

TRINITY
News
3rd & 10th
September
2023

TRINITY
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TRINITY CHURCH
LEWES

A warm
welcome
to everyone at
our services

Sunday 3rd September
9.30am Morning Worship at South Malling
10.30am Holy Communion at St John's
11.00am Morning Worship at Southover*
4.00pm Evening Prayer at St John's

Monday 4th September
10.00am Monday Club
7.30pm Mission Prayer Meeting at Church End

Wednesday 6th September
9.00am BCP Communion in Chapter House
12.30pm Prayer Meeting at St John's

Thursday 7th September
7.00pm Prospects in Chapter House
7.00pm Mission Committee at Church End

Friday 8th September
8.00am Open to God Zoom Prayer Meeting
1.00pm Bible in a Year, St John's

Saturday 9th September
8.45am TRINITY Women's breakfast at SO

Sunday 10th September
9.30am Morning Worship at South Malling
10.30am Morning Worship at St John's
11.00am Holy Communion at Southover*
6.30pm Evening Service at Southover*

Monday 11th September
10.00am Monday Club

Tuesday 12th September
9.30am Lighthouse at St John's
7.30pm Alpha team gathering at Church End

Wednesday 13th September
9.00am BCP Communion in Chapter House
9.30am Lighthouse at St John's

Thursday 14th September
10.00am Boogie Bunch at St John's
7.10pm PCC meeting in Chapter House

Friday 15th September
8.00am Open to God Zoom Prayer Meeting
1.00pm Bible in a Year, St John's
7.30pm The Edge at Southover Hall

Sunday 17th September
9.30am Morning Worship at South Malling
10.30am Morning Worship at St John's
11.00am Morning Worship at Southover*
4.00pm Holy Communion at St John's
6.30pm Fuel at Church End

Bell ringers at Southover every Tuesday evening

* This service is live-streamed & can be found on our YouTube channel

FUNERAL OF MARGARET BADHAM

Margaret died at Barons Down Nursing Home on 19th August. Her funeral will be at TRINITY Church Southover on **Friday 15th September at 12 noon.**

We're so pleased you've joined us today - please introduce yourself to the welcome team if you're new so that we can tell you more about what goes on at TRINITY.

Children & young people's groups run during the service at:
TRINITY South Malling: Sparks (KS1) & Blaze (KS2)
TRINITY St John sub Castro: Sparks (KS1), Blaze (KS2) & Ignite (KS3)

CAFÉ 12/31 REOPENING SOON!

We are looking forward to Café 12/31 reopening in the next few weeks. We have a slightly new look and menu and will have a great welcoming community atmosphere.



We still want and need our church family to help support the café, so let us know if you are interested in coming in to help, weekly, fortnightly or monthly on a Tuesday, Thursday or Friday 10am - 2pm or Saturday 9am - 1pm. We are looking for food prep help assisting the cook (particularly on a Tuesday morning), table clearer / dishwasher loader and HOME BAKERS to help supply delicious homemade cakes. You can do as much or little as you want and of course the rota can be flexible around holidays and appointments. Please email or call Zoe 07970 296792 / zoe.tompsett@gmail.com

Bring & Share Lunch
Sun 3rd Sep 12.15ish
at Church End, hosted by Creation Care team. Bring your holy day (holiday) culinary experiences.



MOIRA PATON'S THANKSGIVING

Ali and Biddy welcome you to join them at All Saints Centre, Friars Walk, BN7 2LF on Friday 8th September at 2.30 - 5.30pm for Moira's memorial service followed by afternoon tea. If anyone would like to say a few words about their memories of Moira at the end of the service please do.

TRINITY WOMEN'S BREAKFAST

Saturday 9th September
in TRINITY Church Southover. Doors open 8.30, breakfast at 8.45. Our speaker is Claire Musters whose topic will be "Come out of Hiding: Taking off the Mask". Claire is a Christian writer, speaker and author of several books. She hosts the "Women Alive" book club and says that her passion in life is to see people reach their potential in God.



Please email or call by Thursday 7th to reserve your place women@trinitylewes.org or call 483307 and let us know any dietary requirements, and do bring a friend. Donations towards costs will be welcome on the day.

HOME GROUPS

re-start week beginning 11th Sept. They are a great way to meet in smaller groups, explore the bible in more detail, pray and support others in the group and grow our fellowship and faith together. If you are not part of a group and would like to join one, please speak to Anita.



This term we will be using Jill Duff's book 'Lighting the Beacons' as our material. It is inspirational with an engaging mix of personal experiences, scriptural insight and stories from life today and throughout history, Lighting the Beacons challenges us to see heaven breaking through into earth. Even if you can't make home group sessions, I encourage you to read this book.

Let us pray....



For those who are sick & suffering....

Gillian Avis, Maureen Daughtery, Emma Dyer, Shirley Edwards, John Ffitch-Heyes, Stella Hull, Tony Idle, Richard Kitch, Susanna Lunn (hips), Andy Washer, Shirley & Geoff Williams

The family and friends of those mourning the loss of a loved one...

Margaret Badham, Denis Edwards

Ideas to guide your prayers this fortnight....

- ◆ Praise for all the different experiences we have enjoyed over the summer, whether at home or away
- ◆ Pray for children and young people returning to school, especially those starting at a new school or college
- ◆ Praise and pray for the reopening of Café 12/31 and for the new staff; pray as the remaining preparations are completed
- ◆ Preparations for the new Alpha course, for the building up of the team and for the curious to apply
- ◆ For new volunteers to get their security checks through speedily so they can begin ministering in Lewes prison
- ◆ For those who have come to personal faith in Christ through Think & Do's activities to find fellowship and grow in their faith
- ◆ As home groups start regular meetings again, pray that we will grow in fellowship with the Lord and with each other
- ◆ Our PCC members as they meet on 14th September, that they will know the Lord's leading
- ◆ Those who feel that they no longer have a purpose in life
- ◆ Those who are grieving the loss of a loved one

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good. His love endures for ever. (Psalm 136:1)

BEREAVEMENT JOURNEY COURSE

Starts 25th September for 7 sessions (film & discussion)
Church End 7.00pm - 9.00pm. Cost £25 (including booklet)
Grief is hard. Death can impact all of life. This course is for anyone bereaved at any time. It has supported and helped many people in sharing, reflecting and learning with others in a confidential environment. If you know of someone who might like to attend or you would like to know more, contact Jeanette Clifton on 07852 221449 or mail@southovercounselling.org.uk
Places are limited so please book early.

The Alpha Course - get involved!

Starting Tues 26th Sept 7:30pm at Church End. Please can you:

1. Invite someone to come along with you to the course.
2. Share the Facebook videos on the church account (www.facebook.com/trinitylewes)
3. Join the team - we need cooks, washers up and help with hospitality (contact Paul).
4. Come to our team gathering on Tues 12th Sept at 7:30pm at Church End.
5. Pray!



TFM Men's Weekend: Fri 13th - Sun 15th October

Paul Boulter will be speaking at our annual Men's Group away weekend. For more details, and to book your place, see <https://trinitylewes.churchsuite.com/events/jf3zd4vq>

Chichester Diocesan Evangelical Fellowship Conference
Tuesday 3rd October 9.30am - 2.00pm in Hove
with Bishop Julian Henderson. More details soon.

FUTURE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY.....

Wed 20th Sept	7.30pm	Prayer meeting at CH
Thu 26th Sep	evening	Start of Alpha course
Mon 2nd Oct	7.30pm	Mission prayer meeting
Fri 13th - Sun 15th Oct	TRINITY	For Men away weekend
Sat 14th Oct	TRINITY	Women Day Retreat
Thu 19th Oct	7.10pm	PCC
Mon 6th Nov	7.30pm	Mission prayer meeting
Thu 23rd Nov	7.10pm	PCC

TRINITY CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR

Saturday 25th November - TRINITY Southover

We are delighted to be restarting this event. It's a fantastic way of getting the public into one of our beautiful buildings and raising money for a collection of charities. To do this successfully we of course need YOU! Can you help to welcome on the door, sell tea, coffee and cakes, be part of the lunch team, help set up and clear up tables, help with children's crafts. The fair will be open 12.00pm - 3.30pm and we will set up the evening before. Email Zoe if you can help in any way and please get the word out to any sellers you think might like to apply for a table, again asking them to contact Zoe (zoe.tompsett@gmail.com)

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Safeguarding

We take the safeguarding of children and vulnerable adults seriously. If you have any concerns, please speak to any of our Lead or Deputy Safeguarding Representatives:

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Amanda Burgess (Children)
Jenni Taylor (Vulnerable Adults)
or speak to Anita our Rector

Please send items for next TRINITY News to Christine via the office email by 9am on Wednesday 13th Sep