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### Commissioning of Julie Sear

The president invites Julie and Trevor to come forward.

Julie you have been called from this Parish community to serve in the wider Church. Do you believe that God is calling you to explore ministry in the Church?

#### *I believe that God is calling me*

As far as you are able will you bear witness to Jesus Christ through your words and in your life?

#### *I will witness to Christ*

Will you seek the strengthening power of the Holy Spirit as you begin your ministerial formation?

#### *I will seek the Holy Spirit*

#### *To the congregation:*

Will you the people of St Augustine's Church Scaynes Hill support Julie and Trevor with your prayers, friendship and love over the next two years and beyond?

#### *We will support them.*

#### *Trevor and Julie say*

We are grateful for the trust you are placing in us. We pledge ourselves to serve with joy, love and enthusiasm. We will work to help build the life of the Church wherever God calls us. We ask your prayerful support, encouragement and insights as we commit ourselves to serve the Lord and his body.

### Prayer of Commissioning

Faithful God, in baptism you claimed us; and by your Holy Spirit you are working in our lives, empowering us to live a life worthy of our calling. We thank you for leading Julie. and Trevor to this time and place, this ministry and service. Give them the gifts of your Holy Spirit to for the work of ministry. Give to your servants gladness and strength, discipline and hope, humility, humour, and courage, and an abiding sense of your presence, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

# St Augustine's Newsletter

## Today's Services

8.00 am	Holy Communion
9.30 am	Parish Communion
<i>Please stay for refreshments afterwards</i>	
11.00 am	All Age Service
6.00 pm	Deanery Healing Service Wivelsfield

## Today's Readings

Exodus 12:1-14	Page 66
Psalms 149	Page 604
Romans 13:8-14	Page 1076
Mark 10 35-45	Page 959

## This Week's Services & Events

### Monday 8th September

9.00 am	School Start of Year Service
2.00 pm	IDWAL, Horsham

### Tuesday 9th September

Mark leaves for Sierra Leone

### Thursday 11th September

NO Holy Communion

### Friday 12th September

7.30 pm UFOs

### Sunday 14th September

8.00 am	Holy Communion
9.30 am	Parish Communion with Children's Church
6.00 pm	Kairos

## Names to be Remembered This Week

*Nancy Hiclanore  
Phyllis Speller  
Theo Crosby  
Joan Washer  
Harry Henly*

## Notices

### Lay Ministers of Communion

I have invited Lynne Watkins, Derek Paine, Alan and Jenny Cattermole and Sue Welland to become lay ministers of Communion. They will be attending the autumn training course and will be commissioned in November. As we are now very short of Lay ministers of Communion the Bishop has given permission for Sue Welland to administer the chalice straight away.

*Mark*

### Prayer Diary

The St. Augustine's Newsletter will be including a prayer diary from the end of September. This will include some events for us to pray about but we would like to use it as a tool to pray for one another. As part of the church family you may like to ask for prayer for someone or for your yourselves and this could be included in the prayer diary. The pastoral link for the diary will be Diane Harding, tel. no. 01825 722113. If you phone her and give her the details, she will then make sure it goes into the newsletter on the appropriate week and date. We would only include someone's name in the prayer diary if they had given permission so as to respect their privacy. Mark will be giving more information about this over the coming weeks

### Riverside Fellowship

The next meeting of the Riverside Fellowship is on Tuesday 16th September at 10.15 am in the Church. Coffee and biscuits will be available. Please do come along.

### Bishop of Horsham

It was announced on August 15th that Bishop Lindsay is to leave our diocese and move to Norfolk to be Priest Administrator of the Anglican shrine at Walsingham. The letter that he sent to clergy is on the church noticeboard. Please pray for Bishop Lindsay as he prepares for this new role and for Bishop John as he considers who his successor should be.

### Coffee Rota

There is a new coffee rota at the back of church - please sign up!

### Kairos

Please come along to the first Kairos of the autumn term. Jeremy Taylor the Diocesan Education Director will be speaking about consumerism. Tom Robson will be leading the service and Dan Lank, a gifted singer and musician will also be taking part.

## Notices

### Family Support Work

Director Maggie Simons has written to say: "Due to the current economic climate the support workers are finding more and more need for help with food all year round. The store at Knowles Tooth, which supports the Work's use, is almost bare." If you feel you can help by donating non-perishable goods (tins, jars, packets, etc) there will be a box at the back of church for the next three weeks.

### Quiz Night – Social Club

The next quiz night at the Social Club will be on Saturday 27th September and is in aid of Sussex Air Ambulance. I would really like to support this and would urge you to put this in your diaries. Please let Debbie know if you are able to attend. *Mark*

### Confirmation

There will be a deanery confirmation in November. Tom will be running a course for young people who wish to be confirmed in the autumn. A number of adults will also be confirmed. There will be a meeting (for adults) in the Vicarage on Tuesday 14th October at 8 pm for an initial look what confirmation is all about.

### Happy Birthday

to

***Ellen Burnside***

who celebrates her birthday on  
Wednesday 10th September

and to

***Tracey Comber***

who celebrates her birthday on  
Thursday 11th September

## Newsletter

If anyone has any items or ideas that they would like to see included in the newsletter for **Sunday 14th September** please email them to me at:

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or telephone them through to me on: 01444 831431 by no later than 9.00 am on **Thursday 11th September 2008**. The printing of the newsletter will take place on Thursday afternoons so this deadline date is important!

*Many thanks*

*Debbie*