

This Week

Tue
14

CAP Prayer Meeting, 7.45pm at St Stephen's, in the Tyndale Room

CAP Money Course continues, 7.00-9.00pm at St Stephen's, in Cranmer Room

Wed
15

Day Centre (for older people) 10am – 2.30pm

Thu
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Cross-Section Bible Study (Y10-13) 4.30-5.30pm
Explorers (Y2-6) 6.00 – 7.00pm
Club 114 (Y7-9) 6.30 – 8.00pm

Fri
17

Stay and Play (baby and toddler group) 10.00am – 11.30am

Sun
19

Suffering Church Sunday. Church family lunch - followed by (1 - 2 pm) a presentation from Open Doors, with Activities for children.

*There are weekly **Fellowship Groups**, on Tuesday Mornings and Wednesday evenings. Speak to a member of the staff team to find out more.*

Looking Ahead

Fri 1
Dec

Christmas Craft Evening. Tickets available from Jem Huggins. (£10, incl ring, bling & refreshments.)

Sat 9
Dec

Christmas Adventure. 2-4pm. Fun for all the family – with real life nativity animals! Tickets (£5) available from Helen Buckley.

Mon 8
Jan

Women's Book Group. "The Life You Never Expected" by Andrew & Rachel Wilson. All women welcome. Speak to Chris Stonehouse or Elizabeth Barry for more information.

Sat 13
Jan

Church Family Walk (in the afternoon). More details to follow. Sadly there isn't an autumn walk outside of the Weekend Away.

News and Requests

We are updating the **Church Family Address Book and Prayer Guide**. To comply with data protection we need your permission for your details to be in the book. This means you have to opt in by filling out the yellow card and returning it to us. If you don't return the form we will include you by name, but list no other details for you.

If you are new to church, or are not yet in the book, please fill out a form so that church family can pray for and contact you. **The deadline for the forms is Sun 19 Nov.**

Books will be available in December, and they will be for those who are in the book. We would also love to include as many photos as possible, please send these to: jem.huggins@sssw.org.uk

Needed: donations of plain white pillowcases/ cushion covers for club 114? If you have any please let Imogen know. An old mobile phone for a CAP client? Speak to Nick Devas if you have one.

Table free to a good home. Lovely table with drawers (currently residing in the Whitefield Room) is free to anyone who can take it.



ST STEPHENS AND ST WULSTANS SELLY PARK

12th November 2017

making and maturing disciples of
Jesus Christ in Birmingham
and for the world

Church Family Weekend Away. No 10am service.

6.00pm Evening Service

Born again Christianity

Titus 3:1-7

Chris Hobbs

Refreshments are served after the services.

Toilets are in the foyer and upstairs; baby-changing facilities are in the disabled toilets.

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New? Welcome!



You are very welcome – whether you are looking into Christianity for the first time, have been a Christian for years, or are looking for a church in Birmingham.



Please complete the tear-off slip overleaf and give it to one of the staff or welcome team wearing a badge, or place it in the Gifts Box in the foyer. We will get in touch with you shortly. Please also help yourself to a Welcome Booklet from the display in the Foyer.

Name/s

Address

Phone

Email

I would like to know more about:

- Being a Christian
- Newcomers' events
- Small Groups
- Pre-school activities
- Children's / Youth Work
- Student events
- Giving to the church
- Other

Sermon Notes:

Born again Christianity

Titus 3:1-7.

Missed a sermon recently? Visit www.sssw.org.uk

Evening Service

OPENING PRAYER *Andy Martin*

HYMN Abide with me

ACT OF REMEMBRANCE

SONG Jesus is Lord, the cry that echoes

CONFESSION

Lord God, we have sinned against you; we have done evil in your sight. We are sorry and repent. Have mercy on us according to your love. Wash away our wrongdoing and cleanse us from our sin. Renew a right spirit within us and restore us to the joy of your salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYERS *Dawn Evans*

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

SONGS When trails come
There is a hope

BIBLE READING *Imogen Prasad*
John 3:1-16 (page 1065)
Titus 3:1-7 (page 1199)

SERMON *Chris Hobbs*
Born again Christianity

INSIGHTS AND QUESTIONS

SONG When peace like a river

CLOSING PRAYER

Please stay on for tea/coffee and cake.