

CHRIST CHURCH, STANTONBURY
STANTONBURY ECUMENICAL PARTNERSHIP
Anglican, Baptist, Methodist, United Reformed Church.



Meeting God – Following Jesus – Serving People

Sunday 20th August 2017
10.30am Family service, led by Andy Jowitt. Theme: David and Jonathan.
Reading: 1Samuel 18:1-4, 19:1-7, 20:30-42

Next Week Café Service,
all request Sunday' see notice below for more details.

DIARY DATES

Coffee and Cake morning

Saturday 19th August: 9.30 to 11.30

Offers of help, welcoming visitors and serving refreshments, will be most welcome, or just come and join us for a slice of cake and cup of coffee.

A church picnic

Sunday August 20th - after the service

Place Emberton Country Park on way to Olney

There is a £4 charge per car for entry but plenty of space for a group to sit and picnic and plenty of walking as well as play areas for children

In the event of inclement weather (rain!) it is proposed that the picnic got ahead but in the hall. If anyone would like to go but requires transport please let Susan know. **01908 312162**

Tree Cathedral Service

Sunday August 20th at 6pm. "In Him all things hold together" *Hope for creation*

**An outdoor service of worship, prayer and reflection at the Tree Cathedral, Newlands.
All welcome. (please bring your own chair/rug/umbrella) full details on notice board.**

The café service

This month (August 27th) will be an 'all request Sunday' when you are invited to bring along one of your favourite things to share. This could be a reading, poem, song, picture... We can put images or clips on the screen, if you would like to include any of these please let me know so they can be set up in advance: email susan.gander@gmail.com

St. Andrew's Afternoon Teas

2.00 – 5.00pm on Sundays 20th, & 27th August

This is St. Andrews annual fundraiser, please come along and support this event if you are able.

Welcome service for Rev Hellen Cameron

Saturday, 26th August, 2pm at The Church of Christ the Cornerstone.

This service is to welcome Rev Helen Cameron the new Chair of the Northampton Methodist District.

Ride and Stride 2017

9th September 10.00am – 4.00pm (Bucks Open Churches Day)

More details to follow.

Annual Library Lecture

20th September (Wednesday) at St Michael's Priory by Revd Malcolm Guite. Cost £10, including refreshments (free to St Michael's Priory library members) For more details contact Joy 01908 242190 / bookings@stmichaelspriory.org.uk

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

House Groups:

House groups have finished for the summer, will restart in September.

Senior Citizens:

Tuesdays from 2.30 – 4.00pm in the church lounge
Contact Cis Jones (01908 231277)

Under Fives Group:

This group has now finished for the summer,
and will reopen on Thursday 7th September 2017
Contact Chenda Nuttall (01908 804913)

Lunch & Learn:

4th Wednesday of every month.

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(Notices or the newsletter, please, by Wednesday evening at the latest, and preferably earlier)

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