

St. Augustine's Church

Any problems, please let me know. Thanks, Gaynor

Service News

The 8am services will be shifted slightly during November. There will not be an 8am service on Sunday 1st November, but there will be one on Sunday 8th November. The services on the 15th & 29th November will take place as usual.

Our annual memorial service, to remember and give thanks for loved ones who've died, will take place on Sunday 1st November, at 3pm. All are welcome.

Church Gardening Day

Thank you so much to everyone who helped. Together we managed to make a difference. I may have to ask for more help in the memorial garden after work has been done on trees in November. I will definitely be asking for more help for another general clear up in the spring so keep your tools handy. Jenny C

The Alpha course is a great opportunity for those who are not sure about what they believe to explore the Christian faith, and for those who are Christians to think about their faith in new ways. We are going to be running an Alpha course on Wednesday mornings in the New Year. There will be an introductory session on Wednesday 25th November, at 10am, in the annexe. Please speak to Lisa if you'd be interested in taking part in this new course.

Youth News

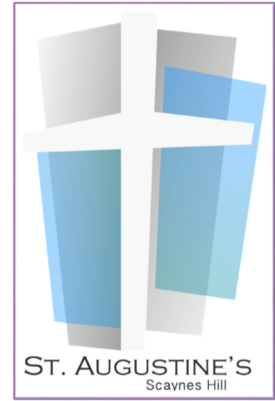
Tuesdays 3:30 pm—5 pm TAG (Talking about God)
Call Emily for more information.

Family Fun Church Fireworks Night

This year's ffc fireworks night is Sunday 8th November, meeting promptly at 5:30pm at church.

Would you be able to help us with by being a road marshall/safety marshall or helping with refreshments? Please speak to Emily 07825 235907

If you would like to give a donation towards the fireworks and food please speak to Keith or Debbie.



Upcoming Events

October 25

6pm Kairos with Rev. Alice

November 1

Memorial Service 3pm

November 8

Remembrance Service
10:15 am

October 18th Trinity 20

Readings

Psalm 147: 1-7

2 Timothy 4: 5-17

Luke 10: 1-9



Remember

to set your clocks back an hour next Saturday night!!

Prayer Diary

MONDAY

FEAR....With all that we read and hear about in the news Lord, we could be very fearful about our world. Help us to stand strong, and prayerful in these days of turmoil by the power of your Holy Spirit at work within us, trusting in our God who has won the victory already.

TUESDAY

FAILURE....Often we wish we could be better in some way Lord, kinder, less critical or angry, more spiritual, less negative, more hopeful. Strengthen and protect us, and direct our hearts to your love and faithfulness, and Christ's perseverance.

WEDNESDAY

LONELINESS....In all the different seasons of life, we will experience isolation because we are alone, but we can feel it with people all around us. Guide us into supporting one another through difficult times, and may the knowledge of your promise to always be with us, help us each day.

THURSDAY

WEAKNESS....Whether through ill health, age, or prolonged periods of just being busy, we can feel everything is an effort. We come to you Lord for wisdom to know what needs to be changed, for healing, to drink from the water of life, for strength, so that we never tire of doing what is right.

FRIDAY

HOPELESSNESS.....Cynical reports about politicians and systems, graphic images of war and the prevalence of the advance of lawless factions can lead to despair, yet we declare that Christ Jesus, you are our hope! Your grace is sufficient for all who believe and trust in you.

SATURDAY

DISTANCE....draw me close to you Lord when I wander away from you, for I know deep in my heart there is nowhere better to be than near to the heart of God. When I am away, I am not the person I want to be, when I draw near to you, glimpse of you are seen in me.

SUNDAY

LONGING....You made us in your image Lord, created for community and relationship, for justice, righteousness, for love, restoration and redemption, for perfection and so we recognise that this world is not our home and only in you is our longing satisfied.

You are able to work all things for good for those who love you and are called for your purposes

AMEN

MISSION FOCUS October: Trussel Trust (Food Bank)

Please keep all those involved in this work in your prayers this month. Information will be at the back of church.

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Tuesday Midday Prayer

Just a reminder that we now have a regular prayer service starting at Midday on Tuesdays. Rev'd Alice will be leading us throughout October.

Scaynes Hill Beavers and Scouts, who meet in the Millennium Centre, are struggling to find leaders at the moment. Group Scout Leader, Steve Minter (831786) would be pleased to hear from anyone who might like to find out more about getting involved.

Men's Breakfast

Our next Men's Breakfast will be on Saturday November 14th in the annexe. Paul Mundy (who spoke during our Prayer sermon series) will be the guest speaker. Details soon. *Mike H.*

Ladies' Breakfast

Our next Ladies' event will be breakfast on Saturday November 7th. Gaynor will be presenting "Cup of Wonder". Event will be £5 and includes Di's delicious breakfast! We do need to know numbers for this one so please remember to sign up.

Restored Lives is a 6 week course for people who are going through or been through marriage or relationship breakdown. Based on the Christian faith, it is led by different churches across the area, and is held in the Haywards Heath Baptist Church hall.

The next course starts at 7:15pm on Monday 2 November. Whether you are a Christian, a person of another or even of no faith, you will be very welcome.

Please visit the Haywards Heath Baptist Church website for more details or to book, or call Fi McLachlan direct on 07594 286621.

Home Groups

Please contact the Home Group leaders to check meeting dates if you would like to attend. Groups scheduled to meet this week are highlighted:

Tuesday 8 pm, fortnightly Mike & Di Harding (Barn End, Newick)

Thursday 8 pm, fortnightly Kerry & Mark Jones (Orchard Close)

1st, 3rd & 5th Wednesdays 8:15 pm Sue & Clive Welland (Heather Plc)

2nd & 4th Thursdays 10:30 am Derek Paine (Church Annexe)