

Next week's Services:

10am	Sorted! (Romans 3:19-26)	Julian Brierley
5pm	Bible Sunday	Suzanne Owen
7pm	Share	

Midweek Activities:

M	NO DEEPER	T h	10:00 –11:30 Matt's Monkeys 19:30 Band practice
T	19:30 Table tennis (David Johnson)	F	8:30 - 10:30 Breakfast Café 19:30 Dee's Christmas Cake Course
W	18:00—19:30 Ignite	S	

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NOTICES & NEWS

16th October 2016

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.

Today's Services:

10am	Life has consequences (Romans 2:1-29)	Bill MacDougall
5pm	Being True	Hannah Mwesigwa
7pm	Worship	

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This week at St. Matthew's

Living as Christians in today's world

We hope you are enjoying our Autumn teaching series, looking at Paul's letter to the Romans. If you have missed the first two sermons, you can catch up on the church website where our talks can be downloaded. You can also watch the short video which introduces the series.

Coffee Morning with Pat Blanchard

Tuesday 25th October 10.30am - 12 pm

Our link mission partner (working with CMS in Lima, Peru) is coming over on a private visit and we are very fortunate that she is stopping over in Tunbridge Wells. She would love to meet anyone at St Matt's that could pop in for a coffee or tea and biscuits! She'll have some pictures of the long awaited lift, now installed at the Shalom project! Everyone is welcome to drop in (children as well as it's half-term). We'll be in the Church Centre.

For any further details, do contact Mary Wilson on 01892 545623.

Prayer for Tunbridge Wells

You are invited to join us for an evening of prayer for Tunbridge Wells on **Sunday 16 October, 6.30-7.45pm** at New Life Church, Speldhurst Road. We will be praying together for God's Kingdom to come in Tunbridge Wells as it is in heaven.

Christ Church Christmas Fair

Saturday 12th November 11am—1.30pm

Cake stall, gifts, toys, books, jewellery, chocolate tombola, raffle, children's activities and much more. Plus refreshments—mulled wine, mince pies, tea, coffee & cakes and homemade soup. Free entrance.

New Wine bookings are open for 2017! St. Matt's will be going to week 1, which is from 22nd—28th July 2017. Get the Super Early Bird rate if fees are paid in full by 30/11/16. You can save £25 on an adult ticket!

Free Dementia Awareness Session

TW Baptist Church, Monday 24 October, 9.30-11.00am

Alzheimer's Society's Dementia Friends programme is the biggest ever initiative to change people's perceptions of dementia. It aims to transform the way the nation thinks, acts and talks about the condition. Come along and learn more about what it is like to live with dementia and turn that understanding into action. This session is being delivered by **Good Neighbours** and will last about an hour with time for refreshments and questions. All are welcome, just call us to register your interest on **01892 510200**.

TRAINING DAY

Jackie Barrett, a qualified counsellor, supervisor and teacher is leading a training day on 'Understanding and Working with Suicide'. This is being held on Thursday 3rd November at Christ Church in Tunbridge Wells, 10am-4pm, costing £55. The day is suitable for ministers, youth workers, pastoral workers and any others who would benefit from the training.

For further information and an application form, please email: info@restorecounsellingservices.org.uk or phone 07456 267951.



Romance Academy

Tuesday 15 November, 7.30-10.00pm at TW Christian Fellowship

"Let's Talk About Porn" - A frank and fun event to help Adults talk with their Teens about Sex & Relationships.

The event, brought to you by Romance Academy, is designed to help you have those conversations that matter the most. The evening includes – Know the facts; Define your Message; Handling the How. Tickets are £5 and can be purchased from info@twyfc.co.uk or will be available on the door. Refreshments provided. **This event is for ADULTS only.**

Accommodation

Single mature male seeking one-bedroomed accommodation in the Tunbridge Wells area, preferably self-contained. Please speak to Mark and Jacquie Bray for further details.