

Next week's Services:

10am	ROSE HILL SESSION 4	Andy /Margaret Wooding-Jones
5pm	NO SERVICE	
7pm	NO SERVICE	

Midweek Activities:

M	8.00pm APCM at St Peter's	Th	10.00am Matt's Monkeys 2.00pm Funeral
T		F	8.30am Breakfast Café 5.00pm Decant to Rose Hill
W	3.45pm Deeper 6.00pm Ignite	S	WEEKEND AWAY AT ROSE HILL

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NOTICES & NEWS

26th April 2015

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	I am the Resurrection & the Life	Karen Hickson Smith
5pm	Laying down & taking up	Martin Franklin
7pm	The Faith of a Centurion	Chris Wicks

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Forthcoming Events

The **Annual Parochial Church Meeting** of the Southborough Team Ministry will be held tomorrow, **Monday 27th April 2015 at 8.00pm at St Peter's Church.**

Churchwardens and PCC Representatives for all four churches in the Parish will be elected. If you wish to stand for either of these positions please contact your Churchwarden, Stephen Hills, Chris Wicks or Miriam Barker. At this meeting the clergy also talk about the past year highlighting any successes and issues faced. Everybody is welcome. The Agenda & Annual Reports are available via

Lesley.clare2@btinternet.com.

The Agenda and Annual Reports will be available via e-mail from the PCC Secretary. Please request these via Lesley.clare2@btinternet.com. Hard copies of the reports will be available at the meeting.

Wednesday 29 April, 7.30pm – Election Hustings.

We will be welcoming our parliamentary candidates to St James Church to answer your questions. Churches for Tunbridge Wells will be hosting the event for all the churches and people of the town. There are various resources available at <http://www.stjamestw.co.uk/generalelection2015.htm> to help you think through the issues. They will be updated from time to time as the General Election draws closer.

Please do take a look. It would be very helpful in planning the evening if we could have some questions in advance. Please email them to JPStewart4@gmail.com

2nd/3rd May—Church Weekend Away LAST CALL!

The Weekend Away is fast approaching so do book now. Andy and Margaret Wooding-Jones will be speaking on the theme "He said "Go!" - Living as followers of Jesus in today's world". There will be the usual fun and frolics (archery, caving unit, hog roast, games, films etc). Booking forms and flyers now available at the back of church.

Sunday 10 May 2.30-5pm – Family Picnic and Football with the Muslim Community, at the 3G Football Pitch at St John's Leisure Centre. This is a great opportunity to meet and mix with our Muslim Neighbours. We need of a few people who are willing to provide some face-painting through the afternoon, as well as people to bring some cakes to share during the afternoon. Please contact cllyallen@aol.com if you are able to help in any way.

Dan Wicks is 21!

He would love everyone who has know him to help him celebrate this occasion. He is having a crop-in BBQ on 16th May from 6pm onwards at 72 Powder Mill Lane. If you can come, please let Carole know so that we can organise enough food. Hope you can make it.

New Wine

For anyone planning on going to New Wine this year, the next cut off time for the next cheapest rate is 7th May.

CAKES! CAKES! CAKES!

Calling all cake bakers! We need cakes & confections to serve at our Weekend Away, please, so if you can help, do contact Clare C or Bee.

DAS Valeting Services

Dave Sewell now has his own mobile valeting business and many of us have used it already. This is Dave's first business venture so your prayers would be appreciated. Rates are reasonable and you can find him on Facebook under "DAS Valeting Services" or mobile 07714 457429.

Open Garden at Bishopscourt

Saturday May 16th 11.00am – 3.00 pm.

Bishopscourt, 24 St Margaret's Street, Rochester, ME1 1TS.

There will be a Christian Aid stand, teas, home-made cakes and a plant sale.

Entry £2.00.

Enquiries: Bridget Langstaff:

07816 828439 or

email: bridget.langstaff@btinternet.com

FOR SALE

Light oak dining table (Oakland-style, 6' x 3' x 2.5' high) plus four dining chairs (high backed, brown leather with oak legs). £200 or nearest offer. Please contact Pat Tilley, tel no: 01892 527815.

First Aid

If anyone in the congregation has any level of First Aid training, please would they let Clare C know? Many thanks.