ST PAUL's Church, New England weekly Newsletter

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13 AUGUST 2023 - **10**th **Sunday after Trinity** JESUS IS COMING, HE IS COMING INDEED, ALLELUIA!

Welcome to all. If you are a visitor please give your name/contact details to the Welcomer. We feel it is right to still respect social distancing & those wearing a facemask. Hand gel is available. At the Peace we 'wave' to one another rather than shake hands.

Please help all to observe these safety guidelines. Thank you. Today's Bible Reading: Gospel of MATTHEW 15:v22-33. Page 981 Reflection: 'Where are YOU ?'

COLLECT: LORD OF HEAVEN AND EARTH, as Jesus taught His disciples to be persistent in prayer, give us the patience and courage never to lose hope, but always to bring our prayers before You; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

We always pray for those not able to be here to worship and for our community in New England. Please keep the Newsheet and use the information on it as part of your daily prayer time. Val's BLOG news is also helpful.

Every Sunday & Weds - a 10.30am Eucharist.

<u>Before the service</u>: Please put any donations /offertory in the basket **as you** arrive or use the Card Reader please.

Items for the Community Foodbank can be put in box provided. After saying the PEACE all gifts and donations are brought up to be blessed.

All baptised into the Christian faith are welcome to receive at the

<u>Eucharist</u>. We offer gluten free wafers & non alcoholic wine if preferred. If you are not baptised you are welcome to have a Prayer of Blessing –take a service book when you go forward to Rev Ron.

<u>WELCOMERS today</u> are Peter Barton & Rita Wesley <u>TOILETS:</u> Located in our Church Hall-please speak to Welcomers

TEA & COFFEE served by Laurynas Kubilius & Gizelle Galinato. Please stay on for refreshments .

ST PAUL'S VISION PRAYER

We would like to see this lovely church go on for many more years to come, filled with people of all ages; a church that is vibrant & growing in strength & faith; a busy church; a church that people will be proud to call their own; a cornerstone of New England. Amen.

SUNDAY CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY: Most Sunday, except last Sunday of each month, all children welcome to join in sitting at tables in South Aisle for teaching & craft. Nichola Cook is teaching today.

Pray that we are faithful in prayer to God for all in need of God's healing touch including those mentioned : Sam Edney; Sam Pearson; Ted Brett; Tony Busby; Diana Ward ; Lynda Barton; Val Watkinson; Cheryl & Bob Quinton; Sally Rose; Edna Hall ; Michael & Linda Clark; Mary Campbell; Joan Hemmaway; Jenny Baxter; Trevor Bentham; Sheila Onyskiw, Curtis Randle; Eric & Margaret Lavender.

Also: 3yr Joel with untreatable brain tumour-parents Dave & Emily; Mark Gibbin; Marcus; John Attwell; Nick Ward (in remission); Nor, a relative of Sally's; Sarah Gregory; Dawn Dawes; Sue, mum of ZigZag manager; Anthony Currie; Jonathan Dale's parents; Michael Cooper; Maureen Bedford; John & Karen Carter Sheila & Brian in Australia; Leroy's Grandma; Also for all suffering from mental health issues incl young people (Inform Val to add someone on for prayer) The Bereaved: All you know.

DIARY of events-see Forward Events sheet.

16 Weds: 10.30am said Eucharist. All welcome.

6.30pm 'The Hiding Place' film at Showcase. Life story of Corrie ten Boom & how God used her family to help rescue many Jews from the Nazis in 2nd World War. Go as a St Paul's group? See Blog for more info. SIGN up. 19 Sat: SHED SUMMER BBQ from 12.30pm for afternoon. PLEASE can you book up (for catering) on SIGN UP SHEET in Church or contact Val. Venue is nr Spalding at Norman and Dawn's. OPEN to all over 18yrs.Take a salad or dessert. No need to take a chair. Can you offer a lift? Do you need a lift? 20 Sun: 10.30am Eucharist.

23 Weds: 10.30am said Eucharist.

Call Rev Ron or Val on 314117 for general enquiries on the Christian faith; baptism; weddings, funerals, etc. Val is Safeguarding Officer - Email <u>stpaulslpm@gmail.com</u> (GDPR Consent required from you to receive emails from us such as the weekly Newsheet & BLOG –which helps keep you in touch)