

Welcome to St Stephen's Church



We are delighted that you are joining with us at St Stephen's today. If this is your first visit our hope is that you feel welcomed, included and relaxed. Please take one of our **HELLO** cards so we can keep in touch. You can also complete your details on our website. Enjoy your visit and we hope that you are able to meet with God through our services.

Sunday 26 June

Trinity 2

9am	Holy Communion with Rev John Baxter	
10.45am	Holy Communion	
Readings	Galatians 5: 1, 13-25	Luke 9: 51-end

Prayer points for this week

Mission Partners for the Month of June.

We continue praying for the work of **Acorn Christian Healing Foundation**. Please pray: Acorn has changed significantly over the past few years and many of us are still adjusting to the changes. However, what has not changed is our firm belief that Jesus does heal today. If you would like to experience this, then please come to the Surrey Healing Hub healing service which is presently held on the second Saturday in the month at St Albans Hindhead from 1.30pm to 3.30pm. There will also be a meeting on the 9 July, although we are taking a break in August.

Parish Roads Pitfold Avenue

General We pray for all those that are ill and suffering at this time, Elizabeth, Angie, Hazel, Andrew, and Morag.
We pray for Jenn and the whole family as they prepare for their move to Farnborough.
We pray for James Hanson as he prepares to be ordained priest at Guildford Cathedral on Saturday 2 July at 3pm

Next Week

Sunday 3 July

Trinity 3

9am	Holy Communion with Rev John Baxter	
10.45am	NO 10.45am Service - Please join the Fringe Festival Ecumenical Service on Lion Green at 10.15am	

This week

More details on our website www.shottermillparish.org.uk

Sunday 26

9am	Holy Communion	Church
10.45am	Holy Communion	Church

Tuesday 28

1pm	Noah's Ark Stay and Play	Church
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Wednesday 29

8.45am	Rainbow Coffee	Church
10am	Private Prayer	Church

Sunday 3

9am	Holy Communion	Church
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No 10.45am service in church – Do please join the Fringe Festival Ecumenical service on Lion Green at 10.15am. St Stephen's will be joining with 3C Vineyard.

Normal Office and Prayer Space opening hours this week

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 9am-3.30pm Thursday OFFICE CLOSED

Coming up

June

Tues & Fri

Morning Prayer Online at 7.30am via our Daily Prayer Facebook Page

A new term programme of readings for June is now available at the back of church and on our website [HERE](#)

Morning Prayer online will stop broadcasting at the end of July

July

Sunday 3

Fringe Festival Ecumenical Service on Lion Green at 10.15am

Please note, there will be the usual 9am service in church but NO 10.45am service. Please go and join in with the service on Lion Green.

Tues 5 / Wed 6

Global Ministerial on Freedom of Religion or Belief (FoRB)

The UK is hosting soon its first FoRB Global Ministerial conference. As chair of the UK FoRB, Mervyn Thomas of our Mission Partner CSW is in a key role. With ever growing numbers of refugees and countries with severe persecution of minorities, please pray for meaningful action at this summit to bear much fruit for the millions who suffer worldwide.

See www.ukforbforum.org/international-ministerial-conference-2022 and www.londonforbfringe.com for information and the many actual and online events. *Jenny Parsons, Mission Partnership Team*

Wednesday 6

Ladies Drinks at The Mill from 6pm

Join us for a drink of your choice. If you have not come along before, do come and see us! We meet at The Mill by Shottermill ponds, they have a great garden to sit in.

Sunday 17

Farewell Service for Jenn and Family

As we say goodbye to Jenn and the family as they prepare for their move to Farnborough, there will be a special service led by Archdeacon Paul. Details to follow.

Wednesday 20

New Monthly Lunch Club. 12.30pm in church. Everyone Welcome

Following on from our successful Lent Lunches and Jubilee Lunch we now have a monthly Lunch Club on the 3rd Wednesday of the month. Primarily the lunch will be to enjoy good home cooked food and a chat, but we will have a short time of prayer as we pray for those who are sick and unwell and those areas of concern in our community and the world. Please book in via ChurchSuite [HERE](#), so we know numbers to cater for.

Notices

Collection for Jenn and the family

If you would like to contribute to the collection for Jenn, you are able to do this online through ChurchSuite or cash in a marked envelope to the office.

<https://ststephensshottermill.churchsuite.com/events/hinvplvr>

There is a farewell card you are able to sign on the table at the back of church

Accommodation Needed

Raj is an Egyptian Christian I'm his thirties who has been working as a missionary to Muslim communities in Leicester over the last few years. Unfortunately, his missionary visa has come to an end. After much prayer, he has secured a job in Haslemere Pilgrim Homes as a carer, but needs affordable accommodation to be able to secure his working visa here in the UK. He is hoping to find a Christian family/household who he can lodge with so he can work at Pilgrim Homes. He would be able to contribute to rent. He speaks English and is a servant hearted man who has been supported by our church here in Leicester. Email jonathan22.macqueen@gmail.com if they would like to speak further/could help in any way.

Church & Churchyard Gardens

Anne Laver would like a team of helpers for occasional light gardening at times tba to keep the immediate areas around our buildings neat, tidy and colourful. Please speak to Anne or call 653489 if you would consider joining in.

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Ways of giving – We have a contactless GoodBox machine at the back of church, easy to use by paying with your debit or credit card, if you need help please speak to our churchwardens or the welcomer to donate to our church funds. Cash always welcome in the donation box.

You can also make a donation to St Stephen's via our unique QR code. Just scan the QR code with your phone and you will be directed to our Stewardship Fundraising page. Or by BACS to: 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. Thank you.

