

POOLE AND NORTH BOURNEMOUTH ANGLICAN DEANERY NEWSHEET

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Some of this information comes from the Communications Department of the Diocese in the regular "Grapevine" e-mail and I am in touch with a number of other sources including the internet, magazines from our local churches and parishes in the Poole and North Bournemouth Deanery. Please feel free to use as required.

GENERAL INFORMATION

SALISBURY DIOCESAN EVANGELICAL FELLOWSHIP

The programme for this group is now available and meetings will be on Mondays at 9.45 a.m., in May on the 11th, for "Discipleship and Prayer", and in November on the 16th at St Francis Church, Salisbury for "Sex in the Church of England." Full details are available from mail@pricefamilypoole.plus.com.

LUNCHTIME RECITALS

Music at lunchtime began last month at St Aldhelm's Church, Branksome, at 1.10 p.m. on Tuesdays. Refreshments are on offer beforehand and after the recital. Admission is free, although a retiring collection is taken to cover the expenses of the church and visiting artistes. Until May there is an opportunity to hear a variety of music for brass, piano, organ, guitar and other string instruments and also a guest group with instruments from the Tudor period with "Courtly Musicke".

HELP NEEDED

Bournemouth Christians Alongside Rough Sleepers (BCARS) now has 6 projects to help rough sleepers get off the street, stay off the street and find the love of Jesus. And so a bit of extra help is needed! Faithworks the charity supporting the BCARS projects, is advertising for 3 new posts. If you or someone you know has that amazing ability to mix compassion with resilience and skill, then go to www.bcars.org.uk/vacancies or www.faihworkswessex.org.uk/news/vacancies or call 01202 429037 to find out more.

POOLE PASSION PLAY 2020

This biennial event will be taking place in 2020 and early information is now being circulated. A new version of the story called "Footsteps" will be presented from Tuesday, March 31st and continue until April 4th. This open air production usually begins at Parkstone United Reformed Church. Those interested who need to be seven years old or over by March 2020 should contact producer@poolepassion.com. Intern placements for students to work with professionals in lighting, costume, music, projection and stage

management are also needed. Those with experience in dance for younger members will also be part of the community experience, as before.

HILFIELD PRIORY EVENTS

Details of events at the Priory are now available on the website at www.hilfieldfriary.org.uk/2020-programme, and also at 01300 341741. For more immediate help e-mail contact is hilfieldssf@franciscans.org.uk.

FOR SERIOUS GARDENING ENTHUSIASTS

We hear from the Bible Society that they are working with an award-winning designer for a presentation plot at the RHS Chelsea Flower Show in May. The theme is Psalm 23 and the visual imagery aims to “stop people in their tracks”. After the Show, the garden is to find a permanent home at the Winchester Hospice.

A JOURNEY FOR THE SOUL – TO SANTIAGO

Pilgrims, and some from this area, have walked the Camino de Santiago trails over the years and Poole Hospital is offering a challenge for those who would like to join a team in September on behalf of the Poole Hospital Charity. The route is 125 miles from Baiona to Santiago with breathtaking scenery along the way – although we have to warn pilgrims that sometimes the weather is not Spanish sunny, but the welcome is awesome. Information and registration should be at www.poolehospitalcharity.co.uk/the-camino-way/.

WELCOME TO “POTTERY JUNCTION”

This is the new name taking the place of the previous St Aldhelm’s Church Magazine in Branksome and basically a community publication, although including church matters, it should be available throughout the area as well as having a Facebook page for attention. If the church/community magazine competition is still taking place, this should be a worthy winner. Congratulations to all involved.

SOME EVENTS WHICH MAY BE OF INTEREST:

MARCH

Sunday, 1 – Coffee House Concert with the Broadstone Society for Young Musicians, St John’s Church Hall, Broadstone, 4 p.m.

Monday, 2 – Bournemouth William Temple Association, Marsham Court Hotel, Russell-Cotes Road, 8 pm. “Ministry to Victims” with the Reverend Dr David Wheeler from St Thomas’s Church, Ensbury Park.

Tuesday, 3 – Lunchtime Recital, St Aldhelm’s Church, Branksome, 1.10 p.m., with the Solomon Quartet. Similar recitals continue on Tuesdays.

Thursday, 5 – “Keeping it Together”, a Workshop on Mental Health First Aid for Church Leaders, United Church, Ferndown, 505 Wimborne Road East, 10 a.m.

Friday, 6 – World Day of Prayer with service prepared by women of Zimbabwe.

St Martin’s United Reformed Church, West Moors, 10.30 a.m.

Services at St Anthony’s RC Church, Broadstone, 10.30 a.m.

St Maary’s RC Church, Wimborne Road, Poole, 10.30 a.m.

Trinity Methodist Church, Southbourne Road, Bournemouth, 2 p.m.

Richmond Hill St Andrew’s United Reformed Church, Bournemouth, time tbc

St Mary Magdalene Church, New Milton, 2.30 p.m.

Highcliffe Methodist Church, 2.30 p.m.

St Bernadette’s RC Church, Ensbury Park, Bournemouth, 2.30 p.m.

Maidment Court, Parkstone Road, Poole, 2.30 p.m.

St Nicholas Church, Studland, Swanage, 2.30 p.m.

The Rose Hall, The Spire, Poole High Street, 7.30 p.m.

Saturday, 7 – “Growing Hope in our Communities”, free networking event for carers and others in similar professions, St Nicholas Church, Wareham Road, Corfe Mullen, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Charity Barn Dance for Lewis Manning Hospice, St Maark’s Church Hall, Wallisdown Road, Talbot Woods, Bournemouth, 7.30 p.m.

Monday, 9 – Prayer Meeting for Sudan, St Luke’s Church, Wellington Road, Parkstone, 12.30 p.m. Take sandwiches. Tea and coffee provided.

Tuesday, 10 – Lent Lunch, St Mark’s Church Hall, Wallisdown Road, Talbot Woods, Bournemouth, 12 noon, in aid of the Sudan.

Wednesday, 11 – Messy Church, St Michael’s Church, Hamworthy, 3.30 p.m.

Sunday, 15 – Holy Communion Service, St Aldhelm’s Chapel, Limberlost, Lytchett Heath, 9.15 a.m.

Saturday, 21 – “Poole Psalms”, featuring Cantabile Choir, and soloist Grace Lovell, from local composer Toby Nelms, St Mary’s RC Church, Wimborne Road, 7 p.m. The evening includes other works by the composer.

Sunday, 22 – Mothering Sunday (not Mother’s Day which is May 15th in Europe and USA).

Saturday, 28 – Men’s Breakfast, St Michael’s Church Centre, Hamworthy, 9 a.m.

Craft Day, St George’s Church, Oakdale, Poole, 10 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.

“Sing Day with Dorset Chamber Choir”, Wimborne United Reformed Church, Chapel Lane, 10.30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Sunday, 29 – Churches Together in East Poole Service, Church of the Transfiguration, Canford Cliffs, Poole, 6 p.m.

Concert to mark Beethoven’s 250th Birthday, with Aquinas Piano Trio, St John’s Church, Macaulay Road, Broadstone, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, 31 – Poole Passion Play “Footsteps”, Parkstone, to April 4th.

APRIL

Monday, 6 – Easter Holiday Club, St Paul’s Church, Canford Heath, Poole, to 8th. Sessions from 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. each day. Cost is two pounds fifty pence per day. Holy Week Concert, St John’s Church, Macaulay Road, Broadstone, 7.30 p.m. with Stainer’s “The Crucifixion”.
Bournemouth William Temple Association, Marsham Court Hotel, Russell-Cotes Road, Bournemouth, 8 p.m. “Son of Joseph? Son of God?” with the Reverend Dr David Catchpole, Emeritus Professor of Theological Studies, Exeter University.

Sunday, April 12th – Easter Day
Holy Communion Service and Easter Celebration, St Aldhelm’s Chapel, Limberlost, Lytchett Heath, Dorset, 9.15 a.m.

MAY

Friday, 8 – VE Celebrations in various places, such as Brownsea Island and Canford Heath, Poole. There has been a call for church bells to be rung on this day, or over the weekend. Check with Salisbury Guild of Ringers for information or advice.

Monday, 11 – Salisbury Diocesan Evangelical Fellowship, St Mary’s Church, Ferndown, 9.45 a.m. “Discipleship and Prayer” with the Reverend Matthew Porter of St Michael le Belfrey, York.
Bournemouth William Temple Association, Marsham Court Hotel, Russell-Cotes Road, Bournemouth, 8 p.m. “Getting Ready for Lambeth” with the Bishop of Salisbury, the Right Reverend Nicholas Holtam.

JUNE

Wednesday, 10 – Celebration event marking 150 year of “the Talbot Sisters” and their work in the area, St Mark’s Church, Talbot Woods, Bournemouth.

Saturday, 13 – “Sing Day with Dorset Chamber Choir”, 10.30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Venue tbc.

Saturday, 20 – Summer Fete, St Mark’s Church, Talbot Woods, Bournemouth, 11 a.m.

Saturday, 27 – Holes Bay Sponsored Walk for the Sudan. Times and start venues tba.

JULY

Friday, 17 – Summer Concert, Merley House, Merley House Lane, Wimborne, 7.30 p.m.

AUGUST

Saturday, 15 – Charity Picnic with live music, St Mark’s Church Grounds, Wallisdown Road, Bournemouth.

NOVEMBER

Monday, 16 – Salisbury Diocesan Evangelical Fellowship, St Francis Church, Salisbury, with Ed Shaw, Pastor of Emmanuel City Church, Bristol on “Sex in the Church of England”.

Saturday, 28 – St Nicholas Fayre, St John’s Church, Broadstone.

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Check your own parish website so that it remains current. Have a look at others to add to your list of interesting events in the locality.

Summary of useful addresses and websites from previous Newsheets:

www.salisbury.anglican.org with details to comms@salisbury.anglican.org
Don’t forget your news and interesting photos for *Grapevine*.

also tim.daykin@bbc.co.uk for the Sunday morning show or dorset@bbc.co.uk.

The current address for items for BBC Radio Solent which are not necessarily church related is solentplanning@bbc.co.uk.

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