

## Prayer & Worship Gatherings

<b>Tuesday mornings</b> 8am - 9am	<b>Prayer meeting in church</b> (every week) All are welcome to pray for the week ahead
<b>Sunday 16th July</b> 8am - 9am	<b>Mission Prayer Breakfast</b> (once a month) A chance to hear about and pray for our mission links

There will be no Hungry in July or August - we will restart this evening of worship and prayer in September.

There will be no Worship Evening Sessions in July or August - these will resume in September on the 4th Thursday of the month.

## Weekly Events

All youth and children's groups finish week beginning 3rd July. Breakfast Café will be open on 7th and 14th July, and then closed for the summer.

<b>Mondays</b>	3.30pm - 5pm	<b>Deeper</b> for children in school years 3 - 5
<b>Tuesdays</b>	7pm - 9.30pm	<b>Youth House Group</b> for school years 11 - 13
<b>Wednesdays</b>	6pm - 7.30pm	<b>Ignite</b> for young people in school years 6-10
<b>Thursdays</b>	10am - 11.30am	<b>Matt's Monkeys</b> toddler group
<b>Fridays</b>	8.30am - 10.30am	<b>Breakfast Cafe</b>

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If you would like to place a notice in this notice sheet, please email the office

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## 2nd July 2017

## Welcome to St Matt's

We hope you enjoy being with us today.  
Our church is informal and family-friendly, and we serve tea and coffee at the back of the church throughout the service, except during prayer.

During our 10am service (except our Family Service on the 1st Sunday of the month) we have groups for babies, children and teenagers - please see inside for more information or ask a member of the Welcome Team.

If you are here for the first time, please introduce yourself to us - we would love to get to know you.

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## Sunday Services

Our Sunday Services are held at 10am and 5pm. On the first Sunday of the month there is also a Book of Common Prayer communion service at 8am.

**10am:** informal and friendly with children's groups. Great coffee is served!

**5pm:** traditional and welcoming, tea and cake is served from 4.30pm

### Sunday 2nd July

8am	Book of Common Prayer communion service	
10am	Family service with baptisms	Em Cheesman
5pm	Difficult choices	Trevor Long

### Sunday 9th July

10am (family service)	Jon and Claire's leaving service	Jon & Claire
5pm	God's faithfulness	Julian Brierley

### Sunday 16th July

10am	Mission focus - Sozo SA	Steve Morris
5pm (communion)	You reap what you sow	Chris Wicks

### Sunday 23rd July

10am (family communion)	Child of the King	Izzie MacDougall
5pm	House of God	Elizabeth Haughan

### Sunday 30th July

10am (family service)	Let it go!	Tom Tyler
5pm	The kingdom is like...	Martin Franklin

## Seven

Seven is a gathering of believers, creating space to focus on Jesus and worship him. No formula. Just authentic relationship.

We meet on a Sunday evening, from 7pm - 8pm in church, and then go onto The Brick Works afterwards for a drink. Everyone is welcome.

<b>2nd July</b>	Being patient in God's plan	Catherine Root
<b>9th July</b>	The call to pray	Katy Johnson
<b>16th July</b>	Burning to see God in others	Chris Wicks
<b>23rd July</b>	Social	

## Children & Youth on Sundays

We are having family services on both 2nd and 9th July, due to Jon & Claire leaving. We then have family services all through the summer holidays.

**Therefore the only Sunday that children will go to their groups is 16th July.**

<b>Shine</b>	in the church centre	ages 0-2
<b>Glow</b>	in the church hall, leave by church centre door	age 3 - yr 1
<b>Bright</b>	in the Bethel hall, leave by main church door	years 2 - 5
<b>Encounter</b>	leave through office door	years 6 - 13

## Notices

### Jon & Claire's last Sunday

**Sunday 9th July 2017**

Please sign up at the back of church if you intend to come to the BBQ after church on 9th July, for catering purposes. If you can bring a salad or pudding, please also indicate this on the sign up form. Thank-you!  
Please make sure you sign the book and card for Jon and Claire - you can forward things to Hannah to stick in the book, including photos.  
You can also pass donations to Hannah this week.

### Computer expertise needed!

If anyone has experience and expertise in computers, and a few hours to spare, or if you can recommend a good professional, please let Chris or Hannah know. We have various computer issues, including needing to sort out laptops for new staff starting, and software issues on other computers.  
Some issues will be easier than others to sort out!

Thanks!

### Lost property

There is a lot of lost property at the moment!  
This will be laid out on a table in the church centre today and for the next couple of weeks.

After that it will be taken to a charity shop if suitable!  
Please have a look and reclaim anything that is yours. Thanks.