

St Giles' Bulletin



19th June 2016
Fourth Sunday after Trinity

9.00am Holy Communion
Matthew 5 v 33 - 48 (p.969)
1 Peter 2 v 11-17 (p.1218)
Christians and Politics

5.30pm Tea and cakes

6.00pm Choral Evensong

10.00am Coffee and refreshments

10.30am Informal Worship

Soon after the start of the 10.30 service, our children & youth groups begin:

- Sunbeams (ages 2½ - 4½) & Junior Church (primary age) meet in the hall.
- Youth meet in the church welcome area and then go over to Lutterell Hall.

At the rear of church is The Haven, a glazed room where parents can take babies or children who are too young to join the children's groups and need some space to wriggle, crawl or cry! There are toys and books in boxes underneath the seats to help keep babies and toddlers entertained, but please be aware that the room is not soundproof. The church hall can be found through the rear doors of the church. In the hall you will find toilets and baby changing facilities (in the disabled toilet).

If you have a notice for the bulletin, please send details by 10am on Wednesday – either email admin@stgilesparish.com or call 07948 834250.

Diary for the Week

Monday 20 th June	2.00pm	Knitting and Sewing Group
Tuesday 21 st June	9.15am	Morning Prayer
Wednesday 22 nd June	9.30am – 12.30pm 10.45am	Advice Centre in Church Hall Midweek Communion
Thursday 23 rd June	10.00-11.30am	Tiddlers in the Church Hall
Friday 24 th June	7.30pm	Youth Night
Sunday 26 th June	9.00am 10.00am 10.30am	Holy Communion Coffee and refreshments Informal Worship

Notices

For our Prayers

Don and Julie Robson Ken Nichol Margaret Brock Jean Stevenson

He tends his flock like a shepherd: He gathers the lambs in his arms and carries them close to his heart; he gently leads those that have young.

If you or someone you know at St Giles would appreciate some pastoral support do talk to Daphne Carter in confidence.

Holiday Club – Seaside Rock

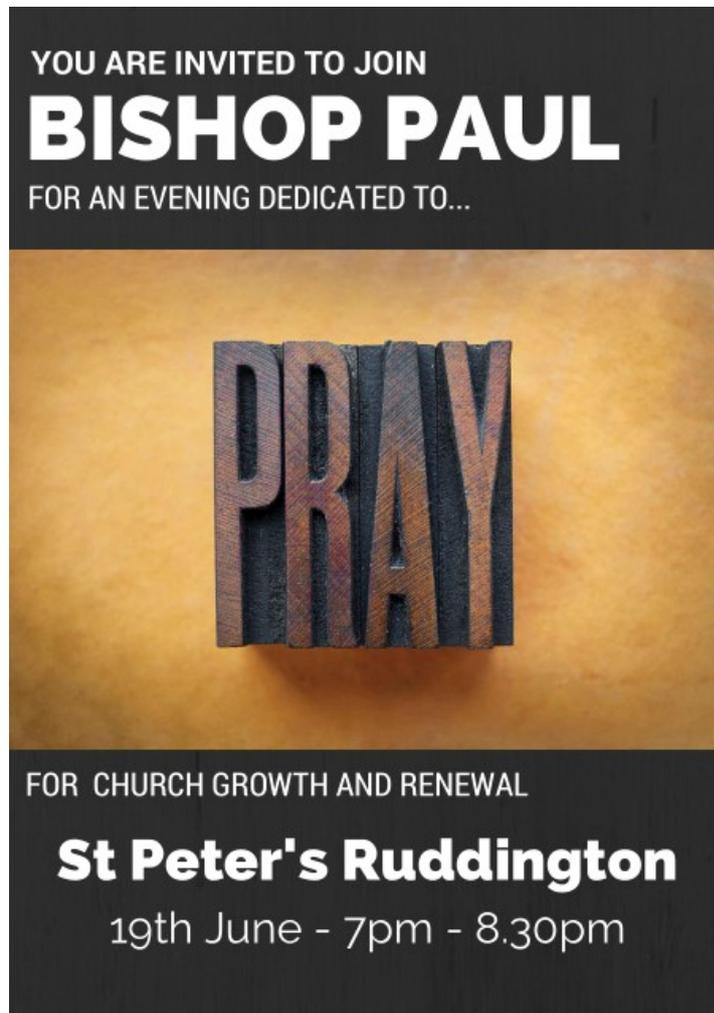
Booking forms can be found at the back of church for this summer's Seaside Rock holiday club. We will be bringing the beach to West Bridgford for a seaside adventure! The children can look forward to seaside crafts, games and sports and hear how Peter took up the challenge to follow Jesus. The holiday club is running from **Tuesday 30th Aug to Friday 2nd Sept** for children aged 5-11 years. If you have children who would like to come or know of friends or family who would be interested please do invite them along. **Please book your place now to help with the planning for the week.**

Cake bakers – can you help?

St Giles is providing refreshments for the Mayor on **Monday 20th June** after the Armed Forces Day Flag Raising. Cake donations would be much appreciated and could be dropped off in church first thing Monday 20th. Please let Claire Sheard know if you can help.

Deanery Prayer Evening

Bishop Paul is embarking on a Week of Prayer, touring the diocese with a focus on meeting with individuals and groups to give thanks for the ministry of all God's people, especially in sharing the extraordinary invitation to be a follower of Jesus Christ. You are invited to join Bishop Paul for an evening of worship, prayer and encouragement, with a focus on 'growing disciples' together at St Peter's Ruddington, **Sunday 19th June** 7pm – 8.30pm.



The Bishop's Week of Prayer

Are you tired of hearing news headlines and not knowing what to do? Do you try to pray for the world but all you can formulate is "May your Kingdom come"? Do you struggle with busy-ness but have a heart for prayer? Then you may want to join a group of us who will be meeting in church **20th – 24th June 6.30-7.00am** during the Bishop Paul's Week of Prayer. For more information contact Kristine Mole on 07989292459.

Knitting and Sewing Group

Our next meeting is **Monday 20th June** at 2.00pm in the Church Hall Meeting Room. All welcome. Just turn up – tea and coffee provided!

youth@stgiles

“To serve and equip young people on their journey of faith in Christ.”

Youth Nights are held on Fridays from 7.30 to 9.30pm. All youth are very welcome and please do bring friends along too. Coming up.....

Friday 24 th June	Youth Worship @ St Giles
Friday 1 st July	No Youth Night - Youth Weekend Away
Friday 8 th July	Youth Cafe @ St Giles
Friday 15 th July	Youth BBQ

Any questions, please speak to Andy Wright, after the 10.30 service on Sundays, or his contact details are on the back of the bulletin.

Women's Retreat – sign up now!

The booking forms for our first ever women's overnight retreat are available now at the back of church. The weekend will take place in the beautiful surroundings of Cliff College, Derbyshire on 8th/9th October (from 10am Saturday through to after lunch on Sunday). It will offer a fantastic time of spiritual, emotional and physical refreshment. The weekend will be fully catered in ensuite bedrooms, at a cost of £90 each. We do not want cost to stop anyone from joining us - please speak to or email Sally Proudlove (sally@proudlove.info) or Debbie Keown (Debbie.keown@ntlworld.com) in confidence if either you would like to come but would struggle with the cost. **Please return your forms and payment as soon as you can to help with planning for the weekend.** Many thanks.

Women's Breakfast

The next women's breakfast will be held in the George Chapel on **Saturday 2nd July**, 8.30-10.30am. Details of the theme and speaker to follow but get the date in your diary now! Tickets are on sale from Debbie Keown and Angela Fifer and cost just £3.

Advance Notice of Seniors Visit to Renishaw Hall

The Seniors' Summer Outing this year is to Renishaw Hall, near Sheffield. This will be on **Thursday 21st July** leaving the Church car park at 10.00am and expecting to be back by 4.30pm. The cost of £27.00 per person is a little higher as this is not a National Trust property, but does include the coach, a guided tour of the Hall, and of course, our wonderful picnic tea provided by the Tall Frog. The cost could decrease if we can fill the coach so bring along any friends who would enjoy a day out. You will as usual need to bring a chair. Please sign up at the back of Church as soon as possible as we have to give approximate numbers to Renishaw at the end of June. For further information see Doreen Ottway between Sunday services.

Full or Part-time Administration Job in a busy printing company in NG3

Barry Hayman's Fineprint are looking for a bright, enthusiastic & competent person, capable of carrying out a range of administration tasks including:

- Handling enquiries & orders, in person, on the phone and on email.
- Keeping the company & work flow organised in a busy, fast paced environment.
- Basic book-keeping & payroll duties, (training can be provided).
- Calculating basic quotations.
- CRM, Marketing & Social Media Skills would be beneficial.
- Provide admin support for the directors
- Archiving job records
- Placing orders with suppliers

Applicants should be computer literate, versatile, able to think on their feet and happy working as part of a small team. Mon to Fri, but flexible hours to suit both parties. Up to £20K per annum depending on hours/experience.

Please email or send your C.V. by Friday 8th July, to Barry Hayman, Fineprint (Nottingham) Ltd, Hooton Street, Nottingham, NG3 2NJ / fineprintltd@icloud.com

Book Groups

For the Afternoon Group the next book is *Riddle of the Sands* by Erskine Childers. We will be meeting to discuss the book on **Monday 4th July** at 3.00pm. in the Church Hall Meeting Room. The Evening Group is reading *Two Brothers* by Ben Elton and is meeting to talk about the book on **Monday 4th July** at 8.00pm at 72 Repton Road. Please ask Johanna for a copy of either book.

Please like us on Facebook!

The St Giles Facebook page is now up and running so if you haven't 'liked' us yet then please do so. The page is called St Giles, West Bridgford, Nottingham. (Make sure you like the right page - there is an unofficial page we've moved away from called St Giles, West Bridgford). We do like to post photos and videos on the page so let us know if you prefer not to be in any of the material that is shared with the community on this page. Thank you!

Musters Road Open Gardens in aid of the Friary: cakes needed please

The Rich family are hosting a 'tea stop' as part of the Musters Road Open Garden event on **Sunday 26th June**. This is a fundraising event with the Friary receiving half the money raised. Please could you help by baking a cake? Last year over 300 people came to our garden in search of refreshments! We can collect from you between Friday and Sunday morning if that would help. Please call Anna, 981 1295, or 07931 638148.

Christian Aid Afternoon Tea, Sunday July 3rd - Thank You!

House to House Collectors and anyone who helped with the Big Event, Plant Sale, Cake Break, Meal and Fashion Show – you are all invited to Afternoon Tea at 41 Repton Road from 3.30pm on **Sunday 3rd July**. If you plan to come please let me know so I know how much baking to do! Thanks again for your efforts this year, from Rachel Gregory (rachelsgregory@btinternet.com 0115 923 4782 or 07752 977395).

Safe Space – our group for mutual support and encouragement for people living with anxiety and depression

The next Safe Space meeting is on **Wednesday 6th July** at 7.45pm in church. We meet in a relaxed atmosphere with refreshments where you can share as little or as much of your experiences as you wish in a safe environment. It's a good place to share successes and helpful tips as well as issues and problems but it's also OK if you prefer to listen rather than speak. Supporters and new members are always welcome. If you would like further information, please contact Daphne Carter (9743749) or Maureen Morrell (9233151.)

Service at Westdale

St Giles is leading a service at Westdale, Melton Road on **Tuesday 28th June** at 11am. Everyone is very welcome to come along and join the worship with the residents – please gather any time after 10.30am. For more information please speak to Rachel White.

Men's Social

This month's meet up will take place on **Monday 27th June**. All men are welcome to come along to the Willow Tree pub from 8pm – if you would like any more information please speak to Tony Vokes in church.

St Giles' Mission Partners



Christian Aid Week 2016 - Fundraising Total

Here are the fundraising figures for 2016.....

The house to house collections raised £1240, the plant sale £226, the Friday cake break £236, the Fashion Show £435, a Christian Aid meal £90 and the Big Event £3,800 which means that St. Giles is giving a fantastic total of **£6,029** to Christian Aid!

Thank you to everyone who helped to achieve this through the house to house, setting up and running of the big event, donations of prizes, cakes and plants and general moral support. A wonderful team effort!

The money raised will go straight to Christian Aid's work to bring an end to poverty around the world. Thank you from Rachel Gregory



From the Friends International Prayer Diary: this week please pray for the international students who have attended *True Leadership*, which challenges students to reflect on their worldview, values and religious experience and how these factors impact on their leadership. Pray that they would have learnt much and been challenged to lead with integrity and honesty. Pray that there will be students who are willing to go on to explore the Christian faith further.



Please continue to donate clothes, food and toiletries in the box at the back of church (no books or toys please) as the Friary's stocks are in constant need of replenishing. Imagine the difference if we all brought one thing to put in the box each week!



**Gracious Father,
by the obedience of Jesus,
you brought salvation to our wayward world:
draw us into harmony with your will,
that we may find all things restored in him,
our Saviour Jesus Christ.
Amen.**

Monday 20th Psalm 80; Judg 13: 1-24; Luke 17: 20-end

* Delhi - (North India) Vacant

Tuesday 21st Psalm 89: 1-18; Judg 14; Luke 18: 1-14

* Derby - (Canterbury, England) The Rt Revd Alastair Redfern

Wednesday 22nd Psalm 119: 105-128; Judg 15:1 – 16:3; Luke 18: 15-30

* Derry & Raphoe - (Armagh, Ireland) The Rt Revd Kenneth Raymond Good

Thursday 23rd Psalm 92; Judg 16: 4-end; Luke 18: 31-end

* Diocese in Europe - (England) The Rt Revd Robert Innes

Friday 24th Psalm 50; Mal 3: 1-6; Luke 3: 1-17

Birth of John the Baptist

* Eastern Kowloon - (Hong Kong) The Rt Revd Timothy Kwok

Saturday 25th Psalm 97; Judg 18: 1-20, 27-end; Luke 19: 11-27

* For politicians and Christians in politics

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