

WHAT'S ON AT ST JOHN'S

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Mon. 10 June	7.00 p.m	Monday Night House Group
Wed. 12 June	7.30 p.m	Sing for Joy Choir
Sun. 16 June	10.00 a.m	Morning Worship Father's Day
Mon. 17 June	2.00 p.m	Funeral service for Les Saunders

*We will
remember them*



Suggestions for your prayers/praise

For all students—for those currently sitting exams, awaiting results, the prom season, for God's care and protection.

Pray for those recently bereaved—for peace and the comfort of your presence.

For Rev Paul soon to go on his sabbatical, that he will find renewal, self-study, rest, refreshment. For Jacqui and Deborah.

For those living in areas of conflict.

We uphold and remember the sacrifices made by troops during the historic military operation at a series of events to mark the

80th Anniversary of the D-Day Landings.

We pray for the newly appointed Bishop of Exeter the Rt. Revd Dr Mike Harrison.

Pray for our Nation in light of the forthcoming Election.

Thank you, Father! Each new day is a gift worth celebrating.



WELCOME TO ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH, SHIPHAY

'A caring fellowship seeking to share the life and love of God'
Sunday, 9 June 2024

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'WELCOME'

We warmly welcome you to our Worship this morning.

We are glad you have chosen to come along to this service especially if this is your first visit to St. John's.

We really hope you will stay and join us for Fairtrade coffee and refreshments after the service this morning.

Music

Great is thy faithfulness

Lord I lift Your name on high

He is exalted

Faithful One

Offertory

Take my life and let it be

Communion

Broken for me, broken for you

In my life, Lord, be glorified

Men of faith

"DO NOT LOSE HEART.

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YET INWARDLY WE ARE BEING
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2 CORINTHIANS 4:16 - 17

2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

¹³ It is written: 'I believed; therefore I have spoken.'^[a] Since we have that same spirit of^[b] faith, we also believe and therefore speak, ¹⁴ because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus from the dead will also raise us with Jesus and present us with you to himself. ¹⁵ All this is for your benefit, so that the grace that is reaching more and more people may cause thanksgiving to overflow to the glory of God.

¹⁶ Therefore we do not lose heart. Though outwardly we are wasting away, yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day. ¹⁷ For our light and momentary troubles are achieving for us an eternal glory that far outweighs them all. ¹⁸ So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal.

Awaiting the new body

5 For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, an eternal house in heaven, not built by human hands.

We are saddened to inform you of Les Saunders death. Les will be greatly missed. The service to celebrate his life will be Monday 17 June, 2.00 p.m here at St John's Church. We pray for Robbie and family as they prepare for Les' funeral.

Midsummer Fayre
St Matthew's Church, Chelston
Saturday 22nd June, 10.00 – 12.30 p.m
Please support through your attendance as this is always appreciated.
Invite your friends to this enjoyable morning.



Lord I Lift Your
Name on High

Mark 3. 20-end

Jesus accused by his family and by teachers of the law

²⁰ Then Jesus entered a house, and again a crowd gathered, so that he and his disciples were not even able to eat. ²¹ When his family^[b] heard about this, they went to take charge of him, for they said, 'He is out of his mind.'

²² And the teachers of the law who came down from Jerusalem said, 'He is possessed by Beelzebul! By the prince of demons he is driving out demons.'

²³ So Jesus called them over to him and began to speak to them in parables: 'How can Satan drive out Satan? ²⁴ If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. ²⁵ If a house is divided against itself, that house cannot stand. ²⁶ And if Satan opposes himself and is divided, he cannot stand; his end has come. ²⁷ In fact, no one can enter a strong man's house without first tying him up. Then he can plunder the strong man's house. ²⁸ Truly I tell you, people can be forgiven all their sins and every slander they utter, ²⁹ but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit will never be forgiven; they are guilty of an eternal sin.'

³⁰ He said this because they were saying, 'He has an impure spirit.'

³¹ Then Jesus' mother and brothers arrived. Standing outside, they sent someone in to call him. ³² A crowd was sitting round him, and they told him, 'Your mother and brothers are outside looking for you.'

³³ 'Who are my mother and my brothers?' he asked.

³⁴ Then he looked at those seated in a circle round him and said, 'Here are my mother and my brothers! ³⁵ Whoever does God's will is my brother and sister and mother.'

MARK 3:35 Anyone who
does God's
will is my

