly drawn into the worship team and started a home group which provided a perfect environment for several people in the congregation who were keen

to build their faith. The group was jointly run with Mary Bentall for some time, with Mary preparing and serving a meal each time the group met.

**Where did you spend your childhood, and how did you meet?**

Marguerite and Dave are both originally from London. Dave, an only child, grew up in Balham during the war – he recalls that his dad made him a train set, complete with bridges and tunnels, as toys weren't available to buy. Marguerite grew up with her older sister and younger brother in Hither Green. They spent their early years living with rationing – Marguerite's mother was a brilliant cook and grew a lot of the family's food in the garden.



Later, they both attended Brethren churches in Wimbledon. They met at the church youth group and began to spend time together there and on the regular Saturday rambles organised by the group.

**Where do you most like to spend time in Guildford?**

Marguerite loves Wisley, and they both really enjoy going out for dinner at the Italian restaurants Olivo and Positano in town.

**What music do you like to play?**

Dave's choice would be classical, particularly choral music. He's also keen on opera, Tosca being a favourite. Marguerite loves Elgar's symphony for the cello.

**And finally, your favourite book?**

Marguerite loved The Dictionary of Lost Words by Pip Williams. And Dave's choice is The Pilgrim's Progress by John Bunyan.

*Jo Smalley*

## CALLY BURCH'S LICENSING

On Thursday 11th April, six of us from All Saints joined other friends from Guildford, a coach load from Fleet and many locals from Bridport in celebrating Cally's licensing as a Team Vicar in the Parish of Bridport.

The service was held in St Mary's church, one of six churches in the benefice, and was led by the Bishop of Sherborne, the Rt Revd Karen Gorham.



*St Mary's post-service*

One very special part of the service was 'God's Call & Our Response'. We sang the hymn "Will you come and follow me if I but call your name?" and after each verse we paused for a short scripture reading, the Bishop's question to Cally on a specific area of ministry and Cally's response. The calls and responses linked beautifully to the hymn verses.



*St John's Church, West Bay*

After the service, we remained in church for refreshments and time to chat with Cally, Rob, Emily and James. Getting to see Cally was quite a challenge as you can imagine and I lost out on one attempt to the captain of the tower - quite right! Amazingly we managed to get the four Burchs together for a family photo.

Cally looked completely at ease in her new surroundings and we're very sure that she will be a great blessing to Bridport. It's a beautiful part of the country and some of us had a bit more time there to enjoy the coast on a beautiful sunny Friday.

*Trish Tye*



↑ *The Burch family*



*Team Rector with Cally* →

### **All Saints' Church Hall**

is available for children's parties on  
Saturday and Sunday afternoons.  
We offer a 4 hour party package for £82  
*(bouncy castle not included)*



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← ↑ Cally cutting her celebratory cake

↓ The All Saints Gang!



## EASTER MONDAY WALK

On 1st April, 14 adults, 6 children and 2 dogs took part in All Saints Church's Easter Monday walk. Some people started from All Saints, walking to Watts Gallery via St Catherine's and Loseley Park; others joined at Watts Gallery (where we listened to live jazz music on the lawn celebrating the gallery's 120<sup>th</sup> birthday) and we all walked together to the final destination, Puttenham, where we ate our picnic lunch in the beautiful churchyard of St John the Baptist C of E.



At Watts Gallery

It was a very relaxing time – there is no pressure on anyone to walk further than they feel comfortable walking on All Saints Church rambles, so some folk left the walk at Puttenham. We had lovely weather all day – apart from a very short but heavy rain shower as we left Watts Gallery! As we walked back to Watts Gallery from Puttenham we were aware that we were walking on part of the Pilgrim's Way – the route pilgrims took from Winchester to Thomas Becket's shrine in Canterbury Cathedral.

*Katherine Hopwood*



**At Puttenham Church of St John the Baptist**



# Summer Music on the Hilltop

*In the Pilgrim Church of St Martha*

## *Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2024*

- 12pm** Jazz at Noon - Welcoming back the Jazz Lions, featuring Chris and Jonny Ford
- 1pm** Virtuoso Violin – introducing 14yr old award-winning soloist Damian Kok Chi Nok
- 2pm** A Hilltop Idyll – Isabella Stocchetti delights us with flute favourites
- 3pm** Trombone Teasers – by popular request local trombonist Felix Rockhill returns to the hillside
- 4pm** Buds and Blossom – emerging young talent from tiny musicians

*Tea and cake served throughout the afternoon. Admission free. Donations invited towards the upkeep of the church. Walkers and dogs welcome. More information on 07960 170006.*



## GARDENING CLUB

We have two events in May. The morning of Saturday May 11th is the time of our Annual Plant Sale to be held in Onslow Village Hall. As well as plants there will be Jig Saws and books on sale.

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday 15th, May at 7.30pm in Onslow Village Hall when Peter Almond will speak on Plants that changed the course of history. The Club is always happy to welcome visitors and new members! Details of all our activities can be found on our website.

*Peter Nicholls*



### **5th June is World Environment**

**Day - <https://www.worldenvironmentday.global/>**

What will you do to help our environment? Alice and I recently joined Onslow Wombles, who regularly litter pick in our local area. They are a very friendly group and have litter pickers and hoops to hold bin bags that you can borrow and on our first 'womble' we had a lovely hour in the sunshine picking up litter in a loop around Queen Eleanor's Road, East Meads, Ellis Avenue and Wilderness Road. We found everything from nail files and cans to a huge orange and a bouncy ball! We picked up a lot of cigarette butts and learnt that if left they take ten years to decompose and they release toxins that whole

time! We were keen to pick them up as if they reached the water ways, just one in a litre of water creates enough poison to kill a fish.

*Angeline Lee*



# Songs of Praise

followed by

## Strawberry Teas & Produce Sale

Sunday 23rd June, 4pm in church  
then at the Vicarage

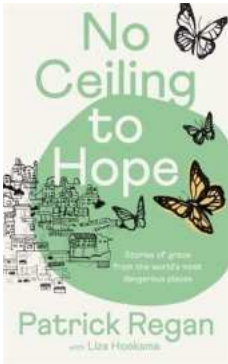


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# Acts 1:8

“BUT YOU SHALL  
receive power  
WHEN THE  
HOLY SPIRIT  
HAS COME UPON YOU;  
AND YOU SHALL BE  
witnesses to Me  
IN JERUSALEM,  
AND IN ALL JUDEA & SAMARIA,  
AND TO THE  
end of the earth.”

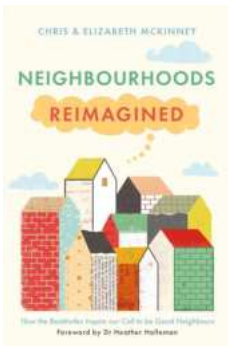
## BOOK REVIEWS



**No Ceiling to Hope: Stories of grace from the world's most dangerous places**  
By Patrick Regan and Liza Hoeksma, SPCK, £10.99

Here are some real-life stories from across the world to show how Christians are helping the most vulnerable in society with God's love.

In Bolivia, Christians are backing education projects to help families to find a way out of poverty. In London, XLP is mentoring young people to turn aside from violence. In Los Angeles, a new future is being offered to gang girls. In high security prisons in the UK and US, the Spirit is turning lives around. In Belfast's Shankill Road area, a group of elderly ladies is cooking meals for men who sit all day in local pubs . . . The list is extensive, and inspiring. The common element is that, in all circumstances, Christ is offering hope.



**Neighbourhoods Reimagined – How the Beatitudes Inspire our Call to be Good Neighbours**  
By Chris McKinney and Elizabeth McKinney,  
10Publishing, £8.99

Somewhere along the way many of us drifted away from our next-door neighbours, and now we're not sure we can get back again. We are unsure of how to befriend them and how to spot opportunities of sharing God's love with them. How can the counter-cultural values of Christianity affect our them, and our neighbourhood?

Believing the beatitudes are Jesus' invitation into neighbourhood flourishing, Neighbourhoods Reimagined envisions how these upside-down values can turn our corners right-side-up.



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10 February	8 June	12 October
9 March	13 July	9 November
13 April	10 August	14 December



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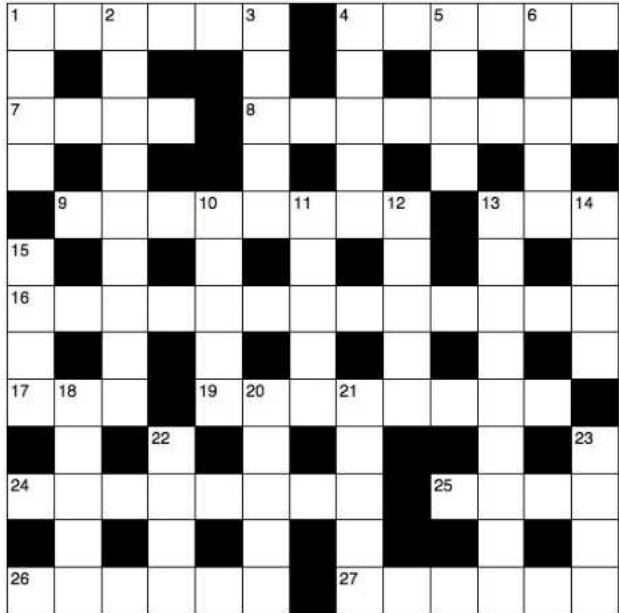
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## PUZZLE PAGE



## CROSSWORD

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### ACROSS

- 1 One who owes money, goods or services (Isaiah 24:2) (6)  
 4 'A good measure, pressed down, — together and running over' (Luke 6:38) (6)  
 7 Continuous dull pain (Proverbs 14:13) (4)  
 8 This bread contains yeast (Amos 4:5) (8)  
 9 'But take heart! I have — the world' (John 16:33) (8)  
 13 And the rest (abbrev.) (3)  
 16 What Paul was accused of by Tertullus, the high priest's lawyer, in his trial before Felix (Acts 24:5) (13)  
 17 Rap (anag.) (3)  
 19 Founder of the Jesuits in 1534 (8)  
 24 'For where your — is, there your heart will be also' (Luke 12:34) (8)  
 25 The first word written on the wall during King Belshazzar's great banquet (Daniel 5:25) (4)  
 26 'We all, like sheep, have gone — ' (Isaiah 53:6) (6)  
 27 One was given in honour of Jesus in Bethany (John 12:2) (6)

## DOWN

- 1 'The blind receive sight, the lame walk, the — hear, the dead are raised' (Luke 7:22) (4)  
 2 Conduct (Colossians 1:21) (9)  
 3 In the Catholic and Orthodox traditions, the body of a saint or his belongings, venerated as holy (5)  
 4 'Like a — of locusts men pounce on it' (Isaiah 33:4) (5)  
 5 Very old (Genesis 44:20) (4)  
 6 In Calvinist theology, one who is predestined by God to receive salvation (5)  
 10 How Nicodemus addressed Jesus when he visited him one night (John 3:2) (5)  
 11 Sea (Psalm 148:7) (5)  
 12 'I will — you, my God the King; I will praise your name for ever and ever' (Psalm 145:1) (5)  
 13 One of the groups of philosophers that Paul met in Athens, who disagreed with his teaching about the resurrection (Acts 17:18) (9)  
 14 Barred enclosure (Ezekiel 19:9) (4)  
 15 'Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in — with the Spirit' (Galatians 5:25) (4)  
 18 Cares (anag.) (5)  
 20 Garish (Ezekiel 16:16) (5)  
 21 'So God said to Noah, "I am going to put — — to all people"' (Genesis 6:13) (2,3)  
 22 Just (2 Corinthians 6:13) (4)  
 23 'The — of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge' (Proverbs

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## WORSHIP AND READINGS

	8am	10am	4pm
<p><b>5th May, Easter 6</b></p> <p>Reading through Acts: the story of the early Church</p>	<p><b>Holy Communion</b></p> <p><b>Acts 10:44-end</b>, 1 John 5:1-6 and John 15:9-17</p> <p><i>'Peter at Cornelius' house'</i></p>	<p><b>Altogether Worship</b></p> <p><b>Acts 10:44-end</b>, 1 John 5:1-6 and John 15:9-17</p> <p><i>'Peter at Cornelius' house'</i></p>	<p><b>Tea Time Church</b></p> <p><b>Acts 10:44-end</b>, 1 John 5:1-6 and John 15:9-17</p> <p><i>'Peter at Cornelius' house'</i></p>
<p><b>Thursday</b> <b>9th May,</b> <b>Ascension Day</b></p>		<p><b>9.30am Ascension Day Holy Communion</b></p> <p><b>Acts 1:1-11</b>, Ephesians 1:15-end and Luke 24:44-end</p> <p><i>'The Ascension'</i></p>	
<p><b>12th May, Easter 7</b></p> <p>Reading through Acts: the story of the early Church</p>		<p><b>Family Communion</b></p> <p><b>Acts 1:15-17, 21-end</b>; 1 John 5:9-13 and John 17:6-19</p> <p><i>'Matthias chosen to replace Judas'</i></p>	<p><b>Tea Time Church</b></p> <p><b>Acts 1:1-11</b>, Ephesians 1:15-end and Luke 24:44-end</p> <p><i>'The Ascension'</i></p>
<p><b>19th May, Pentecost</b></p> <p>Reading through Acts: the story of the early Church</p>	<p><b>BCP Communion</b></p> <p><b>Acts 2:1-21</b>, Romans 8:22-27 and John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15</p> <p><i>'The Holy Spirit comes at Pentecost'</i></p>	<p><b>Morning Worship with Communion</b></p> <p><b>Acts 2:1-21</b>, Romans 8:22-27 and John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15</p> <p><i>'The Holy Spirit comes at Pentecost'</i></p>	<p><b>Tea Time Church: Pentecost</b></p> <p><b>Acts 2:1-21</b>, Romans 8:22-27 and John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15</p> <p><i>'The Holy Spirit comes at Pentecost'</i></p>
<p><b>26th May, Trinity Sunday</b></p>		<p><b>Family Communion</b> (no Children's Church)</p> <p>Isaiah 6:1-8, Romans 8:12-17 and John 3:1-17</p>	<p><b>Tea Time Church: Trinity Sunday</b></p> <p>Isaiah 6:1-8, Romans 8:12-17 and John 3:1-17</p>

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY: MAY

Wednesday 1st, 10.30am	Men's Coffee Morning
Wednesday 1st, 5.30pm	Mission Vision Group
Wednesday 1st, 7.45pm	Sharing & Learning Group
Friday 3rd, 9.30am	Baby & Toddler Group
Monday 6th	<i>Early May Bank Holiday</i>
Tuesday 7th, 7.30pm	Altogether Worship Planning
Wednesday 8th, 12.30pm	Wednesday Lunch Group
Thursday 9th	<i>Ascension Day</i>
Thursday 9th, 7.30pm	Young Adults Study Group
Friday 10th, 9.30am	Baby & Toddler Group
Saturday 11th, 9am	PCC Away Morning and Meeting
Sunday 12th	<i>Christian Aid Week begins</i>
Sunday 12th, 11.15am	APCM
Monday 13th, 10am	Pastoral Team Meeting
Monday 13th, 4pm	Barnabas Group
Tuesday 14th, 12.30pm	Vision Group Chairs Meeting and Lunch
Tuesday 14th, 6.15pm	Safeguarding Team Meeting
Wednesday 15th, 2.30pm	Dray Court Service
Wednesday 15th, 7.45pm	Sharing & Learning Group
Friday 17th, 9.30am	Baby & Toddler Group
Saturday 18th, 8.30am	Prayer Breakfast
Saturday 18th, 10am-12noon	Orchard Project Volunteer Morning
Saturday 18th, 2pm-5pm	Christian Aid Car Wash & Cake Sale
Sunday 19th	<i>Pentecost</i>
Sunday 19th, 5.30pm	Youth Group
Monday 20th, 2pm	Hearing Clinic
Monday 20th, 3pm	Hard of Hearing Group
Monday 20th, 8pm	Premises Meeting
Thursday 23rd, 7.30pm	Young Adults Study Group

Friday 24th, 9.30am	Baby & Toddler Group
Monday 27th	<i>Spring Bank Holiday</i>
Wednesday 29th, 7.45pm	Sharing & Learning Group
Friday 31st, 9.30am	Baby & Toddler Group

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