

Notices for 5 July 2020

NEW SERMON SERIES: RECOVERY



Remember to Subscribe, Like and Share the BHC Godalming YouTube channel and services-

we have a great opportunity to share the gospel!

THIS SUNDAY

Christian Character | Job 1:1-3, 13-22;

FROM 9AM

Welcome: Simon Taylor Speaker: Margot Spencer Reading: Jo Cookes

ONLINE Services on YouTube

Prayers: Simon Willetts Arianna Pisetti Music:

& Davide Tavernini

HERITAGE SERVICE (BCP)

with traditional liturgy from the Book of Common Prayer and hymns recorded at

Busbridge and Hambledon

BHC MAIN ONLINE SERVICE 10AM The main act of worship with •

contemporary band-led worship music.





Tiny Tigers & Ark on YouTube Explorers on padlet / zoom 10AM Pathfinders (11-14) 6.30PM Ichthus (15-18)

NEXT SUNDAY | 12 July

Our Calling | Isaiah 43: 1-13 Speaker: Simon Taylor

Online services on You Tube from 9AM Heritage & 10AM Main Online Service

End of Year parties & graduation ceremonies for Tiny Tigers 9AM, Ark 9AM, Explorers 11.15AM & Pathfinders 10AM (zoom details via email from CYF team).

11AM 'After service' Coffee for Contemporary and Hambledon congregations.

SELECT THE EVENT IN THE WEB SITE CALENDAR AND CLICK 'LOCATION' TO ACCESS THE ZOOMS/YOUTUBE



CHURCH DIARY 6-11 July

All in the BHC Public zoom room 946-391-4833 PW 2020 unless otherwise stated

Daily

9.30AM-4.30PM CHURCHES OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

Monday-Friday

MORNING PRAYER 9AM

A 20 min session to start of each weekday. All welcome to contribute in prayer at certain

points, or just listen as we pray in faith.

EVERY WEEKDAY



Monday MA8 LISTENING PRAYER

2.30PM PRIME TIME QUIZ & SOCIAL AFTERNOON 7.30PM HOPE IN DEPRESSION—INTRO SESSION

> FREE 6 week course for those suffering and those supporting them. See web site for details and to register in confidence. Sessions are not public.

Tuesday

7.15AM Space for God

9.45AM **TODDLER SING ALONG WITH TED**

Pure & joyful outreach for families with little ones.

Wednesday

7.30PM ALPHA COURSE

Thursday

7.30PM THURSDAY REFLECTION (LIVE):

30 mins to reflect and engage theologically with the current situation.

Find more information on our website for these and all events and services: bhcgodalming.org/what's on.

Churches and worship

We are looking at how we can offer Sunday worship in our church buildings and we're grateful to Michael Stubbs, Tim Davies and Mike Hawkey for their work on getting technology into both churches for livestreaming in the Autumn. We have two buildings which can each have no more than 20-35 people in them and there are important deep-clean requirements before and after each use. We are keen to avoid a regular 'pre-booked ticket only' approach to worship in a church building. With the summer coming, we are delighted to offer a number of creative ways to gather. We believe that the Holy Spirit is asking us to look at how and where we gather to worship and how this fits with us as a mission community for God. We will be able to return to the church buildings once we have worked safety, technology and access out; we are also looking at other creative ways to gather and celebrate together. For this next phase, the teaching on Sundays will be around the theme Recovery, and we are calling this summer's programme for Sundays 'Break Free' - it won't all be on YouTube!

A reminder: Busbridge Church and Hambledon Church are open daily from 9.30am to 4.30pm for private prayer and we encourage everyone to pop in. We have received really positive feedback to the display to help guide prayer if at Busbridge and there is also info on Why Pray? at Hambledon.

The Chain of Hope in Busbridge churchyard is growing! There are some very creative designs painted on pebbles, large and small, and some simple ones too. We hope this will encourage you to drop in while we cannot gather physically to worship.

Church cleaning—Due to COVID-19 precautions, we are having to double bag all our potentially contaminated waste and have to store it for 72 hours before throwing it away. If anyone has any spare supermarket-type bags we could use to line our bins, it would be much appreciated if you could drop them off at the front door of the Old Rectory please. You could tuck them behind the Creative Kindness box so they don't blow away. Many thanks.

New LLMs

We are <u>delighted</u> to announce that Keith Harper and Philippa Baker complete their theological and church training on July 13th to become locally licensed ministers (lay ministers). Normally we'd interview them in church and pray for them. Do congratulate Philippa and Keith and pray for them. They have given two years of their time to for theological study, church placements and residential weekends. (They will be formally licensed in October).

Church Family Support Fund

The stewards of Busbridge and Hambledon Church Family Support Fund would like to send their very grateful thanks to those who have anonymously donated some very considerable funds to the charity. These have given the fund a substantial boost and will enable the stewards to be able to support more people who are in financial difficulty because of the Covid 19 crisis. Thank you very much.

Listening Prayer—8am on Mondays

The Prayer Ministry team invite everyone to an early Monday session to simply listen for God. Join us for 50 minutes (or as much as you can manage) of listening prayer. A chance to listen to what God might be saying to you, or our Church community. An opportunity to be still before God with music, a piece of scripture followed by a short reflection and then a time of

silence. At the end there is an invitation to share what God may have said to you if you would like too. Such a great start to the week

Helpful Habits Too

The next Helpful Habits <u>Too</u> (please note, this is not the basic course but a follow-on) will be on <u>Tuesday 14th July</u>, on 'Praying with images', and anyone who would like to join needs to contact me for the details and prep. To discuss or to register, please contact Gertrud Sollars, e: Gertrud.sollars@btinternet.com.

HR support requested

We've reviewed how we offer employment support and we would like to hear from anyone who might have expertise in this area and join an advisory group to help the PCC care for its staff team. To offer to help please contact a church warden.

A mobile phone has been handed into the church office. Please contact liz.gorst@bhcgodaling.org if you think it might be yours.

Carer wanted

Employment opportunity available to provide care support to a Busbridge couple with long standing connections to our church. Previous experience of care work would be desirable due to the complex nature of this couple's needs and the post holder must be prepared to carry out personal care tasks. Job share applications considered. Working hours would be on a rota basis to support the live-in carers to have a break. The post is for 20 hours a week spread over 5 days, in blocks of approximately 4 weeks on / 4 weeks off. For further details please contact Penny Naylor via the Church Office or email:

penny.naylor@bhcgodalming.org

Public Notice: A faculty petition has been filed (wef 3rd July 2020) in respect of the McLaren Grave Marker - details: keith.harper@bhcqodalming.org

Alpha Online

Please continue to pray for participants and leaders. (Email: david.preece@bhcgodalming.org and find all the details on the web site under Courses.)

Hope in Depression—course starts 6 July

Please pray for participants and facilitators on the Hope In Depression course with which starts on Monday. There is still some room on this course. This 6 week course was developed by the Hope in Depression charity for delivery by churches, and we are grateful that Simon Willetts has previous experience leading the course and is able to offer the online version to anyone in the local community. The course is free, and can help those suffering with depression and those supporting them. The details and the registration form are on the web site, under courses. Do please pass this onto anyone who might benefit.

IN THE COMMUNITY

Hello from Prime Time—the next PT event will a quiz and catch up on Zoom on 6 July. Penny's weekly mailings to Prime Time members can now be found on the web site under news.

Thanks to everyone who responded so quickly to Jenna Brown's appeal to furnish a flat for someone homeless who needed basic items urgently. A facebook post, message to small group leaders and word of mouth achieved a miraculous response in 48 hours. Thank you. The gentleman moved into his new home on Monday.