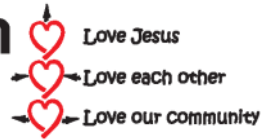


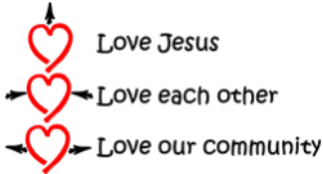


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1st September 2024

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Weekly Message from Serving Elder Pam A.



Hello Everyone.

Here we are at the beginning of the Autumn. As we end our Special Summer Services we will be celebrating the whole of The Lord's Prayer this Sunday.

It was so good to see Pastor Paul back with us last Sunday after his summer leave.

A big well done to all who received their results in the last couple of weeks. We will be praying for you as you look towards the next steps to take.

Next week groups and activities will be starting up again. Keep your eyes open for news. September has five Sundays and the fifth Sunday will be our Harvest Celebration at AFC. There will be a church meeting towards the end of September.

There will soon be a meeting of those involved in the pastoral support in AFC to look ahead and reflect.

The questionnaire referring to preferences for training and discipling courses in the near future has not been forgotten and work relating to that will soon begin.

Plans are underway for our Praise Event that will be taking place at the beginning of October in St George's building. It is a joint event with people from both congregations planning the evening. Plans have begun to present a Ladies' Day in the Spring.

News will come nearer the date. Elders and MDM are in the process of planning Sundays between now and December. As usual it looks to be an interesting and a busy time.

Liz Kerry has asked me to convey her heartfelt thanks to everyone who has prayed for her for so long. She says she has been upheld by the prayer going to God for her and she feels so well. In response to her request, I will remove her name from the newsletter prayer list from next week.

Have a great week.

God bless you.

Pam

Coming up next week

	Church Information	Other activities
Monday 2nd	Office hours 8.30am-12.30pm, 1.30pm-3.30pm	
Tuesday 3rd	Office hours 9:00am-1:00pm Senior Pals @ Meet and Eat 10am	Tai Chi 7.00pm-8.00pm
Wednesday 4th	Office hours 11.30am- 3.30pm Meet and Eat 9:30am -12:30pm	
Thursday 5th	Meet and Eat 9:30am-12.30pm Office Hours 9.00am-1.00pm	Fingerprints 8.30am-3.00pm
Friday 6th	Office hours 8.30am-12.30pm Meditation Group 11.30am– 12.15pm Prayer Meeting 12.15pm	Fingerprints 8.30am– 3.00pm
Saturday 7th		
Sunday 8th	Service at 10:00am	

Coming up...

Rockabye Babies resumes 9th September at 10:45am
Little Fish returns on the 12th September at the NEW TIME of 9:30am-10:45am
Young people's Sunday morning groups resume 8th September at 10:00am
Squirrels, Beavers, Cubs - TBC



AFC Small Groups

Mondays: every 2 weeks, AFC lounge 1.30pm

Tuesdays: twice a month, AFC lounge 10am

Wednesdays: Every week, AFC Community Space, 2pm

Wednesdays: every 2 weeks, Various homes, 8pm

For more information please speak to an elder or contact the admin office

Pastoral & Prayer

Many thanks to those who use this prayer page during your regular prayer times.

“When you abide under the shadow of the Almighty God, you are hidden in the strength of God Most High. He’s the hope that holds me and the stronghold to shelter me, the only God for me, and my great confidence.” Psalms 91:1-2 TPT

Let’s engage our faith in God’s power and mercy. As we lift names and situations in faith, God deals with the details.

We thank you Lord.....

For your plans for our future

For Synod

For all our volunteers

We lift those who need healing and support to God and thank Him for His action as we pray

For June, Liz and Mark.

For those finding new challenges distressing or difficult

For those struggling with disappointment

For those we know coping with loss

Lord, help us if we are to be an answer to these prayers.

Also bring to the Lord our prayers for.....

DENS

The congregation of St Albans Warners End

Churches without a present minister in Dacorum

Please continue to pray for all who have been on the list recently. Bless you.

Jesus, our living hope.

The elders appreciate your prayers for them. The days set aside for each elder:

Everyday: Rev Paul Stein **Sunday:** Sue **Monday:** Yvonne **Tuesday:** Shirley
Wednesday: Heather **Thursday:** Dave **Friday:** Pam **Saturday:** Penny

Information



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STARTING ON 1ST AUGUST

AT ST BARNABAS CHURCH

HP2 4HY

EVERY THURSDAY EVENING AT

6.30PM COST £7.50 PER CLASS

FITNESS WITH RESISTANCE BANDS



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Most needed:

- ★ **School supplies** - pens/pencils/erasers/sharpeners/books/maths sets/solar calculators
- ★ **Colouring books** - Bible stories/pencils/crayons
- ★ **Small toys & games** - small balls/yo-yos/card games/puzzles/frisbees/small cars/building blocks/lego/travel games
- ★ **Musical instruments** - small
- ★ **Soft toys** - small and clean
- ★ **Donations towards shipping**

'The Famous Home' is an African charity for orphaned children that Little Fish are supporting. If you have any of these items then these would be gratefully received. They can be placed in the box at Reception or handed directly to the Little Fish team.

Information

Thank you

Thank you to the wonderful Little Fish team who came in and took such care to scrub to the deepest depths of the ball pit and clean every toy and ball, ready for September.

Every volunteer adds something so special to this group and helps make it such a wonderful place for the children, parents, carers and childminders who make, and have made, such fond memories here. You are so appreciated.

Little Fish

Baby & Toddler Group

Who: Ages 0-5 years

When: Thursdays 9.30 - 10.45am (Term Time Only)

Where: Adeyfield Free Church. Entrance via Maylands (lower car park)

Cost: Donation of £1 per adult and £1 per child over one year old
First session is FREE.

Enquires: Contact admin on 01442 260175 or E-mail
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Please note the new time of 9:30am. Little Fish runs every Thursday except for School Holidays. All 2024 Little Fish dates are as below:

September 12th, 19th, 26th / October 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th (off 31st) / November 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th / December 5th, 12th, 19th (off 26th, 2nd - back January 2025)

Information

SENIOR PALS

..A friendly group for seniors where all are welcome.

We meet Tuesdays from 10.00am until 11.45am in the Meet & Eat.

Why not pop along, meet new (or existing) friends, enjoy a cup of tea or coffee and enjoy our weekly quiz?



Synod Safeguarding session at AFC: It has been agreed that AFC can have a live Zoom link in Church for this session so as many of us as possible can do this together on the big screens. Sign up on the clipboard.

Safeguarding Children and Young People in Churches

September 10th
1pm – 3.30pm
On Zoom

A more in depth look at scenarios around Children's safeguarding.

Discussions around the challenges of safeguarding within the non-statutory sector.

An insight into grooming.

A look at the specific safeguarding concerns that could be raised within the church and how to respond to these.



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Email Emma.Pearce@urc.org.uk to Book.

Information

JESUS THE SERVANT KING

Saturday 5th October
Refreshments 6:30 Start 7 – 8:30pm
St. George's Church, Chaulden, HP1 2HX

***Come and join us to praise Him
Live band & singing – All are welcome!***

Symbolic feet washing
optional

More information:
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*The Son of man did not
come to be served, but to
serve. And to give His life as
ransom for many.
Matthew 20:28*



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Squirrels

(4-6yrs)

Mondays: 4.30 - 5.15pm

Fridays: 5 - 5.45pm



BEAVERS

(6-8yrs)

Fridays: 6 - 7pm



cubs

(8- 10yrs)

Fridays: 7.15 - 8.30pm

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