

WEEKLY NOTICES

SUNDAY 1st SEPTEMBER 2024

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SERVICES SUNDAY 1st SEPTEMBER

9.30am – *Send Us Out Sunday* at Branksome Chine Beach
(Beach Hut 222a, turn right from the car park)

with **Baptisms on the Beach**

11am – Holy Communion followed by sherry

SERVICES SUNDAY 8th SEPTEMBER

8am – Holy Communion BCP

9.30am – Family Holy Communion Service

11am – Morning Prayer

**There will be no refreshments served in the hall on
Sunday 1st September.**



Monday Morning Prayer Meeting

Monday 2nd September

8am – 8.30am near the decking in front of
Rockwater, Branksome Chine Beach.

Begin your week in this beautiful spot praying for our
parish and our summer church activities.

Wednesday morning prayer will happen as normal at
9.15am in Church each week.

Baptisms on the Beach

This Sunday 1st September, the **9.30am** service is a **service of baptism in the sea** for anyone who wants to be baptised and follow Jesus.

Come and celebrate with us!

Location: Beach Hut 222a, Branksome Chine Beach.



We're calling it ***Send us out Sunday***, when we'll be getting our feet on the ground in the busiest part of our parish, to meet and love our neighbour, to share the love of God, to have fun, and to grow as we go.

We'll kick off at **9.30am** with snacks and a beach game, inviting anyone we meet to join in. We'll explore a Bible passage in a fun and interactive way.

And we'll invite the Holy Spirit to be with us and see what God does.

Then from **10.30am** you can stay and play on the beach or head to the 11am service back in the building.

Lord Jesus, you reveal the heart of God's love for the world.

When you looked out at the crowds you had compassion on them for they were like sheep without a shepherd.

Send us out we pray in the power of your Spirit that we may know your love and power to witness to your life-transforming and welcoming presence.



Bereavement Support Group

In the **Church Hall** on the first Wednesday of every month.

The next one will be on

Wednesday 4th September 2.30pm – 4pm

Stepping Stones Walk

The next walk will be on

Tuesday 10th September

Moreton to Clouds Hill with lunch in The Walled Garden Café. 4.5 miles, easy
Meet at Church at **9.30am.**



NEW! – Slow Stroller Walks

Do you enjoy walking but **can't walk too far?**

Then join in the new **shorter, slower walks** where the emphasis is on chatting, sitting, enjoying the countryside and having lunch,



with just a **short steady stroll** at your own pace.

The first stroll will be on **Tuesday 10th September**

River Stour from Cherry Tree Nursery
with lunch at The Old Vicarage, Northbourne.

Meet outside church at 11am for car sharing.

No dogs please.

For more details ring Liz Pedley on 07901 016893 or 01202 708629
or Sheila Jackson on 07470 337675 or 01202 251190.

Pick up a leaflet from the porch for details of future walks.

All Saints' Tea Party

The next tea party will be in the Church Hall on

Wednesday 11th September at 2.30pm

All are welcome to come along and enjoy fellowship,
tea, coffee, sandwiches and cakes.



Ride and Stride

Every year we take part in the Dorset Historic Churches Trust 'Ride and Stride' that raises funds for historic churches in Dorset. We take a

leisurely cycle ride around local Churches and

stop on the way for tea and biscuits. We will

be setting off from All Saints' Church on

Saturday 14th September at 9.30am



Please join us if you can and make a donation to the Trust. If you cannot make the day, or cycling days are behind you, then perhaps you would consider supporting those who are riding.

Many thanks. John Gunton.

Calling and Gifts

God has a personal call for each of us and gives us the gifts we need to fulfil it. To explore calling and gifts we hope to form a group meeting three or four times in the autumn.

To find out more speak to Steve Annandale or email annandalesteve@gmail.com.



For the gifts and the calling of God are irrevocable.
Romans 11:29



Future Dates for your Diary

Charity Opera Night in Church – Thursday 24th October
7pm – 9pm

Quiz Night in the Church Hall – Friday 22nd November
6.30pm – 9pm

Knit & Natter

Knit & Natter is in the Church Hall on
Fridays between 2.30pm and 4.30pm
All are welcome!



Poole Foodbank

We have a **box in our Church porch** for Foodbank items. Please pick up a couple of items with your weekly shop and bring them along to church on a Sunday or any morning during the week.

Any items you can give would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.



10 urgent items needed this week are:

Tinned corned beef, tinned fish, tinned ham, tinned minced beef, tinned soup, tinned tomatoes, tinned vegetables, teabags, toilet rolls, UHT milk.

You can **download the Bank the Food app** to see which items they require urgently each week.

Eco Collections

There are black collection boxes in the porch for **plastic milk carton lids**.



Please do not give plastic lids from other products and please do not leave any other items in the porch. Thank you.



Also, please continue to save **used stamps** for **The Bible Society**. There is a box in the church porch where you can leave them but please **do not** put other items into the stamps collection box.

Teddies Baby and Toddler Group **Every Monday (term-time) between 2pm and 3.30pm**

Calling all mums, dads, grandparents and carers of babies and pre-schoolers! Come along for a fun time of free play, tea & coffee and great company.



Weekday Prayer Meeting

A half-hour prayer meeting is held in church on **Wednesday mornings at 9.15am.**

Come along for this quiet time to pray for our church, our community, and the wider world.

A reminder that we have the **Prayer Box** in the church for all your prayer requests and answers to prayer.



Prayer Diary

We would love you to send in any prayers for the prayer diary concerning the world, our church and the community we serve. With love and prayers 😊🙏

Howard and the Team



Prayer Requests

Barbara Jenkins, Jackie Cunningham, Joyce Firkin,
Sue Thomas, Jennifer Simpkin, and Peter Davidson.

We pray for the bereaved family and friends of
Jonathan O'Leary, Murray Rowe and Beryl Hurley.

Also please pray for those approaching the anniversary of their bereavement.

*(Please note prayer requests stay on for 4 weeks,
after which you need to let the office know if they are to be renewed).*

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For **urgent prayer requests** contact the Office on 01202 701822
or email Suzie Myatt on doversole@aol.com to activate the **prayer chain**.