

Welcome to St Dunstan's and Southville Churches

Feltham Ecumenical Parish: Anglican and Methodist Churches in partnership

News & Prayer Sheet for Sunday 7th & 14th July 2024

NEWSLETTER

Feltham Ecumenical Parish News & Prayer Sheet

If you have any comments or have something you would like included in the News & Prayer sheet please e-mail us at: admin@stdunstansfeltham.org.uk

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This news & prayer sheet will become fortnightly from 7th July 2024, for a trial period. Let us know your thoughts.

Opening Article:

I've never been approached by an opinion pollster and I don't know anybody else that has been either. I suspect these days things have moved on from people with clipboards approaching random members of the public in the street and that algorithms and focus groups prevail. We are all familiar with Professor John Curtice the polling sage from Strathclyde University on our television screens and its difficult not to be impressed with his mixture of gravitas and analytical brilliance. Having said all this I could save them all the trouble. As you may know Helen and I are moving house in the coming days and it turns out we are Bellweather house movers. We moved into our current house in Craigwell Avenue Feltham on the day the government changed in 1997. As I write this on Thursday morning it looks like history is about to be repeated.

We will both miss Feltham and our many friends at St Dunstons. We have been greatly moved by the kindness and support we have received over the years. Our experience of

Church has been entirely shaped by the welcoming culture and generosity shown to us and others in this Parish over the years. We hope that the Ecumenical Parish can thrive in the future and will stay in touch. God Bless you all and take care of yourselves and each other.

Duncan Forsyth

Church Services: St. Dunstan, Church of England:

Sunday 7th July

- 9.30am **Morning Prayer** on Zoom™
- 9.45am **Holy Communion**
- 9.45am **Junior Church** in the Church Centre

Wednesday 10th July

- 10:00am **Holy Communion**
- Parish Office** is closed to personal callers today

Sunday 14th July

- 9.45am **Holy Communion**
- 9.45am **Junior Church** in the Church Centre

Wednesday 17th July

- 10:00am **Holy Communion**

Sunday 21st July

- 9.45am **Holy Communion**
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Church Services: Southville, Methodist:

Sunday services

- 9.00 am **Revival & Prophetic Prayer Service**
- 10.00 am **Prayer and Praise**
- 10.30 am **Morning Worship** - with Holy Communion once a month

7th July

- 10.30am **Holy Communion** led by Revd. Dr. Kofi Tekyi-Ansah

14th July

- 10.30am **Morning prayer** led by Mrs Mary Windo

21st July

- 10.30am **Family Service**
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Methodist Circuit:

Thursdays 10.30-11.30am: **Bible Study**, in person. Contact Graham Wells for details on 01784 258785 or g.wells988@gmail.com.

St. Dunstan's regular events on Sundays:

Junior Church twice a month in the Church Centre on the first & second Sunday of each month at 9.45am – next meeting today & 14th July.

Monthly informal prayer times: just for 10 minutes, starting 5 minutes after the Sunday morning service. Last Sunday of the month – next prayer time Sunday 28th July.

Morning Prayer on Zoom™ at 9.30am, first Sunday of the month – next one 7th July.

St. Dunstan's regular events on other days:

Monday coffee drop-in is open from 10am to 12 noon (on Mondays, except Bank Holidays). It's a much-loved institution, offering free tea and coffee, crafts, jokes, chat, more chat, more coffee Do tell anyone who might be interested.

WOT group (Women on Thursdays) meets in the Church Centre 2pm-4pm on the second Thursday of the month. The next meeting will be **11 July**. All ladies welcome.

Southville regular events:

Brick Church in Southville Church TBA, 10:00am - 11:30am

Dates for your diary:

All Saints Church, Uxbridge Road, Hanworth, TW13 5EE.

The Churchwardens and Parochial Church Council invite you to the Licensing of The Reverend Jane Palmer as Priest-in-Charge of the Parish of All Saints Church, Hanworth by The Rt Revd Dr Emma Ineson, Bishop of Kensington on **Monday, 22 July 2024 at 7.30pm.**

Refreshments will be available after the service.

RSVP by replying to info@allsaintshanworth.com or by telephone 07761 054893

Parking will be available opposite the church at Hanworth Air Park Leisure Centre after 4.30pm.

Saturday 27th July 2pm - 4:30pm Cream Tea in the Vicarage garden, Cardinal Road. All welcome. If you're hoping to come please contact the Parish Office to help with numbers for catering purposes.

Monday 29th July 2024, PCC Meeting, 7:30pm in the Church Centre

Southville Summer Play Scheme

Craft Activity at **Southville Methodist Church**, 'Discovering God's World Through Play'. Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday **19th, 20th, 21st August 2024**, 10am-12noon, for primary school aged children. Children must be accompanied by parents/carers.

Other Notices – Safeguarding

Marilyn Wade has been appointed as our Safeguarding Officer. Any safeguarding concerns please contact Marilyn.

Other Notices – Churches Life

Confirmation in Church of England: If you would like to explore being confirmed (and/or baptism), please speak to the Rev'd. Anne Dollery.

Biblical Studies Taster Module: St Augustine's College of Theology believe they should make theological learning as accessible as possible.

If you are interested in studying theology in a structured way, at undergraduate level, but joining a full programme feels like a big step, the taster module gives you an opportunity to test your appetite and aptitude for academic study without committing to a full programme. Their taster module allows you, over one term, to take a single 20-credit module from their undergraduate programme in Theology, Ministry and Mission.

You can download or view a fact sheet from https://staugustinescollege.ac.uk/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/Intro-to-Biblical-Studies-Taster-Term_2024-5_v1.pdf or watch a video to find out more at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5_eSYCh_vto.

If you would like any further information or would like to visit them over the summer please email: office@staugustinescollege.ac.uk

Please send materials (or corrections) to the Parish Office for the News sheet.

Other Notices - Community

London Borough of Hounslow **Summer Reading Challenge:** The Reading Agency's Summer Reading Challenge encourages children to keep reading during the school summer holidays – and to enjoy anything they like to read! Children aged 4-11 are invited to read and review books, and collect rewards for their reading.

It's FREE to take part, and last year 70% of children taking part improved their reading skills over the holidays. Launches on Saturday 20th July 2024, and finish on Saturday 7th September 2024. Full

details: https://www.hounslow.gov.uk/info/20137/library_services_for_children_and_teens/1678/the_summer_reading_challenge/2?fbclid=IwZXh0bgNhZW0CMTAAAR2U3xwX3M-sAtZiMrWxOBRN4Lj1IABapreFZWdyJvVWXAgYXsXvrwQIURY_aem_mV-gogGTPo9iEAI6zDSgKA

Saturday 10th August Advance notice: Feltham Fete at Feltham Assembly Hall. Celebrating all things Feltham Past, Present and Future.

If you would like to have a stall on the day, please register your interest below by Sunday 23rd June using the form:

<https://watermans.us3.list-manage.com/track/click?u=e703d17c60431a3fcea72fbcf&id=7c7428afc4&e=7611760d3d>

Other Notices - People

Our best wishes to **Duncan and Helen Forsyth** (and Cooper) as they move on Monday up

'North' to Lytham Saint Annes. We send them our thanks for all they have done for St. Dunstan's and for their friendship and fellowship. They will be greatly missed (and who will now keep us keenly in touch with Brentford FC's progress). With our best wishes and blessings.



The funeral of **Bernadine Doran** will be at 11:15am on Wednesday 10th July at St. Lawrence's RC Church, Feltham. *(Please note there was an error in previous newsletter of the date).*

The funeral of **Reverend Diana Gamble** (Beryl Gamble's cousin) will be Tuesday 16th July at 10:30am in St. Dunstan's Church, followed by committal service at Hanworth Crematorium. Donations to Christian Aid are invited in Diane's memory.

The funeral of **Kieran Chalkley** will be Monday 29th July at St Mary's Oatlands and the Hanworth Crematorium. Times to be confirmed but 11.15am Church and 1.20pm Hanworth is the plan at the moment. Let the family know if you are going they would really appreciate it. It would be really helpful for them to know numbers.

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Keep in touch

If there are people in our community who may be interested in this newsletter, they can [sign up to receive it here](#).

Remember we are online:



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Prayer sheet for Sunday 7th & 14th July 2024

for the Ecumenical Parish of Feltham: St Dunstan's Anglican and Southville Methodist churches

Collect from the Anglican tradition:

7 July

Creator God,

you made us all in your image:

may we discern you in all that we see,

and serve you in all that we do;

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

14 July
*Generous God,
you give us gifts and make them grow:
though our faith is small as mustard seed,
make it grow to your glory
and the flourishing of your kingdom;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.*

Amen

21 July
*Lord God,
your Son left the riches of heaven
and became poor for our sake:
when we prosper save us from pride,
when we are needy save us from despair,
that we may trust in you alone;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.*

Amen

Readings, Sunday by Sunday

St. Dunstan

Readings for 7 July

Ezekiel 2.1–5
Psalm 123
2 Corinthians 12.2–10
Mark 6.1–13

Readings for 14 July

Amos 7.7–15
Psalm 85.8–end
Ephesians 1.3–14
Mark 6.14–29

Readings for 21 July

Jeremiah 23.1–6
Psalm 23
Ephesians 2.11–end
Mark 6.30–34, 53–end

Southville

Readings for 7 July

2 Samuel 5: 1-5, 9-10
Psalm 48
2 Corinthians 12: 2-10
Mark 6: 1-13

Readings for 14 July

Amos 7:7-15
Psalm 85:8-13
Ephesians 1:3-14
Mark 6:14-29

Readings for 21 July

Jeremiah 23:1-6
Psalm 23
Ephesians 2:11-22
Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

Invitation to remember in our prayers this week:

From Churches Together *this week*

We ask God to bless the people of St. Dunstan's Church asking God to guide the congregations there and draw them over ever more together as one body to serve Christ.

From Churches Together *next week*

We ask God to bless the people of St. Lawrence's RC Church asking God to guide the congregations there and draw them over ever more together as one body to serve Christ.

In the Parish *this week*

We remember those who live or work in Archer Court, Almond Close, Plum Close, Belvedere House, Hunter House, Hawthorne Road, Tilley Road.

In the Parish *next week*

We remember those who live or work in Hanworth Road, Queens Road, Cromwell Road, Kings Road, Leigh Place, Florence Road, Beauclerk Close.

Those who are ill or in particular need:

Jim Devine, Janet Herbert (*Helen Went's mother*).

Those who have recently died:

Rev'd Diana Gamble

Those whom we remember this week:

Linda Mackenzie, Dominic Goodwin.

Those whom we remember next week:

Mandy Sharp, Reg Guest, Debbie Sharp, Stephen Sharp.

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