

Dates for your Diaries

Tuesday 7-8pm Parish Office (church hall)

Notices....

St John's is now open again every day and during the summer other local churches will be open as well. **St Mary's** will be open on Saturday mornings 10am -1pm and **St James North Cray** will be open on Sunday afternoons in August from 2-4pm with refreshments available.

We were all very sad to learn that, after many years at St John's, Rob Soar will be moving away from Bexley in the coming weeks. Rob is our verger, sacristan and much more besides. He has served as churchwarden and made a huge contribution to our church life. We will say a proper goodbye once his moving date is known but if you would like to contribute to a leaving present for Rob please pass on donations to Julia, Marcia, Brian or one of the clergy.

The PCC have agreed to regularly support **Bexley Food Bank**. The foodbank volunteers have told us that they are really low on essentials so a box for donations is now available at the back of church. Please take a shopping list to buy what is urgently needed. Thank you.

During the summer, please be ready to step in and help if a regular volunteer is away.

The August/September Magazine is now available.

Bexley Cricket Festival, Saturday 9 September. Players and supporters required for the St John's team. See Rustom for details of nets.

Please take this pew sheet home with you and use it for your prayers in the coming week

We Pray For.... (A book to record your prayers is at the back of church. This will be placed on the altar during the service)

...Those recently married, Jason and Deborah, Charlie and Ashleigh.

...the sick in need of our prayers, Helena Miller, Dorothy Samuel, John Beddison, Stephen Rogers, David Watkins, Alan Mackenzie, Nicola Johns, and any others known to you.

...the recently departed,

...those whose anniversaries fall at this time, Alan Wright, Maurice Tipler, Yasmin Clark, Joyce Fisher, Albert Colbert.

...parishioners living in Alton Close, Arbuthnot Lane, Arcadian Avenue.

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Welcome to St John the Evangelist Bexley

Sunday 20 August The Tenth Sunday after Trinity

8.30am Holy Communion at St Mary's

10.00am Sung Eucharist

Hymns: 96 792 241 747 36

We welcome the Rev Ken Short

This Week's Services

Wednesday 10.00am Holy Communion at St Mary's
please note earlier start time

Friday 9.00am Meditation

Sunday 27 August The Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

8.30am Holy Communion at St Mary's

10.00am Sung Eucharist

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"Jesus's response to the ignorant, the hungry, the blind, the lepers, the widows and all those who came to him with their suffering, flowed from the divine compassion which led God to become one of us." Henri Nouwen

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The Clergy day off is Monday