

This week at St. Matt's

Monday 29th	3.30pm - 5pm 8pm - 10pm	Deeper (for school years 3-6) APCM at St. Peter's Church
Tuesday 30th	8am - 9am	Prayer meeting in church
Wednesday 1st May	6pm - 7.30pm 8pm - 9.30pm	Ignite (for school years 7-13) Equip (for school years 10-13)
Thursday 2nd		NO MATT'S MONKEYS - church is a polling station all day
Friday 3rd	8.30am - 10.30am	Friday Breakfast Café
Saturday 4th & Sunday 5th		Church Weekend at Rose Hill School NO SERVICES AT ST. MATT'S

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igniting passion for Jesus

28th April 2019

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 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.

We also have a more traditional service at 5pm and a gathering with more space to worship at 7pm.

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

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Sunday Services

Our Sunday Services are held at 10am, 5pm and 7pm.
On the first Sunday of the month there is also a Book of Common Prayer communion service at 8am.

10am: informal and friendly, with groups for the children, except for the 1st Sunday of the month which is our family service. Great coffee is served!

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

Seven: space to focus on Jesus and worship Him. No formula, just authentic relationship. 7-8pm in church, and then drinks at The Brick Works.

Sunday 28th April

10am	A solitary journey	Suzanne Owen
5pm	Peace be with you	Elizabeth Haughan
7pm	Peace be with you	Katy Johnson

Saturday 4th and Sunday 5th May

Church weekend away at Rose Hill School with Richard Thomas

8.30am - 4pm and 7.30pm - 9pm on the Saturday

9.30am - 4pm on the Sunday

See across the page or pick up a flyer for more details

(There will be no services at St. Matt's on Sunday 5th May)

Sunday 12th May

10am	Peace in the storm
5pm	Raised again
7pm (communion)	Raised again

Children & Youth on Sundays

During term time, we run groups for children, except for the 1st Sunday of the month when we have our family service.

Shine	pre-schoolers	in the church centre
Glow	reception to school year 2	leave by the church centre door
Bright	school years 3 to 5	leave by the main church door
Encounter	school years 6-11	leave by the office door

Children will be brought back into church at the end of the service, and in time for communion on the 4th Sunday of the month.

SMARTIMES Lent for Life & Soul!

Thank you to all who have been praying for Life & Soul and putting £1 and 20 pence coins in their Smartimes tubes to support work with young people in Tunbridge Wells.

It would be great if all tubes could now be put into our giant Smartimes tube!

It doesn't matter if you haven't managed to put much in.

We would like to try to Gift Aid donations - do just ask and we'll help with that. Thank you again for your generous hearts - so much appreciated!

Life & Soul Fashion Show

Saturday 8th June 6pm - 7pm

Life & Soul will be having a fashion show and second hand clothes show at St. Matt's Church on 8th June to raise funds for their work.

They will also be talking about Fair Wear, an organisation that supports the improvement of working conditions in the textile industry.

Any donations of good quality second hand clothes and accessories would be welcomed.

The Annual Parochial Church Meeting of the Southborough Team Ministry (APCM) will be held at St Peter's Church on Monday 29th April 2018 at 8.00 p.m.

At the APCM, Churchwardens and PCC Representatives for all 4 churches in the Parish will be elected. At this meeting the clergy also talk about the past year, highlighting successes and issues faced. This will be the last APCM of the Southborough Team Ministry in its current form. Everybody is welcome. The Agenda and Annual Reports will be available on the church websites or by email from the PCC Secretary, Alison Lush alison.lush@talk21.com.

Some hard copies of the reports will be available at the meeting.

Nourish Donation days

We won't be collecting items for Nourish Foodbank in May, due the church weekend, so the next donation day will be Sunday 2nd June.

New Wine Men's Day

Strength in weakness

St. Paul's, Ealing, 11th May 2019

New Wine are holding a men's day in a couple of weeks.

For more info and to book, go to

<https://www.new-wine.org/events>