

# Welcome<sup>2</sup> St Alphege, Seasalter at Seasalter Christian Centre

Your name(s)

Children's names and dates of birth

Address

Postcode

Telephone

Email

Today's date



St Alphege, Seasalter

Tear from this leaflet and pass to a member of the Welcome Team Thank you

 Name of Welcomer:

Service attended	
Please tick:	
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## Prayer at the Heart



Chris Benneworth. Jill Freeman and her family. Jeannie's (Harwood) son David. Marion Troubridge, still in pain following a fall. June (following a stroke). Angela. Terry Chapman, being treated for prostate cancer. Tess Canavan. Dennis Spinner and family. Andrea Harte.

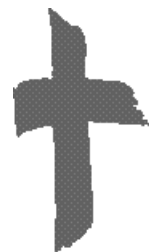
During June we will be praying for those living in Anthony Crescent, Columbia Avenue and Field View.

**Prayer Needs:** (Immediate needs – 2-4 weeks, long term needs – 3 months.)

Please contact: Joan Moss 275522 or j.moss370@btinternet; Rev. Ann Moreton 277140; Carol Judge 277752; David and Lynda Kemp 272470, or Rev. Steve Coneyes 276795.



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# Welcome to St Alphege, Seasalter Sunday 11 June 2017

Trinity Sunday

Today's Readings: Acts 2.14 - 24; Matthew 28.16 - end

## A CHURCH FAMILY MEETING

What will the new vicar need to know about us?

**TODAY**, 3-4 pm at the Christian Centre

As the search for our new vicar starts we are beginning to draw up a document which will answer three questions: -

- Where have we been together?
- Who/where are we now?
- Where are we going?

Come along and have your say - what you think is important.

## Baptism

In Baptism we are given a new identity in Jesus Christ.

'The old has gone, the new has come!' (2 Cor. 5.17)

### Baptism

Sunday 18 June during the 1100 service

**Dora Burney**

Sunday 25 June during the 1100 service

**Lisa and Ava Moore**

Sunday 9 July at Seasalter Beach after the 1100 service

**Anjola Osinaike, Andrew Price, Naomi Rafferty, Neil Mansi**

In the Old Church

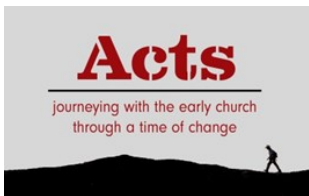
**Maggie Mae Spice**

Sunday 16 July at Seasalter Beach before Y

**Abi Sowrey**



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## Journeying with the Early Church in a time of change

Sunday	Readings	Title
<b>Beginning well: Acts chapters 1 – 5</b>		
11 June Trinity	Acts 2.14 – 24 Matthew 28.16 – end	The Trinity
18 June	Acts 1.12 – end Matthew 9.3 – 10.8	The Witnesses
25 June	Acts 2.22 – 41 Matthew 10.24 – 39	The Gospel
2 July	Acts 4.32 – end (cf 2.42 – end) Matthew 10.40 – end	The Church
9 July	Acts 3.1 – 10 (11 – end) Matthew 11.16 – 19 and 25 – end	Healing
16 July	Acts 4.1 – 22 Matthew 13.1 – 9 and 18 – 23	Conflict
23 July School summer holidays	Acts 4.23 – 31 Matthew 13.24 – 30 and 36 – 43	Prayer
30 July	Acts 5.12 – 16 Luke 9.28 – 36	Signs and wonders
6 August Transfiguration	Acts 5.17 – end (could be dramatized or split into 2 readings) Matthew 14.22 – 33	Persecution
13 August	Acts 6.1 – 7 Matthew 15.21 – 28	Service
<b>Growing well: Acts chapters 6 – 12</b>		
20 August	Acts 6.8 – 15 and 7.54 – 8.1a Stephen's story dramatised at 1010 and 1100 Matthew 16.13 – 20	Stephen's story
27 August	Acts 8.26 – end Matthew 13.31 – 33 and 44 – 52	Philip and the Ethiopian

DON'T FORGET you can receive the Notices early if you request the email version! If you would like to be added to the mailing list, let me know on [deaneves@msn.com](mailto:deaneves@msn.com).  
Paula

### MESSAGE BOARD

Thank you to everyone who has been sending messages to Andrea - it seems she has more than she can answer. She sends her love to all.

#### When's your day off?...

Steve .....Thursdays  
Jane and Fabian .....Fridays  
Georgina .....Tuesdays  
Dan .....Thursdays

### Sacred Space

Silent prayer, meditative music, incense, long periods of silence  
**All Saints Church**  
**Tuesday 13 June**  
8 pm - 8.45 pm Quiet Prayer  
8.45 pm - 9 pm Spoken Prayer  
Please bring a torch as the church is in near darkness.  
Come and pray for peace in our world at this time of heightened tension.

#### The Journey Continues

#### Prayer Pilgrimage 2017

Churches Together in Whitstable Prayer meetings continue  
All Saints Whitstable, Church Street, Whitstable CT5 1PG  
**Monday 26 June 7.30 pm to 9 pm**

"The churches together prayer initiative is a wonderful opportunity to gather in unity, to meet God in worship and prayer and to participate in God's plan to bless and transform our town. This event is gentle and sensitive to accommodate various ways to express our prayers to God. We firmly believe that our presence, more than our words, will be used by God to accomplish His good purposes. So come and experience how good it is to be together in unity!"

### What's on during the week ...

At the **Old Church** at 9.15 am, Morning Prayer on Tuesday and Friday, Holy Communion on Wednesday. Sunday Services at the Old Church are held on the 1st Sunday of the month at 11.15 am (BCP Holy Communion).

**Team Evening Prayer** - at St Alphege Whitstable (town church) during June.

**Open Door** Thursdays from 10.00 am to 11.45 am at SCC.

**Social Games Afternoon** Friday 2 - 4 pm at SCC. If you have a favourite board or card game please bring it along. Refreshments available.

**Prayerpoint** on Fridays - join us for intercessory prayer, 6 pm - 7pm at SCC. *When prayer is at the heart we see God moving. All welcome, please come ...*

**Silent Prayer of the Heart** on Fridays at 8 pm for 30 minutes

Next week's services: 0845 Holy Communion, 1010 Lighthouse ;1100 All-age service.

Next week's readings: see page 2.

## JOIN US AT OUR GET TOGETHER

### WHAT

Picnic with good music and fun activities for  
Children of all ages!

FREE entry! Bring your own food, drink and a blanket  
and enjoy a relaxing afternoon.

### WHERE

Dane John Gardens  
Watling Street, Canterbury, CT1 1YW

### WHEN

Sunday 18 June, 2pm to 5 pm



The Diocese of  
Canterbury  
*Living faith, building community,  
transforming lives*



CANTERBURY  
cathedral



We take inspiration from Jo Cox's quote,  
"We have more in common than that which divides us."

### Coming Soon!!

#### Abbot House Summer Fete and Open day



Saturday 24 June 11 am - 2 pm

Will include all the fun of a traditional summer fair  
along with the chance to see what goes on inside Abbot  
House. We'll also be launching 'Friends of Abbot  
House' - you won't want to miss this!!

If anyone would like to donate a prize for a bottle tombola, children's  
tombola or raffle, please speak to Jane, Becky or Karen.

### Prayer at Seasalter

## The Shift<sup>2</sup>

Every Sunday at the Christian Centre, 7.00 – 8.00 am

The continuation of our prayer journey...come on!



### VICKY'S ORDINATION

Vicky will be ordained deacon on 1 July at 11.00 am  
in Canterbury Cathedral.

Her last Sunday with us will be 25 June and we shall  
have a Farewell Bring & Share Lunch after the ser-  
vices on that day.

Everyone welcome.

### Third Age Programme

Thanks everyone who contributed to the Afternoon tea and nostalgia and  
making it an enjoyable event.

The following are on the programme for this year:

28 July	Strawberry tea and quiz
6 September	Afternoon tea and quiz
23 & 24 October	Holiday at Home
Early December	Advent quiet day

### For your diary...

Vicky's farewell bring & share lunch Sunday 25 June

Vicky's Ordination, Canterbury Cathedral, Saturday 1 July 11.00 am

Steve (and Vicky's) final services at Seasalter, Sunday 3 September



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## CHURCH MINIBUS

By the grace of God and through the generosity of some church members we are hoping, very shortly, to acquire a church minibus. This will be useful for trips with young people, outings with the Third Age group, perhaps collecting guests for Open Door and the Boxing Day lunch, and other things we have not thought of yet.



So we are looking for a MINIBUS ADMINISTRATOR, someone who will take responsibility for overseeing the bookings, making sure the keys are available and all the other little jobs which will ensure that the minibus is a real blessing to the church family.

If you feel you would like to explore this ministry (and it will be a real ministry) please speak to David Kemp (tel. 272470 email: [kemps11@btinternet.com](mailto:kemps11@btinternet.com))

### Raising Funds for Abbot House Nursery by Recycling



Bring your old mobile phones to Becky Whittaker at Seasalter Christian Centre!



### Value G – Giving generously

Giving generously is one of the values which moulds our life together at St Alphege, Seasalter. In recent years we have raised and given away £90,000 to charities, locally, nationally and internationally, through the Closer To Home project. And each year we give away an amount equal to at least 10% of our normal income.

We also encourage individuals and families to give generously to the church's work. The biblical guideline is the tithe, 10% of income, but Jesus never mentioned a percentage, because it's the heart that counts.

If you would like to know more about regular giving through banker's order or weekly envelopes, or about Gift Aid, please talk to Ceri Charilaou, Stewardship Secretary (tel: 274650 or email: [cericharilaou@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:cericharilaou@hotmail.co.uk))

# Join us this summer!

## Ages 5-11 10am-12.30pm

### £3 per child per day (£9 max per family)

For a booking form, contact Jane Myhill at [jane.myhill@btinternet.com](mailto:jane.myhill@btinternet.com) or by ringing 01227 276923 (Seasalter Christian Centre)

**Thursday 27th & Friday 28th July**

St John's Methodist Church, Argyle Road

**Tues 15th, Wed 16th & Fri 18th August**

Seasalter Christian Centre, Faversham Road

**Monday 21st & Tuesday 22nd August**

St John's Swalecliffe, St John's Road

**Wednesday 30th & Thursday 31st August**

All Saints Church Hall, Church Road



# Summer Holiday Clubs