

ST PAUL's Church, New England weekly Newsletter

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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 & wearing of a facemask by some. 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.

This Sunday's Bible Reading: Gospel of Matthew ch10 v24-33

Reflection: 'Do not be Afraid'.

COLLECT: God our saviour, look on this wounded world in pity and in power; hold us fast to your promises of peace won for us by your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. 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.

Before the service: 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 the PEACE all gifts and donations are brought up to be blessed.

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

WELCOMERS today are Tennyson & Jenny.

TOILETS: Located in our Church Hall-please speak to Welcomers

TEA & COFFEE served by ? and Paul Jackson. 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: Every Sunday, except last Sunday of each month, all children welcome to join in sitting at tables in South Aisle for teaching & craft. Next T@4 Church is 4pm on Sun 2nd July-all welcome.

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

Also: Nick (Diana Ward's eldest son); Nor, a relative of Sally's with cancer; Sarah Gregory; Dawn Dawes; Sue, mum of ZigZag manager; Anthony Currie; Jonathan Dale's parents; Michael Cooper; Maureen Bedford; John (son in law of Bill Masters.) Sheila & Brian (relatives of Brian & Anne); Leroy's Aunt Pam & Grandma; Also for all suffering from mental health issues incl young people (Inform Val to add someone on for prayer)

The Bereaved: The family of Doug Scott.

DIARY of events.

TODAY: 4pm is the ORDINATION Service in the Cathedral. Those who are going need to try & be there by 3.45pm or earlier. Gill is amongst those being ordained Deacon. *There is a card to sign to Gill on back table.*

27 Tues: 2-3.30pm **OASIS DROP IN -all welcome- in Church.** 7.30pm Church Warden's Admission Service at Christ the Carpenter, Dogsthorpe

28 Weds: 10.30am Eucharist: Prayer Time afterwards. 5th Session of START course. 3.30pm 'Welcoming Doug to 'rest' in St Paul's'

Doug Scott's coffin being brought in to 'rest' overnight. Church open until 6.30pm-all welcome to call in. Thurs 29: At 12.05 the coffin will be taken to Paston Church for 12.45 Funeral with a 2pm Committal at the Crematorium.

'Jesus Revolution' film being shown at Showcase Cinema until June 27 at 4.10pm & 7.10pm; **Sat July 1st** at 10.30am the **MEN'S SHED's breakfast** will be in Church.

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