

Future Events

Men's Breakfast - Saturday 27th February 8am - In the Church Centre. Please sign the list at the back of the Church.

New Wine's Women's Day - Saturday 27th February

In Westminster Central Hall. Tickets £20. Travel by train from Southbourne Station leaving at 7am cost £14. For details of the speakers see www.new-wine.org/events/Women's%20Days.htm. Please contact Janice Collett if you are interested.

Care for the Family - Tuesday 2nd March 7.30pm - At Oasis Academy Lord's Hill, Green Lane, Southampton SO16 9RG. 'Teenagers! What Every Parent Has To Know'. Rob Parsons gives his own experience of parenting teenagers. Call 029 2081 0800

Lent Course - 2nd/9th/16/23rd/30th March - Please put the dates in your diaries. This year's course is a Church House Publishing course called 'Life Balance'. It will give us an opportunity to examine our patterns of work, rest & play and to look at our values & life principles in the light of the Bible's teaching about the Sabbath. Speak to Rob for more details or see www.chpublishing.co.uk/product.asp?id=2387535

An Audience with Simon Brett - Thurs. 18th March 7.30pm at St. John's Church. Tickets £6 now available. Proceeds from the ticket sales will be donated to Breakthrough Breast Cancer. Simon has written 80 books including three popular series of crime novels. Please contact Jenny Bond for more details.

Parish Directory - There is a copy at the back of Church for amendments. If any of your details have changed or you would like to be added to the directory please change this copy.

Craft Club - Some members are making 'Teddies for Tragedies' and blankets for AIDS orphans. If you have double-knitting wool in bright colours please pass to Janice, Daphne or Anne Poulter.

Christian Bookshop - Once again we have a Christian Bookshop in Chichester. St Olave's Trust has taken over the old SPCK shop in North Street. Please support Bradley and the trust.

The Parish Office is open daily from 9.00am - 12 noon
Tel: 01243 375576
Email: admin@stjohnssouthbourne.com



GRAPEVINE

Sunday 31st January 2010
Fourth Sunday of Epiphany

What's on this week

Today NO 7pm Service

Open House - Today - At the Marsden's 3pm to 5.30pm to catch up with Michael & Kim here on a flying visit.

Staff Meeting - Monday 8am

New Outlook Group - 10am - in the Centre lounge.

Ceilidh - Friday 5th February 7pm - Come and support FRRME by dancing the night away with the Scottish Fiddlers. Tickets £8 to include a finger buffet and soft drinks. Tickets from the Parish office 375576 or e-mail admin@stjohnssouthbourne.com.

Book Stall - We are going to have a stall at St. John's, starting next Sunday with a sale. St. Olave's Book Shop in Chichester have let us have a good number of books on a sale or return basis, many at greatly reduced prices. Please come and look at the books which include some excellent books at £1 & £2. Orders can be taken. For more information contact Richard Thomas.

Spring Harvest 2010 - If any young people are interested in going to Spring Harvest from 13th-18th April speak to Sarah.

Lunchtime Club @ the Bourne - Sarah is setting up a club for yrs 7 & 8 and needs volunteers once a week to build up relationships and deliver '2 ways 2 live'. Starting in the summer term, day to be confirmed. Please contact Sarah if you are interested.

Little Fishes - If anyone is able to come along and join our Thursday morning team - reaching out to young families - please speak to Marion 372436.

Grapevine - available online at www.stjohnssouthbourne.com.

If you would like more information on any of the above, please call the Parish Office on 375575 9.00am - 12 noon Monday to Friday.

Services Today

Sunday 31st January
Fourth Sunday of Epiphany

8.00am **No Service**

10.00am **'Together at Ten' with Holy Communion**
Theme: Do not be squeezed
Reading: Romans 12 v 1-8 Page 1763

7.00pm **No Service**

Collect

God our creator,
who in the beginning
commanded the light to shine out of darkness:
we pray that the light of the glorious gospel of Christ
may dispel the darkness of ignorance and unbelief,
shine into the hearts of all your people,
and reveal the knowledge of your glory
in the face of 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 team badge

***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

A Child's Red Gillet Jacket was found in Church - please contact the Parish Office if it belongs to your family.

Services Next Week

Sunday 7th February
Second Sunday before Lent

8.00am **Holy Communion**

10.00am **Together at Ten**
Theme: The Fruit of the Spirit
Dramatised Reading: Gal 5: 22

7.00pm **Holy Communion**
Theme: The Majesty and Power of Jesus
Readings: Rev 4, Luke 8:22-25

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