29th July 2018 Notes and News

Looking ahead

29th July

8.00 am

10.00 am

3rd Aug

2-5 pm

5th Aug 8.00 am

10.00 am

6th Aug 2-5 pm

8th Aug

2.00 pm

12th Aug

8.00 am

10.00 am

14th Aug

3.00 pm

17th and 18th Aug



Holy Communion (said)

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Family Communion

Family Communion

First Steps followed by

Holy Communion (said)

Holy Communion for

all the church family

followed by the

Family Barbecue

Mothers' Union

Hall Cleaning

Tea@3

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Teddy Bears' Picnic

Open Garden

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Christ Church L Milton-next-Gravesend A warm welcome to any visitors worshipping with us this morning. Please make yourself known to one of the clergy or the people who greeted you at the door.

Vera Marks' funeral will be in Christ Church on Tuesday 31st July at 12 noon followed by cremation at 1.00 pm at Thames View Crematorium.

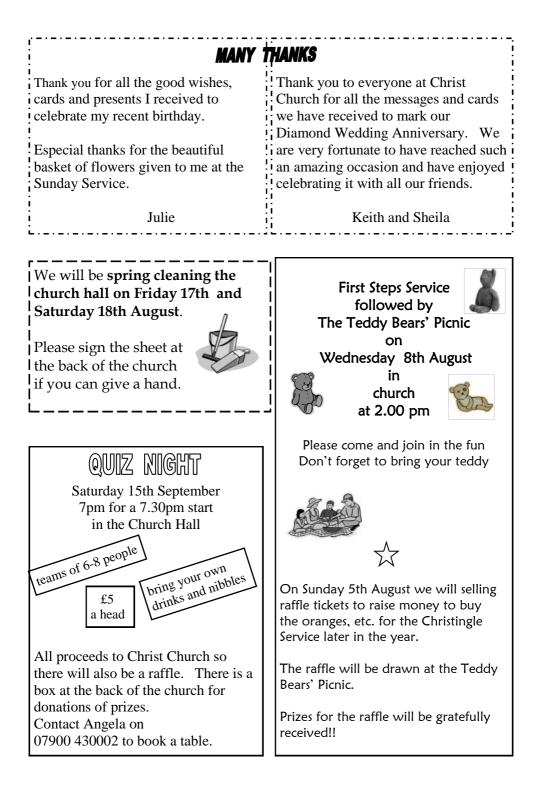
OPEN GARDENS

Andy and Chris's garden at 1 Farmcroft is to open on Friday 3rd August from 2-5 pm.

Please visit if you can

Week	day	services
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Holy Communion	Wednesday	10.00 am and Saturday 8.00 am
Morning Prayer	Monday	8.00 am at Christ Church
Morning Prayer	Tuesday	8.00 am at St. Aidan's Church
Evening Prayer	Wednesday	5.15 pm at Christ Church
Morning Prayer	Thursday	8.30 am at Holy Family Church
Evening Prayer	Friday	5.15 pm at Holy Family Church



FAMILY BARBECUE

on Sunday 12th August on the Pleasance



The barbecue is for the whole church family, so please come and enjoy some leisure time together.

There is a sign up list at the back of the church, please indicate how many are coming and if you can bring a sweet or salad to share.





ONE MORE OPEN GARDEN!

After all the gardens opened this summer you may be feeling "gardened out"! In which case fine!

However, in order to try to raise a little more money for a Charity Trek that I am doing in Bosnia in September for "Hope and Homes for Children", I thought I might offer the opportunity of seeing one more garden.

It is very much "work in progress", which in itself makes it different to the lovely ones we have seen this year, but you would be most welcome between 2pm and 5 pm on Monday 6th August at 56 Whitehill Road (opposite Canterbury Road, the house with a magnolia in the front garden).

Richard



Mothers' Union invite you and your friends and children to a T@3 on Tuesday 14th August on the pleasance starting at 3.00 $\,$

pm. Entrance is £2 per adult, 50p per child to include the first drink and cake .

There will be toys, sandpit, games, colouring, quizzes and a raffle, bring and buy, refreshments and the chance to relax and chat.

Please come and bring a friend. All very welcome

Mustard Seed will **NOT** be meeting in August. We look forward to seeing everyone again in September.

Part of the WATERFRONT Weekend 2018 River Folk & Land Lovers <i>A talk by Christoph Bull</i> Saturday 4th August at 12.30 pm at Gravesend Borough Market				
Tickets £9.50 per person including hot and cold drinks and a ploughman's lunch (lunch provided by N084 Tea Room& Eatery). To book you place please email <u>info@visitgravesend.co.uk or</u> call 01474 337600 Thursday to Saturday				
Are you creative?	foodbank			
Will you/could you design this year's Christmas card from Christ Church?	Many thanks to everyone who supports the food bank.			
Each year we put a card out to all the houses in the parish and this year we need your help.	At present they need - Tinned meat products,			
Your entry needs to be able to go on the front of a portrait style card and could be a photograph, picture or image.	No fridge/UHT milk, instant mash, no fridge/UHT juice,			
The entry could be digital or hard copy. If it is digital, please forward it to <u>angelak1966@hotmail.co.uk</u> or hard copies can be handed to one of the	jam/peanut butter, packet soup, instant rice, tinned spaghetti.			
Reverends Jacqueline or Karen or one of the sidespeople.	They do not need tins of soup, baked beans, pasta or tea.			
Please get your entry in by 9th September 2018 and include your name and contact number.				
In the bookcase near the main door to the church you will find Bibles that you can borrow during the service. Please help yourselves and replace the Bible at the end of the service.				
Gluten free Communion wafers are available at every service—please have a word with the Churchwardens or Clergy if you would like to receive gluten free wafers.				
Items for the news sheet should be sent to juliehill34@aol.com or left on the clip in the				

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