### This week at St. Matt's

Sunday 16th	6pm - 8pm	Unite Youth Service
Monday 17th	3.30pm - 5pm	Deeper (school years 3 - 6)
Tuesday 18th	8am - 9am 10.30am - 12pm	Prayer meeting in church Coffee morning
Wednesday 19th	6pm - 7.30pm 8pm - 9.30pm	Ignite (school years 7 - 13) Equip (school years 10 - 13)
Thursday 20th	9.30am - 11.15am	Matt's Monkeys Toddler Group
Friday 21st	8.30am - 10.30am	Friday Breakfast Café
Saturday 22nd	8.30am - 10.30am	Revive Women's Breakfast
Sunday 23rd	12pm - 2pm	Bring and share lunch

If you would like to receive the notice sheets by email each week, please email Hannah on office@stmattschurch.org.uk

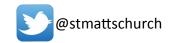
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## **16th June 2019**

# **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.

### **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 16th June

10am (communion)	Peace in work and rest	Julian Brierley
5pm (communion)	Elijah in the Kerith Ravine	Suzanne Owen
7pm	Elijah in the Kerith Ravine	Suzanne Owen

### Sunday 23rd June

10am	Launch of new parish	Ven. Julie Conalty	
5pm	Live a life	Mark Gabriel	
7pm	Live a life	Mark Gabriel	

### **Sunday 30th June**

10am	Sozo, South Africa	Steve Morris
5pm	How big is your God?	Chris Wicks
7pm	How big is your God?	Chris Wicks

### **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.

# New parish launch service and bring & share lunch Sunday 23rd June 10am

### PLEASE SIGN UP TODAY FOR LUNCH AND TO HELP!

A warm invitation to everyone for this celebratory occasion, our launch service with the Archdeacon and lunch afterwards.

Please sign up on the list at the back of church TODAY with how many of you will be coming, whether you'll bring a savoury or sweet item (or both!) and anything else you could help with (or email <a href="mailto:maryiwilson@icloud.com">maryiwilson@icloud.com</a>).

### We will need people to help with the following:

Setting up tables and chairs, cutting up/serving food, clearing up (tables etc. and in the kitchen), making a bit of extra food to make sure we have plenty! Please let Mary know today if you can help.

### Coffee morning - Tuesday 18th June, 10.30am - 12pm

Come and join us for a coffee, cake and chat in the Church Centre. There will be cakes, a small raffle and bric-a-brac on sale for Life & Soul.

### Revive Women's Breakfast - Sat 22nd June, 8.30am - 10.30am

Our next Revive breakfast is coming up, and we have Dedo Rampe speaking to us about forgiveness.

Join us at 8.30am for breakfast of croissants, toast and fruit, followed by worship, teaching and ministry. All women are welcome.

### Soup bowl volunteers needed

Every Thursday lunchtime Churches for TW serve soup and sandwiches to the needy at Church of Christ, Commercial Road and on Friday at URC, Grosvenor Road. We desperately need more volunteers (particularly men) to continue this service, from about noon until 1:45pm as often as you can manage, even once a month would be a great help. Please contact St Augustine's Office 01892 522525 to volunteer or for more details.

### **Events at Bishopscourt, Rochester**

Sat 22<sup>nd</sup> & Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1pm – 5pm Open Garden as part of the National Garden Scheme. Teas, cake, plant sale. Adults £4.00, children free.

Sunday June 30<sup>th</sup> outdoor production of Much Ado about Nothing, marquee in case of rain. Doors 2pm, performance 3pm. Tickets £12.50 (children £6) from Bridget Langstaff <a href="mailto:bridget.langstaff@btinternet.com">bridget.langstaff@btinternet.com</a> 07816 828439.

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