

the week ahead

Church Coffee Bar: Opening Hours

Monday – Friday 8:30 – 12noon
Wednesday 2:30 – 4:30pm
Thursday 2:30 – 5:00pm
Saturday 9:15 – 12noon

m 9:00 - 9:30am **Rhythm of Prayer**
10:30 - 11:45am **Bumps and Babies**

t 3:00pm - 4:30pm **Youth Café**

W 11:45 - 1pm **Hearing Champions**
12 - 12:30pm **Rhythm of Prayer**
12:30pm **Church Lunch**
6:00 - 7:00pm **Vibe**
7:30 - 9:30pm **Alpha**

th 6:00 - 7:30pm **Rooted**
9:00 - 9:30pm **Rhythm of Prayer**

f 9:45 -11:15am **Noah's Ark**
12 - 12:15pm **MU Wave of Prayer**

S 7:30 – 9:00am **Men's Breakfast**
9:30 - 10am **Rhythm of Prayer**
10:00 - 12noon **Church Gardening**

Sunday 8 July

10:00am **Family Worship**
4:00pm **It's Not OK**
6:30pm **Who Cares? Talk 9**
'A World of Injustice'

Items for the next weekly notice sheet should reach the Church Office by 8am on Wednesday. Email: office@churchontheheath.org.uk

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welcome

8 July 2018

10am • **Family Worship**
Led by: Rev. Patrick Butler
Speaker: David Ball
Theme: Joshua 6: The God who calls us to holiness
Readings: Joshua 7 and Acts 5:1-10

12 noon • **Congregational Meeting**

3.00pm • **Church of Rock**

4.00pm • **LyCig 3**

6.30pm • **"Who Cares?" Talk 8 – Financial Pressures and Debt**
Speaker: Rev. Patrick Butler

Today...

This morning we have a "Fresh Start" client coming from Bracknell with her CAP friend who will interview her about her experience of dependency and breaking free.

All are welcome to stay after the service for our Congregational Meeting. After tea and coffee there will be a full update on church matters since the AGM.

The Church on the Heath

A community where everyone can encounter the transforming love of Jesus

Here for the first time?

If this is your first Sunday with us at the Church on the Heath, we hope you feel very welcome. Do stay for refreshments after the service so we can get to know one another.

If you would like to keep in touch, please leave your details on one of the cards at the welcome desk near the entrance.

Energize our junior church groups meet during the service and a crèche for the under-threes can be found at the back of the overflow area.

As we don't take a collection during the service, there are baskets at the back if you would like to make an offering.



For more information on The Church on the Heath, visit our website www.churchontheheath.org.uk or contact the Church Office on 400236

Patrick writes ...

I am away on a conference in Derbyshire as I write this. The theme is 'Traces of Grace' and I am grateful to have teaching and refreshment with fellow Anglican Ministers (and amazed that the England team has actually won a penalty shoot out!).

This Sunday morning our journey through Joshua reminds us that, alongside grace, God calls us to holiness. This means to do all we can to turn from habits and actions we know to be wrong and cast shadows on our relationship with God and with others. The story of Achan makes for tough reading but confronts us with God's holiness, sin's corrosiveness and, ultimately, the wonder of the cross.

Can I encourage you to sign up for our end of year barbecue Sunday after next (22nd July). So much we want to celebrate and, besides, I am sure we will have won the world cup by then!

Rhythm of Prayer

All welcome: **Mon 9.00am, Wed 12 noon, Thurs 9pm, and Sat 9.30am**
A time to be still in God's presence, to pray for our community, the world and for ourselves.

Leading your Church into Growth (LyCiG): Leadership review part 2

Last chance to join in session 3 this afternoon 4-5.30pm here at CotH.

CotH Celebration BBQ

Sunday 22nd July – from 12noon.

Activities for children, plus burgers, sausages and buns. Bring and share salads, puds and drinks. All welcome, please sign-up in the overflow or at MyChurchontheHeath.

LyCiG feedback and roundup Wednesday 18th July, 8pm

If you're interested in the feedback and discussion from our LyCiG sessions, then join us for nibbles and a drink to hear what's been shared.

Our July Mission Partner

...is Christians Against Poverty (CAP). God has given a 21st Century answer to some of the most pressing social needs within society today; debt, dependencies and joblessness. Please pray for this amazing, God inspired ministry.

Summer Church 2018

Begins **29th July** for 5 weeks – Sunday worship for all the family. Choose Sermon, Arts'n'Crafts, Prayer, Worship, Discussion or Drama; and follow the story of Moses. Pick up a flyer to find more details. If you are able to help, please sign-up at the back of Church or email Betty: betty@churchontheheath.org.uk

Coffee Bar Helpers Needed

Make some new friends and take part in the mission on our doorstep! Flexible times available and good fun. Please see Roger or Christine Munday or email the church office.

Who Cares?

A series of Sunday evening talks addressing the most common causes of hurt in our community. Do come along at 6:30pm and bring a friend or neighbour.

This Week:

Financial Pressures & Debt 8 July
25% of survey respondents felt the stress of low income and the impact of this pressure on family life, health, debt and retirement.

Coming Soon:

A World of Injustice 15 July
There is hope when life hurts the most.

Gardening around the Church

If you are able to help with weeding and tidying please bring your tools to our next garden working party on **Saturday 14th July, 10am – 12 noon.**

Hearing Champions

Free maintenance for NHS hearing aids on **Wednesday 11th July 11.45am – 1.45pm.** Includes battery supply and re-tubing. Bring your NHS battery book and hearing aid.

Men's Breakfast

Join us to enjoy decent bacon sandwiches, drinks and building friendships. **Saturday 14th July, 7.30am – 9am.** All over 18 welcome.

ECC meeting – Monday 9th July

The agenda for the meeting is posted on the Church notice board. If you would like to receive minutes from ECC meetings, please e-mail Paul: secretary@churchontheheath.org.uk

Fleet Aid "Shoes For Refugees"

Six supporters will run in the Virgin 10K on **15 July** to raise money to buy footwear for the refugees. Support this project by donating via <https://mydonate.bt.com/fundraiser/care4calais10kcrew>

Fleet Flower Festival 'Milestones in Life' 13th – 15th July

Fleet Methodist Church. Entrance free, refreshments available. Open **11am – 5pm on 13th, 14th July and 2pm – 4.30 on Sunday 15th July**

Holiday Clubs

There are two holiday clubs at Fleet Churches this summer both running **Mon 23rd – Fri 27th July, 9.30am – 12.**
Heroes of the Bible: Songs, games and craft for children aged 5-11 at St Philip and St James Church, Kings Rd. £5 per day (sibling discounts available). Booking required. Please contact Chantelle on 812114 or office@parishoffleet.org.uk and

Team Builders: At Fleet Methodist Church, Reading Road South. Stories, drama, crafts, games for children Year R – Year 6. To book contact Jackie on 622664 or families@fleetmethodist.org.uk