

Future Events

Guest Speaker - Sunday 25th April 11.15am - David Treagust from the Bible Society. Come and hear about the work of the Bible Society.

Seniors' Beetle Drive & Entertainment - Tuesday 27th April 1.45/4.00pm - At St. John's Centre with afternoon tea. Places are limited - to avoid disappointment please phone Eileen on 379722 by Wednesday 21st April.

Christian Aid Week - 9th/16th May

Ascension Day - Thursday 13th May 7am - Breakfast and Communion

Big Church Day Out - Sunday/Monday 30th/31st May
At Wiston House, West Sussex. Tickets priced from £13 from www.bigchurchdayout.com. Early booking discounts. See the notice board at the back of Church for details of a group booking.

Ordination - Saturday 26th June 4pm - Kev Robinson and Stuart Silk will be ordained at Chichester Cathedral.

Welcome Barbecue Lunch - Sunday 27th June

Parish Directory - A few copies of the new directory are available for NEW people to the Church. There will be an updated version after Kevan & Stuart have been ordained. Copies from the Welcome Team. Cost 50p or a donation.

Westminster 2010 - Declaration of Christian Conscience. It is aimed to appeal to UK Christians who subscribe to the historic Christian faith and who hold orthodox Christian beliefs on protecting human life, protecting marriage and protecting freedom of conscience. More information and a declaration form, to add your signature to, can be found in the Centre or online www.westminster2010.org.uk

Grapevine - online at www.stjohnssouthbourne.com.

The Parish Office is open daily from 9.00am - 12 noon
Tel: 01243 375576



GRAPEVINE

Sunday 18th April 2010
Third Sunday of Easter

What's on this week

Rehearsal - Monday 7.30pm - The Ensemble which sang at the Maundy Thursday service have agreed that they would like to meet & rehearse on a regular basis. They will meet in the Church to rehearse a range of music (mostly 4 part harmony) for future services. Additional singers welcome. Please contact Mike Prosser on 573586 for more information.

Tuesday Friends - Tuesday 2pm - Lounge

Prayer Together - Tuesday 7.30pm/9pm

At the New Life Church. Come and join us as we meet in prayer with our friends from the Catholic Bible School, New Life Church and Southbourne Free Church.

Time 4 Me - Thursday - in the Centre.

Annual Parochial Church Meeting - Thursday 7.30pm

Annual meeting and election of members of the PCC. Nomination forms are available from the Parish Office. If you have access to the internet you can read the report online at www.stjohnssouthbourne.com Please pray about whether the Lord is seeking you to serve in this way.

'Make Sunday Special' - Go to www.free-sunday.eu/en to sign a petition to encourage the EU to make Sunday special. Sign up with 1000's of people from all over Europe.

If you would like more information please call the Parish Office 375576 9.00am/12 noon Monday/Friday.

Please remember to check the rota/letter rack each week

Services Today

Sunday, 18th April
Third Sunday of Easter

- 8.00am **Holy Communion**
- 9.30am **Morning Praise**
Theme: It is the Lord!
Reading: John 21:1-14 Page 1687
- 11.15am **Morning Praise**
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Readings: John 21:1-14 Page 1687
Rev. 5:11-14 Page 1919
- 7.00pm **Sung Communion**
Theme: Prayer Focus
Readings: Isaiah 38:9-20 Page 1117
John 11:17-26 Page 1668

Collect

Almighty Father,
who in your great mercy gladdened the disciples
with the sight of the risen Lord:
give us such knowledge of his presence with us,
that we may be strengthened and sustained by his
risen life
and serve you continually in righteousness and truth;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Personal Prayer

Members of the Ministry Team are available after this service to pray with you and for you. They are identified by a ministry

***Refreshments are served in the Church Centre
between Morning Services and after the Evening Service
Please join us!***

General Information

Babies/children – there is a baby corner in the South Transept, please feel free to bring your baby up to play with the toys/crawl about. Changing mat and 'nappy wrapper' bin are available in the disabled toilet.

Note to Parents – Your children are your responsibility.

Offerings – Please consider putting these in a **Gift Aid Envelope**.

Parking – If you park in Mosdell Road, please do not block driveways and try to ensure there is access for large and emergency vehicles.

A New Leader is needed for All Stars - Please see Kev for details.

Glebe House - We **URGENTLY** need a musician/pianists so Glebe House services can continue. Contact Ros Williams 02392 465552.

The Mission for this month is The Bible Society. Please remember their work in your prayers.

Services Next Week

Sunday, 25th April

Fourth Sunday of Easter

- 9.30am **Morning Praise with Communion**
Theme: Tabitha, get up!
- 11.15am **Morning Praise with Communion**
Theme: Bible Society Speaker
- 7.00pm **Youth Service**

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& www.itsyld.co.uk