

Welcome² St Alphege, Seasalter at Seasalter Christian Centre

Your name(s)

Children's names and dates of birth

Address

Postcode

Telephone

Email

Today's date

Service attended	
Please tick:	
08.45	
10.10	
11.00	
11.15	



St Alphege, Seasalter

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

Name of Welcomer:



What's on regularly ...

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 Seasalter Old Church during March.

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 **7.15 pm** for 30 minutes.

Next week's services: 0845 Holy Communion, 1010 Lighthouse Service; 1100 All Age Service. Readings: Exodus 17:1-7; John 2: 13-22

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



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



Welcome to St Alphege, Seasalter Sunday 8 March 2020

Lent 2

Today's readings: Genesis 12: 1-4A; John 3: 1-17

Coronavirus (COVID-19)

An Important notice from The Diocese

In light of the recent outbreak of the Coronavirus, the following guidance has been received from The Diocese:

Churches should follow best-hygiene practices that include advising parishioners with coughs and sneezes to refrain from handshaking during The Peace and to receive Communion in one kind only.

At present, there is no Government advice that suggests the use of the Common Cup should be suspended.

It is also best practice for churches to have hand-sanitisers available for parishioners to use.

In addition, Priests presiding at the Eucharist, communion administrators and servers should wash their hands, preferably with an alcohol-based (minimum 60%) hand-sanitiser.

Dipping is not recommended (even by celebrants or communion administrators) as this represents an infection transmission route.

Best hygiene practice should continue to be observed in all pastoral contacts.

Please note that we will be following the above guidance with immediate effect and until such time that further guidance is received from The Diocese.

Please be aware that you have received Holy Communion if you have only received bread.

Our Values

All involved
Bearing witness
Creating community
Deepening discipleship
Encountering God
Finding friendship: fun and food
Giving generously

Everyone playing their part
Telling the Christian story
Loving and belonging
Following Jesus, becoming like him
Experiencing his presence
Laughing and sharing
Giving with gladness



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To book: email
ladiesministryteam@
stalphegeseasalter.org
or sign up at a Sunday
service

ST. ALPHEGE
SEASALTER
Ladies
Ministry

Ladies'
Breakfast
28th March 2020
8:45 - 11am



£5 pp

As at past events, we would be very grateful for a few gents to help with serving. If this is something you feel you can help with, please let Katy Burney know.

Thank You

Thank you very much for your prayers for my mum Clodagh. She is now recovering well and is home.
Love Sarah Brockman

Please Pray for the DCC

Please pray for the forthcoming DCC meeting on Tuesday 10 March. It looks as if the 2 main items will be the Children's Ministry and our first steps towards being an Eco Church.

Prayer at the Heart



Immediate needs 2 - 4 weeks

Liz Leaman (former headteacher at St. Mary's school) having two cornea operations as she is losing her sight. Rosalind, her daughters Tania and Jenny, following the death of Ian Drewitt, her ex husband and their father also for Carolyn his wife. Beryl Clarke and her husband Ray. Trudie (Walczak) may she know the love, presence and peace of the Lord each day; also for Zen (her husband) may he come to know Jesus as his Saviour and for their family. Diana, David's (Glanville) wife, in hospital with a broken hip following a fall. Bob Simmons for relief from pain. During March we will be praying for those living in Shearwater Avenue, Dove Close and Goldcrest Walk.

Long term needs - up to 3 months

Joan Moss, following her operation for skin cancer. Dorothy Vener. Andrea. Tess. Dennis Spinner, please pray for him to get strong and stay free from illness. Lise Jennings, for relief from pain. Frances Crocker's friend, Julia, who has a recurrence of cancer.

Prayer Needs

Please contact: Carol Judge 277752; or David and Lynda Kemp 272470
We also have a Prayer Requests page on Facebook, please let us know if you would like your prayer needs to be posted there.



Quiz Night

Saturday 14th March

7.00 for 7.30 p.m.

Seasalter Christian Centre

CT5 4AX

£5.00 per person

Bring your own drinks and nibbles

To book your place or a table of eight please ring

Jeannie or David Harwood 01227 271230

jeannieharwood@btinternet.com



You are warmly
invited to a Reculver
Deanery Event:

Wot the 'L' ?

Life, Love & Lambeth!

A Talk given by The Revd Dr David Vannerley on

Thursday 19th March 2020

7.30 pm at St Peter's Church,

Whitstable

<https://www.stpeterswhitstable.org.uk/location.html>

Want to know why the Lambeth Conference meets in Canterbury?

Want to know more about the history and workings of the Anglican Communion and how you – we – fit in?

Then why not come along and find out why – in this summer of 2020 – we are preparing to receive 2,000-plus visitors from all around the Anglican world.

Open to all. Do come and tell your friends!

Community Lunch

Everyone welcome



Friday 13 March at 1 pm

At Seasalter Christian Centre, 49 Faversham Road,

Seasalter, Whitstable CT5 4AX

£5 per person, includes tea or coffee after the meal

To reserve a place please phone 276923 or email

seasalterchristiancentre@yahoo.co.uk

Main: Gluten-free butcher's sausages *may contain dairy/soya* Or: Goat's cheese and beetroot farfalle with green pesto dressing *V gluten/dairy/pine/cashew nuts & egg (trace)* Mashed potatoes *dairy* Green beans/sliced carrots

Gluten-free gravy *contains celery & soya* or Onion Gravy *V gluten/*

Dessert: White chocolate and raspberry roulade *dairy/eggs*

Or: Fruit cocktail with Frank's Ice-cream *dairy*

Served with pouring cream at tables *dairy*

VACANCY

Bradbury Grange Care Home are looking for someone to go in and take a short service on Tuesday mornings and Sunday evenings.

This is a paid position and the applicant does not have to be ordained or a Methodist. Anyone interested would need to contact the home, which is situated in Canterbury Road, Whitstable, near the junction to Joy Lane.

Notices

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 by email to:

deaneves@msn.com

Paula

Also please note that a copy of these Notices, (as well as Unity Update) is posted on our website:

www.stalphegeseasalter.org



Saturday 28th March 2020

5pm start, finish around 6.30pm

St Andrews Church, Whitstable

Quiz rounds and games for all ages!

Teams of 8 max

(we can help make up teams)

£5 per person (Children under 12 free)

Soft drinks and nibbles provided

But feel free to bring along extras!



To book a table contact

Jane 07761963971 or

jane.myhill@btinternet.com

Fun for everyone!

All profits towards
Fellowship Afloat trip



Forgiveness, The Crux of The Matter



A day led by Rev. Lorraine Apps-Huggins

Chaplain at The Living Well

And Diocesan Advisor in Healing and Wholeness

Saturday 21st March 2020

10 am - 4 pm

Seasalter Christian Centre, Faversham Road

Seasalter, CT5 4AX

All welcome! Entry and lunch provided by donation.

For more information & to book please contact Diana High on 01227 262495 or john_high@sky.com



www.the-living-well.org.uk

Registered Charity No.: 1123792



prayer

Father in Heaven,
the light of your truth
bestows sight
to the darkness of sinful eyes.
May this season of repentance
bring us the blessing
of Your forgiveness
and the gift of Your light.
Grant this through Christ our
Lord.

DEEPENING Discipleship

Everyday faith in the making!



Sittingbourne, St Michael's Church

An 8 week course to grow our capacity to follow Jesus in the everyday

An 8 session course for those wishing to explore their journey of discipleship and calling. The course has been revised with emphasis on Ministry in the everyday.

Venue: St Michael's Church, High Street, Sittingbourne, ME10 4PG

Dates: 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 June 7, 14, 21 July 2020

Time: 7.30pm-9.30pm

Facilitated by: Revd Lesley Jones and Revd Alan Pinnegar

Closing date for applications: 12 May 2020

For more information contact slucas@diocant.org or visit www.canterburydiocese.org/deepeningdiscipleship

Our God given role in caring for the world

Join Jo and Georgie for Spring sunsets and refreshments to pray, plan and be proactive about the planet.

Join us if you are searching how to fulfil your God given role of caring for the earth He entrusted to us.

We are looking for planet missionaries to focus on the issues we are facing and workout what we as Christians can do to help.

Human activity is destroying God's beautiful planet; the forests, the ice caps, the coral etc. Scientists estimate that 150-200 species of plant, insect, bird and mammal become extinct every 24 hours! This is nearly 1,000 times the "natural" rate.

Thousands of species have gone extinct in your lifetime. It is all because of OUR human activity. All over the world people are also suffering the effects of climate change.

Join Georgie and Jo on Joy Lane Thursday evenings from Thursday 12th March at 7:30pm till 9pm for prayer about these matters, climate conversations, book shares and inspired action plans.

How can we be the change we want to be and use our spheres of influence at home, work and as a church to protect God's created world of plants, animals and people?

Overwhelmed? Anxious? Don't be. Our love for our God is our motive. Loving our God includes caring for HIS planet. TOGETHER we can make a difference.

Contact either Georgie on 07838148143 or Jo on 07910886467

AMENDED



money:course



A free course to help you manage your money better and learn to **budget, save and spend well**

Courses take place at
The Harbour Church
10 Harbour Street,
Whitstable.
CT5 1AQ

The next 3-week CAP Money Course is on
Mondays - 9th, 16th and 23rd March 2020 at 7.30pm

To book, go to www.capmoneycourse.org
or call Joyce on 07519858951

THIS IS FOR YOU! DO JOIN US IF YOU CAN.

budget. save. spend.

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday 19 April

St. Alphege Day - This is our Patronal Festival

More details to follow soon!

Used Stamps

Don't know what to do with your used stamps? Please collect them for a premature baby charity. You can give to Ann Price or can send direct to:

Octopus for a Preemie UK
PO BOX 16992
Sutton Coldfield B73 9YA



You are warmly invited to a Deanery Synod Open Evening:

Prayer, Pilgrimage & Changing Lives

An evening on prayer – and in prayer – as Lyndall Bywater and Peter Ingrams introduce our Canterbury Diocesan Changing Lives Prayer Network and share news/materials for this year's Day of Prayer & Pilgrimage (May 30th), with Bishop Rose, 'Thy Kingdom Come' prayer booklets, Monthly Diocesan Prayer Diary and more!

Monday 9th March 2020

7.00 pm for 7.30 pm at St Alphege Church, Whitstable

Open to all

Brief Deanery Synod business will be conducted at the end of the meeting, for those who are elected members.

Family Fun Day

Run by Lucerne Residents' Association and friends



Mothers' Day crafts • Jumble sale • Craft stalls • Nail painting • Games for Children • Sweet Sale • Tea/Coffee and cakes



Saturday 14 March

1.30 pm to 4.00 pm

at Seasalter Christian Centre, 49 Faversham Road,
Seasalter, Whitstable CT5 4AX
Costs £2 per family

Please come and support this event. All money raised supports Easter and summer events for the children on the estate.
Speak to Jill Freeman or Wendy Mulvey if you want more information.
Thank you!