

Week beginning 18th June

Tues 19 June	9 am	Church Prayers, St Stephen's
Weds 20 June	9.30am	Little Bears, St Thomas'
Mon18/Thurs 21 June	7pm	Youth Nights, St Stephens

Dates for your diary

1 July	St Thomas' Day Fair
15 July	All Age picnic after Church
1-3 March 2019	Church weekend at home

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This week's office hours are 9am-1pm Monday to Thursday
We implement 'A Safe Church Procedure' to ensure all are protected.



Sunday 17th June 2018

10.15 am **Morning Worship**

Readings: **Galatians 5:26 – 6:18**

5pm **Questionnaires on the local estates, followed by**
7pm **Prayer School at St Stephen's with Communion**

Children and young people leave for their groups after the first songs.

Please ask one of the welcome team if you would like
a large print copy of the service words.

We offer prayer after the morning service, in the sofa area at the front.

We do not take a regular collection during the service. If you are a
visitor, please do not feel obliged to give. If you do wish to give, there is
a collection box by the last row of pews and Gift Aid forms are available.

We hope you enjoyed the service.
Please stay for refreshments afterwards.

If you are new, we would love to meet you at the welcome desk at the
end of the service. Please fill in a blue 'Get Connected' card.

Notices

World Cup on the big screen, Mon 18 June, 7pm, St Stephen's

We are showing England's opening game (versus Tunisia) tomorrow on the big screen at St Stephen's. Do invite friends. Soft drinks and half-time hot dogs provided. Please bring any other drinks.

St Thomas' Day, Sunday 1 July

Plans are underway for our annual St Thomas' Day Garden Party on Sunday 1st July straight after Morning Worship till 2pm. Come and join the fun with a BBQ, bouncy castle, cakes, stalls, games and crafts! Want to get involved? Let Kate Morrison know at bookings@stwss.org.uk

Questionnaires on the local estates, this Sunday at 5pm

A group of us from church have started to go onto the local estates to ask people what they think the church should be doing, what they think of church, what would encourage them to come etc. We have been very warmly received and will be going out again this Sunday. Meet at St Stephen's at 5pm. Back for Prayer School at 7pm.

St Thomas' Café - Feeling Inspired?

We have had lots of suggestions for the cafe name including: Tom & Steve's, Dawn, Bright Lights, The Welcome Cafe, Milk & Honey, Sanctuary, The Hub, Rest @ St T's, Daily Bread, The Chapel, Loaf, Rise, Time for Tea. Keep them coming or vote for a favourite from the above!

Café Manager Opportunities at St Thomas'

We are looking for a full time General Manager with catering experience as well as a Part Time Manager to support the General Manager. Monday - Friday, term time only. For more information, please go to: stwss.org.uk/work-for-us or email: bookings@stwss.org.uk

Lambeth Country Show 21 & 22 July 2018

2 volunteers needed from 2-4 pm on Sat 21 July to welcome visitors to the Deanery stand & chat with them. Training will be on 17 July, 8pm at St Thomas. For further information please speak to Jane Andrews.

Intern recruitment for September 2018

We are now advertising for a Youth and a Kids Intern for next academic year. More details at stwss.org.uk/work-for-us. Please pass them on to anyone you think might be interested. We are also looking for offers to host them for 5 or 10 months, with financial subsidy available. Speak to Sam, Susie or Martin for more information.

Join the Youth Team!

Our Youth Ministry continues to grow and we'd love our team to expand. The Older Youth meets on Monday nights, 7-9pm and the Younger Youth meets on Thursday nights, 7-8.30pm. Do you want to see young people from many backgrounds grow in faith? Could you join the team? Speak to Sam!

Eileen's leaving do, Sunday 24 June, St Thomas'

After more than 30 years as part of our church family, and the last 12 as a Reader, Eileen Ross is retiring to Littlehampton. Please join her after the 10.15 service on 24th June for cake and fizz at the back of church. If you wish to contribute to her leaving gift, please put your contributions in an envelope marked 'Eileen Ross gift' and give it to Sarah Bee on Sunday mornings, hand it into the office or make a bank transfer to: 60-40-05 account number 41511131 with reference 'ERoss'.

Prayers

For Rosalind Powlesland and all those known to us who are unwell

For our young people as they do their exams. That they will know God's peace and how much God values them.

For Terry's daughter Maureen, recently diagnosed with pancreatic and liver cancer, and for her husband Wayne, on long term dialysis.

Please use the dark blue prayer cards and prayer box to let us know of any requests and answered prayers.