

Werrington Fortnightly

PARISH CHURCH

Aug 18 & 25, 2019

Welcome & if you have recently joined us we would just like to say how great it is to have you here with us. We are a church of people who are trying to live our lives for and with Jesus & we are delighted that you may be considering joining us on this journey of faith. Please don't leave today without introducing yourself & asking one of our Welcome Team for a Welcome Pack. There is lots of information about our church family on our website www.werringtonparish.org.uk. We look forward to getting to know you.

Blessings from George Rogers (571649) & Sue Fear (07956376007)



Sunday 1st September.
There will be a **BBQ** after the last "10 out of 10" service at Emmanuel.

Please sign up on the sheets in both church buildings by 25th August so we can let the men's group know numbers, as they will be our cooks. Also, please bring a salad or dessert and a chair to sit on. Everyone welcome.



There will be a **Parish-wide Thanksgiving Service** for Sifa Gatambia on the 8th of September at Emmanuel Church at **10:30 am** (no service at St John's). The

Thanksgiving service will be followed by a shared meal for our church family and friends to which all are welcome. Newton and Irene would love to have an idea of numbers for catering purposes. Please let Newton know by **23rd August** via newtos07@yahoo.com if you plan to be there for the meal.



Helpers needed to set up tables & do washing up at the Community Tea on 5th Sept.

Offers of cakes/slices gratefully received. These can be taken to the Village Centre on the day or dropped off at Rose Griffith's.



The Parish Office will be closed on Monday 19th & 26th August and on Thursday 22nd & 29th. There will be **no Tuesday Drop In** at St John's on 20th Aug.



The comedian & author, **Paul Kerensa**, is coming to Emmanuel on Saturday 7th Sept. He will lead a **family afternoon** from 3-4:30 pm, sharing his humorous retellings of Bible stories.

Tickets are £10 per family (£12 on the door). An **evening session** will feature stories, songs and a Q&A session. This is at 7:30 pm and tickets are £7.50 (£9 on the door). Paul has appeared at Spring Harvest, Green Belt & Keswick and plays at comedy clubs and cathedrals! The show is good clean fun and suitable for all, from atheists to archbishops. Tickets for both events are available from the Parish Office and from Emmanuel & St John's on Sunday mornings. Fliers for both events are available to give to friends and family.



Sign up by 15th Sept to bake Kairos cookies for Stocken Prison. Cookies needed for 6th Oct. Recipe will be provided.

Prayer needs:

- † The family & friends of Fay Freeman, as she is baptised today (18th)
- † Those at Soul Survivor until the 21st.
- † Those who have received A level results and those awaiting GCSE results on the 22nd.
- † A restful, relaxing and safe time for those having a break during the school summer holidays.

All who are bereaved, especially the families of Margaret Evans (Sian's Mum), Jacqueline Rice & Carol Stanton (née Croson). **Thanksgiving Service** for Margaret in St John's on 14th Sept at 2:30 pm.

Those who are unwell/in need, especially Louise Passmore, Ann Edmondson, Rita Molsher, Lawrence Wright & Oliver Kightly. (*Long-term prayer needs are on the calendar leaflet.*)

Thank you from Cynthia Price for cards & prayers.

Those leading services in other parishes.

Please pray for our **Mission Partners & their activities**. This week we are praying for the work of:

- ▷ **CROPS**. Give thanks for 30 years of ministry to our local schools.
- ▷ **GLO in Burundi**. Pray for Onesphere, the local leader, and the teams of people going out to remote areas to share the Gospel.
- ▷ **Street Pastors**. Pray for protection for volunteers as they make contact with people on our city streets.
- ▷ **Barnabas Fund**. Thank God that they are able to feed, clothe, heal, educate, equip, train, rehouse, resettle, empower & protect thousands of persecuted Christians around the world.
- ▷ **Dalitso Trust in Malawi**. Pray for Dalitso's health work, especially the Dalitso team as they train volunteer health visitors. Pray that the gospel is communicated through word and deed.
- ▷ **FEBA**. Give thanks that: FEBA India is reaching women & young people in rural areas; FEBC is broadcasting into China from the Philippines & Korea. Pray for FEBA Egypt as they broadcast to young people from various backgrounds.

Services 18 & 25/8

8 am Holy Communion in St John's

18th 10 am Summer Service in Emmanuel

Matthew 6:5-15 "The Lord's Prayer"

10:30 am Service + Baptism in St John's

Matthew 3:13-4:1a "Jesus the Obedient Son"

6:30 pm Holy Communion in St John's

Hebrews 11:29-12:2, Luke 12:49-56 "#By faith"

25th 10 am Summer Service in Emmanuel

Luke 14:15-24 "The Parable of the Great Banquet"

10:30 am Service in St John's

Matthew 28:16-20 "Making More Disciples"

6:30 pm Service in St John's

2 Corinthians 9, Matthew 21:28-32

Current Theme

**10 out of 10
(Holy Habits)**



Collects

9TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Gracious Father, revive your Church in our day, and make her holy, strong and faithful, for your glory's sake in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

10TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Lord of heaven and earth, as Jesus taught his disciples to be persistent in prayer, give us patience and courage never to lose hope, but always to bring our prayers before you; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

See latest monthly news for dates of meetings/activities. Available electronically & on web site.

See notice boards and tables for info. Collect fliers of future events & other info.

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