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

Your name(s)

Children's names and dates of birth

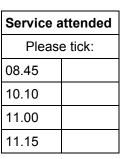
**Address** 

Postcode

Telephone

**Email** 

Today's date





St Alphege, Seasalter

email: deaneves@msn.com Deadline is Midnight Tuesday

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



Name of Welcomer:

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

At the **Old Church** on the 1st Sunday of the month at 11.15 am (BCP Holy Communion).

Morning Prayer - at the Old Church, Tuesdays and Fridays at 9.15 am.

Holy Communion - Wednesdays at 9.15 am at the Old Church.

**Team Evening Prayer -** at All Saints' during May and St. John's in June.

Open Door Thursdays from 10.00 am to 11.30 am at SCC.

Prayers Sunday 7 - 8 am (followed by toast and coffee); Wednesday 7 - 8 am

**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 Holy Communion. Readings: 2 Corinthians 9: 6-11; Matthew 25: 14-30

[Please take these notices home with you to read at your leisure]



St Alphege, Seasalter ~ making disciples of Christ, growing the church of God

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## Welcome to St Alphege, Seasalter Sunday 26 May 2019

Today's readings: Malachi 3: 10-12; Matthew 6:19-21, 24-34



#### **Ascension Day Service**

30 May at SCC, 7.30 pm

This is for all in the Whitstable team churches.

A special celebration service including Holy Communion and with Rachel Webbley preaching.

All are encouraged to come.

Refreshments will be served from 7 pm with the service beginning at 7.30 pm.

Congratulations to Philip Hampton on his Baptism today

(Sunday 26th at the 11.00 service)

We're so glad to be on the journey of life and faith with you!

Love from your church family at Seasalter

## Morning Prayer and Holy Communion in the week at the Old Church

Now that the first stage of the refurbishment has been completed, the Old Church is a beautiful and prayerful space to come and begin the day with Morning Prayer (Common Worship) including a short informal discussion about the bible readings, and some prayer time.

9.15 - 10.00 Tuesdays and Fridays, same time Wednesdays\* but with Holy

Come and join in.

\* See below!

Communion.

"Christianity is the only co-operative society that exists for the benefit of non-members" William Temple



You can receive these Notices before Sunday (and in colour!) if you request the email version! If you would like to be added to the mailing list, let me

know on deaneves@msn.com. Paula

We need a keyboard for use in the Old

anymore or would like to lend us one,

Churchwardens

Church, if anyone has one they don't need

could you please contact Alison or Andrew,

#### **Message from Compassion UK**

"Thank you for the amazing generosity of all at St Alphege Church Seasalter. Your donation of £350 will be a huge blessing and will make an incredible difference in the lives of vulnerable mothers and babies in Togo. I will inform our finance team of this donation and ensure that it is allocated to the Different Path Appeal. Thank you again for your support of the work of Compassion UK. God Bless."

(Currently, the government is matching funding given to the Different Path appeal.)

### **Ladies' Daytime Prayer Group**

The ladies' prayer lunch meets on Thursday 30 May - 12.30 - 2.30 pm in the Beach room at SCC. All welcome.



#### **Bunny Baynton-Power**

Bunny Baynton-Power's service of thanksgiving was a special celebration of her life.

Many thanks to everyone who came and helped in any way.

With special thanks to Ann (Moreton).

#### **Doris Hyam**

Please pray for the Turner family Lesley, Mike, Jenny, Joshua, Rebekah and Lesley's sisters Janet, Susan, Gillian and Nicola on the death of Lesley's Mum, Doris Hyam, on Friday 17 May.

May she rest in peace and rise in glory.

## Prayer at the Heart



#### Immediate needs 2 - 4 weeks

Dorothy Vener. Tess. During May we will be praying for those living in Emelina Way, Speedwell Road and Trilby Way and during June for those living in Ibis Close, Major Close and Favourite Road.

#### Long term needs - up to 3 months

Dennis Spinner, please pray for him to get strong and stay free from illness. Lise Jennings, for relief from pain. Niamh, age 17 with a rare teenage sarcoma (Niamh is the niece of Carolyn who is a friend of Rosalind) and her family. Alan, following the death of his wife, Eileen, from cancer. Pat Andreae, for full restoration of movement in her upper arm after shoulder replacement surgery.

#### **Prayer Needs**

Please contact: Joan Moss 275522 or j.moss370@btinternet; Carol Judge 277752; or David and Lynda Kemp 272470

#### **Community Wardrobe**

Following the success of last year's Community Wardrobe we are going to repeat the project this year to again support local families cope with the cost of school uniform. It's a bit like a Foodbank, but with school uniform instead!



#### How can you help?

- Would you be happy to wash, mend and / or iron the school uniform that is donated? Do get in touch.
- Do you have any uniform that you can donate? Look out for one of the 'Community wardrobe' bins that will soon be available in our churches.
- Please spread the word and also pray for this project.

If you are able to help, especially with the washing, mending and ironing please let Becky or Jane know at Seasalter Christian Centre

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(seasalterchristiancentre@yahoo.co.uk or 01227 276923)



#### **GENTS!**

As usual if there are any gents out there willing to help serve at this event please get in touch with Rachel Berner on 07540 532504.

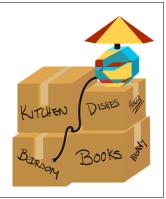


Thank you for all the lovely cards, gifts and messages given to me to congratulate me on my 50th birthday. I have been truly blessed. Love *Alison* 

#### **New Address**

Family Stubbings - Tim, Paulette, Kate (when she's home) and Lucy are now to be found at 26 Ladysmith Grove, Seasalter CT5 4BE - this is the new Vicarage. Telephone number: 07305 611437, email: seasaltervicar@gmail.com.

Thank you to all for your prayers and super-kind offers of food and practical help as we move and settle in. Hoping to organise 'open house' over the Summer. Love Paulette





# Please Pray for JOHN HUFFMAN

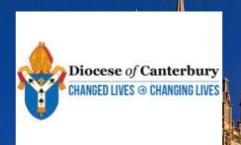
and all of those to be ordained this Petertide (29–30 June) across the Church of England.

Please pray also for Timi Huffman, Reverend Clifford Stocking, and the congregations of Holy Trinity Church, Margate where John will serve.

#### They do say never work with children.....

I was taking Joy Lane assembly last week and it was all about different signs and what they mean .....we went through a variety of signs from road signs to school badges to fire exits and my last sign was 'ichthus' the Christian symbol of a fish..........did anyone know what this one meant I asked the children......hands go up and I asked a child around 7 who was very keen and appeared quite confident......it's for Ossie's Fish and Chip shop in town......they do say never work with children! Jane

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DIOCESAN DAY OF PRAYER AND PILGRIMAGE

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June 20109

A fun day with a deep spiritual meaning too!
Come and join us as we walk to Canterbury
Cathedral from Whitstable on this day to join
with our other sisters and brothers in the Diocese
in a special afternoon in the Cathedral.

During the afternoon at the Cathedral there will be prayer opportunities around the cathedral, some prayer stations in the crypt and a focused hour of prayer beginning at 4.30pm connecting us all in prayer across the diocese. Closing worship at 5.30 pm – 6 pm.

Please bring a packed lunch and drink, good footwear and waterproof clothing, as we walk from All Saints Church, Church Street, Whitstable CT5 1PG to the Cathedral, leaving All Saints at 12 noon, arriving at the Cathedral sometime after 2.30pm. There are also refreshments available at the Cathedral if you prefer not to bring a packed lunch.

Please arrange transport back to Whitstable sometime after 6pm or use public transport.

Please let your own church leader know if you are intending to come and how many will be in your group so we don't set off without you!

Also please use All Saints as a drop off point rather than leaving your cars there as hall users have paid for the car park. Thank you!

PILGRIMAGE WALK FROM WHITSTABLE TO CANTERBURY CATHEDRAL

8th June 2019

As part of the Diocesan Day of Prayer and Pilgrimage

11.45am assemble for 12 noon start from All Saints church Whitstable





#### Novena 2019

Join once again with 50,000 people from around the world praying using the Novena materials between Friday 31 May and Saturday 8 June as part of the global prayer movement: Thy Kingdom Come.

prayermate.s3.amazonaws.com

There will be prayer booklets in church soon for people to collect, or you can use the PayerMate app on ios or Android.

#### MEN! SCC NEEDS YOU ...



... TO EAT FOOD!!

Men's steak night
Tuesday 28 May at
the Peter Cushing
(Wetherspoon's) in town
starting at 1930 hrs

#### **Thank You**

On behalf of Canterbury Food Bank I would like to thank you all for your continued support. Every week when I come to empty the yellow bin I find that you generous people have filled it with tins, jars and boxes for the local families who find themselves in crisis and need emergency food supplies. A lot of local families have cause to be very grateful to you all.

Once again, thank you all so much for your kindness and generosity.

Marian Russell



#### Third Age Fun Day

Friday 31 May 10am – 3pm