

Churches Together in Redditch

There will be a Celebrating Age Tea Party at the Baptist Church Easemore Road, open to all ages on Monday 17th September 2.30pm-4.00pm. Contact Jackie Marsh telephone 547113 for catering purposes.

Spice website - don't forget to checkout the website for updates, there is a monthly Thought - an extract from July reflecting on the Olympics' is 'Jesus offered life in all it's fullness and that's what the race gives when we run it giving our all' www.woodrowspice.org

Coffee Drop In On Woodrow

Coffee Drop In at What's Your Point, Bryant Place, Bengrove Close, Woodrow. It is open 12.30pm - 2.30 pm on Thursdays and you can drop in for a "cuppa a nibble and a natter" - very reasonable prices. It is ran by the community for the community and as part of the community it would be lovely if church people popped in occasionally and got to know some of the locals. Ann D and Dot will be there. This is very much at the heart of SPICE - making relationships and building up trust - being Jesus with local people. This is a new initiative run by What's Your Point and we have been supporting it all along.

Summer socials at St John's

The summer holidays are fast approaching and although many of St John's congregation will be away, some will be staying at home waiting for a glimpse of summer sunshine. How does a trip to the cinema, a ramble, meet up at the park or café/pub sound? Anyone can organise a social just think of something you would like to do and when and let everyone know, contact Sharon to add it to the notices and if you have access to the internet also add it to <https://www.facebook.com/StJohnsRedditch>

St. John's Diary

Sun 15 July 6.30pm JOINT CONFIRMATION SERVICE WITH BISHOP DAVID; at St Peter's

Sun 22 July Thanksgiving for Skye Avis @ 10:30
TEA WITH RICHARD AND SALLY BUBBERS AND FAMILY;
(New curate) 4.30, followed by Joint Service at St Peter's

Fri 24 Aug Woodrow fun day

Thu 13 Sep Training Evening

Fri 14 - Sun 16 Sept Warm Prayer Weekend - BOOK ASAP!

Mon 17th Sep Churches Together -Celebrating Age Tea Party

Sept 29th - visiting Woodrow

Nov 24th - visiting Woodrow to invite to Christmas events

The dates for Messy Church are 22 Sept., 17 Nov., 19 Jan., 23 Mar., 18 May and 20 July



St. John's Church
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Sunday 9th July, 2012

Trinity 5

Welcome to St John's. A special welcome to all visitors

Open Doors Tea Party this afternoon

Don't forget - on SUNDAY 8th JULY you are invited to drop in at 49, Oakenshaw Road for tea /coffee and cakes and a chance to learn a bit more about how Christians in other parts of the world cope with the persecution and opposition they face and how Open Doors supports them. Come any time between 2pm and 6pm. (there will be a small charge as a contribution to the work of Open doors). Hope you can make it Ann Donovan

Fladbury Close

Thanks to all those that came out to the work in- lots of residents are very grateful. Sam and Corrie and I went back to finish off the next day and they were all buzzing about the work done and very grateful about so many nice people who do something for nothing. Dot

Pastor's Piece

There were so many good things happening last Sunday, and it was especially good to attend Richard Bubber's ordination as deacon. (Our new curate.) We can all meet him on 22nd July at 4.30 at a special tea up at St Peter's.



God is good and faithful in the whole of our lives, even through the difficult times, as we will be looking at this morning. This evening, the Ministry Team will be having a Healing Service with testimonies and laying-on of hands; this is a very special time, and we encourage you to come if you can. As we invite God to send down upon his church the riches of his Spirit, we also remind ourselves of the words that the Lord said to Paul: 'My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.'

Every blessing,

Gary

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ALPHA –celebration and next Alpha

We are planning a celebration meal this Thursday 12th July at 7.00 pm for those attending the current Alpha. We would also like to invite anyone interested in doing the next course or would just like to find out more to come and join us. For catering purposes please let Ann Donovan or Gary know.

Prayer Partner Lunch

Thank you to all who have replied letting us know who will be attending next Sunday's Prayer Partner lunch. We look forward to a lovely lunch starting at around 12noon after the service. Any queries please speak with Dot.

Sunday 15th July: 6.30 p.m. Confirmation Service

There will be a joint Parish Confirmation service at St Peter's Ipsley next week – it would be great for us at St John's to support those candidates in our Parish who are being confirmed by Bishop David (there will be no evening service at St John's). Anyone needing or offering a lift please speak to Sharon.

Holiday Club Monday 23rd July – Friday 27th July

HOLIDAY CLUB at Christ Church - "On Your Marks" - fun filled activities on a sport and Christian theme for all 5-11 year olds from 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon each day. £1 per session and 50p for additional family members.

To find out more or book a place (s) call the Church Office on 460400.

Olympic Torch and praise service

Thank you to the Quarton's for organising a praise service and opening up their home to us all last Sunday. Well done and congratulations to Simon, we hope you enjoyed the day.

Parish News

See the parish website for events throughout the parish.

www.ipsley.org St John's is part of it.

Today - Trinity 5

- 10:30am Morning Worship with Vicki Quarton, Pastor Gary Noyes will be speaking on 2 Corinthians 12:1-10 and Mark 6:1-13
- 6:30pm Evening Healing service with Pastor Gary Noyes

Events

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| Mon 9 Jul | 1:30pm | Bowls |
| | 8:00pm | Prayer ministry team |
| | 7:45pm | Standing committee at the Vicarage |
| Tue 10 Jul | | Morning Fellowship @ 49 Oakenshaw Road |
| | | Parents & Toddlers in the Church Hall |
| Wed 11 Jul | 10.00am | Clergy Chapter at St Peter's |
| | 10.00am | Diocesan meeting for trainee LLM's/Clergy/ |
| | 11.00-2.00pm | Mentors; St Peters |
| | 7.00pm | Jump Youth Group in the Hall |
| | 7.30pm | Parish Ministry Team meet at St Peter's |
| Thur 12 Jul | 10:00am | Parents & Toddlers in the Church Hall |
| | 12.30-2.30pm | What's Your Point meeting |
| | 2.00-4.00pm | Chapter meeting at The Ark |
| | | PCC meet at Christchurch |
| | 7:30pm | Alpha Supper at Ann Donovan's |
| | 7.00pm | Woodrow Fellowship @ Rob & Jo's. |
| | 7.45pm | |

Next Sunday

- 10:30am Morning Worship with Pastor Gary Noyes
- Ephesians 1:3-14 and Deuteronomy 28:1-14
- 12 noon Children & Prayer Partners Lunch in the Hall
- 6:30pm Joint service at St Peters

PRAYER Please pray for:-

- ★ Gary & April, Garth & Jenny, Richard & Wendy, Richard & Sally & their families.
- ★ Those known to us who are suffering ill health.
- ★ Alpha Course for those completing the current course and those expressing an interest in the next one plus 'Youthalpa' continuing today.
- ★ SPICE
- ★ Open The Book
- ★ Messy Church
- ★ Those without enough to eat.
- ★ Those trying to find work.
- ★ Those under threat of losing their job.
- ★ All who travel, for holiday or work

