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# St Augustine's Church Newsletter

Weeks commencing:

9th, 16th and 23rd July 2017

## Services and Events

### Sun 9th July

10.00 am Parish Communion  
 with Sunday Club  
 3.30 pm Family Fun Church

### Tue 11th July

10.00 am Coffee Shop  
 7.30 pm Home Group  
 Barn End

### Wed 12th July

6.30 pm Community Choir  
 8.15 pm Home Group  
 Heather Place

### Fri 14th July

7.30 pm Youth Group  
 Christmas Party

### Sun 16th July

8.00 am Holy Communion  
 10.00 am Parish Communion  
 with Sunday Club

### Tue 18th July

10.00 am Coffee Shop

### Wed 19th July

6.30 pm Community Choir

### Sat 22nd July

8.30 am Men's Breakfast

### Sun 23rd July

10.00 am Parish Communion  
 with Sunday Club  
 6.00 pm Kairos led by  
 Gaynor Deal

### Tue 25th July

10.00 am Coffee Shop  
 7.30 pm Home Group  
 Barn End

### Wed 26th July

7pm Community Choir  
 Performance  
 The Sloop Inn  
 8.15 pm Home Group

## Newsletter Info!

As you will see this newsletter covers the next 3 weeks. The following one will be produced on Thursday 27th July and will cover the whole of August. Items for the newsletter should be emailed to:

[sash.parishoffice@gmail.com](mailto:sash.parishoffice@gmail.com).

Debbie will be producing the newsletter whilst in Church on a Thursday morning. Please could you send all contributions, via email, by 9.00am on the Thursday prior to the newsletter's publication. If you have ideas for items you would like to see included in the newsletter, on a regular basis, please let Debbie know.

# Notices

## Men's Breakfast

We have an Australian sheep farmer as our speaker at our next breakfast on Saturday 22nd July, who, unsurprisingly, has entitled his talk "sheep". For many years, he has spent part of each year in the UK and part in Oz. All men are welcome to join us in the church annexe at 8.30am. The cost is £5. Do sign the sheet at the back of the annexe or phone/email me. Details on the back page.

*Mike Harding*

## Vicarage BBQ



There will be a BBQ in the Vicarage garden on Sunday 6th August, from 12 noon and all are very welcome! There will be a sign-up sheet in the annex from 23rd July, so do sign up if you are able to come, and also if you are able to bring a salad or a pudding.

*Lisa, Stephen, Cara, Amy & Ross*

**“Keep  
the  
Date”**

## Gaynor's Licensing

Gaynor Deal is being licensed as a reader at Chichester Cathedral on Saturday 23rd September, time TBC, and all are welcome. She will preach at our 10am service on Sunday 24th and we will have a church lunch after the service to celebrate together. More details in due course, but keep the date!

*Lisa*

## Mission Action Plan

The PCC will be having a special meeting on the afternoon of Sunday 30th July, to think about possible ideas for our new Mission Action Plan. If you have particular ideas about how our church might continue to develop, please do speak to myself, or one of the members of the PCC, who can then feed in your ideas.

*Lisa*

## The Banns of Marriage

between

***Russell Wheatland &  
Kathryn Burris***

were read on Sunday 2nd July and will then be read on the following two Sundays.



## Happy Birthday

to

***Emily Martin***

who will celebrate becoming a "Teenager" on Tuesday 11th July!



# Notices

## Open the Book

Open the book is an exciting initiative from The Bible Society which aims to bring the Bible to life for children in primary schools. We will be running this, with Lindfield United Reformed Church at St Augustine's School from September. We need your help to form a team of volunteers to go into school fortnightly on Wednesday mornings for a short session starting at 10.10am.

The programme is well planned and consists of the storytellers reading from the book of Bible stories using simple props. Nowadays many children never have the chance to hear Bible stories and Open the Book gives children the opportunity to discover the wonder and wisdom of the Bible for themselves. If you like reading aloud or are good at crafts or making

costumes please consider becoming involved in the project. If you are interested in helping out and would like further info please speak to Lisa, Emily or Jenny W.



## Prayer for the Week

*We thank you Father for our Church School and  
for your work within it during this last year.  
We thank you for their successes and challenges and  
for all that has been learnt and achieved.*

*Gracious Lord, we pray that you are with all children and young people  
who are finishing school and  
ask that they take your love and message with them  
as they move and face new challenges  
at work, further education or secondary school.*

*Thank you for the care and inspiration of parents, care-givers, youth leaders,  
staff and governors and we pray Lord  
that you keep all children and young people in your safe and loving keeping  
during these summer holidays.*

*Amen.*