

Welcome to St Stephen's Church



We are delighted that you are here at St Stephen's today. We are a lively and dynamic church with lots going on both within our walls and outside. If this is your first visit our hope is that you feel welcomed, included and relaxed. Please fill out a **hello card** so we can keep in touch. Enjoy your visit and we hope that you are able to meet with God through our services.

Sunday 14 October Trinity 20

9am **Holy Communion with Clive Richardson**

10.45am **Morning Worship**

Readings

Isaiah 53: 4 - end (p740), Mark 10: 35 - 45 (p1015)

Prayer Points

Mission Partners Please pray for the **Rivers of Life Church, Guatemala**. For the open day for the medical clinic to be held on the 20th of October. Please pray for those who are coming looking for medical attention and medicine. Pray that they also find God's grace, and love. Pray for the doctors, nurses etc who volunteer this day. Pray for the congregation and the pastor Julio Say. May they be united looking forward to spreading God's Good News in Guatemala. Pray for the building project. There have been plans for rebuilding and expanding the existing premises for many years. May God keep providing the means to make these plans a reality.

Parish Roads Vicarage Lane

General For the candidates that have been shortlisted this week for interview to be our new incumbent.

Next Week Sunday 28 October

10am **Harvest Celebration with Bishop Ian Brackley
with Tearfund Speaker followed by Harvest Food Waste Brunch**

This week

More details on our website

Sunday 21

9am	Holy Communion	Church
10.45am	Morning Worship	Church
4pm	Chestnut View	Chestnut View

Monday 22

9.15am	Centring Prayer	Church
7.30pm	Praise and Prayer	Church

Tuesday 23

9am	Morning Prayer	Church
12.30pm	Area Prayers	Our Lady of Lourdes

Thursday 25

10am	Thursday Communion	Church
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Saturday 27

2pm	Shanty Group Entertainment and Afternoon Tea	Church
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Normal Office and Prayer Space opening hours each week

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday 9am-3pm **Thursday** OFFICE CLOSED **Friday** 9am-3pm

Coming up

October-November

October

- 27 **Walking Group from Haslemere to Alton meet at 8.30am at church**
Alton (14¾ miles) via Headley and Kingsley, with get out points for a shorter walk. Bring a packed lunch, weather-appropriate clothing, and train fare home. Contact Simon (simon_burchell@yahoo.co.uk).
- 28 **Harvest Service and Food Waste Bring and Share Brunch**
Join us for our Harvest service at 10am with Tearfund speaker. You are invited to bring along a dish using leftover food that would otherwise be wasted, and to drop these off in the Cross before the service. See our new recipe leaflet. Donations taken of non-perishable items for the Haslemere Foodbank. New list at the back of church.
- 31 **Light Party at 3C Church, Hammer 4.30pm-6.30pm**
Lots of fun including disco, face painting, singing, treats, hot dogs, hot Chocolate and more!. Dress up as your favourite superhero, prizes for best dressed child and adult! £2 per child – Just turn up!

November

- 3 **Shottermill House Fundraising Event 10-11.30am**
Join us as we raise funds for a new PA system. Homemade cakes, coffee and biscuits and a chance to meet and chat with the residents.
- 4 **Memorial Service of Reflection and Thanksgiving 3pm**
A short service for those who have been bereaved, to remember and give thanks by lighting a candle and to have their name read out. If you would like to attend, please contact the office with the names of those you would like to remember.
- 5 **Refugee Support Event at St Saviour's Church, 9.30am to 1pm.**
Join us for this conference by Guildford Diocese to update current progress and review future refugee support by our Diocese. Key note speakers include Bishop Andrew, Maurice Wren CEO of Refugee Council. If you cannot attend but would still like to be involved, contact Jenny Parsons
- 22 **Ladies Springs Evening at 3 Counties Church Doors open 7pm**
The Springs Group will be hosting an event with Esther Pritchard as speaker. Esther's seascape painting is inspired by the love and creativity of God the father. Wine, cheese & nibbles with free admission, donations welcome. Contact Jill Soar or Julie Fox
- 23 **Quiz night at St Stephen's from 7pm**
Date for your diary! More details to follow

Notices

Operation Christmas Child 2018

Now is the time to start thinking about filling a shoe box with gifts for a girl or boy. Pre-printed shoeboxes and instructions are available at the back of church. More info at: <https://www.samaritans-purse.org.uk/2018-Operation-Christmas-Child-Resources>.

Please return your filled boxes (and leave at the back of church) by Sunday 4 November. Any queries, please contact Michele Webb (01428 645126) or email: michelewebb@uwclub.net

Volunteers Needed

Instrumental Musicians – Contact Andy or Jim

Sound Team (once a month) – Contact the office

Welcomers for the 10.45 service – Contact Claire Honeywood

Contacts

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General

Parking

Please be considerate when parking. If you park in the company car park opposite the church avoid the spaces reserved for the residential flats and please don't park in front of the gate.

Hearing Loop

Available, on the left hand side of the church, ideally sit near to the sound desk and switch your aids to the T setting. If it is not working please tell the sound desk during the service.

Ministry Team

The ministry team is available at each service to pray with you. Please come for prayer in confidence, for encouragement or to give thanks.

Donations

If you'd like to donate to the continuing work of this Church our bank details are: CAF Bank: St Stephen's Shottermill PCC, s/c 405240, acc no 00017958. Or fill out one of the 'pour out a blessing' envelopes at the back of church.