

## Today

**Church Family BBQ today** after the service from 12 noon at The Blue Coat School, Edgbaston. Please remember to bring the things you signed up for and take an information leaflet from the table at the back, telling you all the other things you need to know. See you there!

## Looking Ahead

**Tue 14 Jul** **PCC meeting** at St Wulstans 7.45pm for 8.00pm.

**Tue 14 Jul** **CAP prayer meeting** at Christian Life Centre 8.00-9.15pm.

**Thu 16 Jul** **Monthly music team rehearsal** 8.15pm has moved from 23 Jul.

## News and Requests

**Building for the Future** the scaffolding is now out of the church and you can see from the foyer, through the big hole in the west wall, right to the east end. It's a lovely space!

**Save these dates: 2<sup>nd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> Oct** Opening Weekend of new St Stephen's Parish Centre and Church. Lots of events for all! **23<sup>rd</sup>-25<sup>th</sup> Oct** Church weekend away at Hothorpe Hall. More information about both these weekends soon, but *please pencil them in your diary now!*

**Summer Socials** Would you like to organize a social event for the church family for a Wednesday in August (12th, 19th, 26th)? Or it could even be July 29th or September 2nd. It can be almost anything you like! Please contact Gina in the Parish Office.

**Women's Book Group** Mon 21 Sep 8.00 - 9.30pm at Joanne Butler's house, discussing "When People are Big and God is Small" by Edward Welch. Do get a copy, read it through the summer, and join us in September! Linnet Harvey will be doing a group order on Mon 6 Jul, so please do tell her today if you would like a copy of the book.

**Holiday Club needs garden canes and old sheets** for making wigwams! Do you have any you could donate? Please see Helen Buckley. Thanks.

**Do you have any spare furniture** for Wendy Skoczen, who has just moved into an unfurnished house. Please speak to Wendy or Elizabeth/Christopher Barry.

**Room needed to rent** for a student at this church in her final year, Sep '15-Jun '16. A fairly quiet, early rising household with place to store her bike, within walking distance to campus. Please contact Lizzie Farrow.

**Patient and adaptable female needed** for a young woman with visual impairment and mental health issues, to give her support in accessing the community and maintaining a healthy lifestyle. 6 hours per week, flexible. £9 per hour.

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**ST STEPHENS AND ST WULSTANS SELLY PARK**



taking Jesus seriously, taking the Bible seriously

## Welcome

**5<sup>th</sup> July 2015**

*If you are new, you are especially welcome. Please help yourself to a Welcome booklet and, if you have time, introduce yourself and ask any questions you may have.*

### 10.00am All-Age Service

'Ten Words: A special name' (Deuteronomy 5:11) – Helen Buckley

**Children and young people** will stay in the service today.

**0-3s** are welcome to stay in the service, but should you require it there is a crèche in the back room that is available throughout the service.

**Toilets** are in the foyer, baby-changing facilities are in the disabled toilet.

**Coffee, tea and biscuits** are served after the service.

### 6.00pm Evening Service with Holy Communion

'Shared Life: Be devoted to one another' (Romans 12:9-16) – Chris Hobbs

**Coffee, tea and cakes** are served after the service.

*Chris Hobbs, Senior Minister (Vicar)*

OPENING PRAYER *led by Andy Martin*

SONG Come people of the risen King

CONFESSION and ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

SONG I'm following the King

NAME GAME

BIBLE READINGS Deuteronomy 5:1-11 (page 184), Acts 4:1-22 (page 1095)  
(This is the word of the Lord; **Thanks be to God**)

TALK Ten Words: A special name

SONG Come gather everyone and listen

PRAYERS ending with THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.**

NEWS

HYMN At the name of Jesus

CLOSING PRAYER

The love of the Lord Jesus draw you to Himself,  
The power of the Lord Jesus strengthen you in His service,  
The joy of the Lord Jesus fill your hearts;  
And the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

*COLLECTION Gifts may be placed in the Gifts box at the back*

SONGS From the highest of heights  
Oh, the mercy of God

PRAYER OF PREPARATION *led by Andy Martin*

CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

**Almighty God, Creator of all. You marvellously made us in your image; but we have rebelled against you, by rejecting your love and hurting our neighbours. We have done wrong and neglected to do right. We are sincerely sorry and truly repent of our sins. Cleanse us and forgive us by the death of your Son; remake us and lead us by your Spirit, the Comforter. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

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SONG Holy Spirit, living breath of God

BIBLE READINGS John 14:15-31 (page 1082), Romans 12:1-16 (page 1139)  
(This is the word of the Lord; **Thanks be to God**)

SERMON Shared Life: Be devoted to one another

INSIGHTS AND QUESTIONS

SONG Oh to see the dawn

COMMUNION (*see insert*)

NEWS

HYMN When I survey the wondrous cross

BLESSING

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.  
**Amen.**