



St James' West End

PEW NEWS

Sunday 4th September 2016

Today

6.30pm Sung Evensong

Next Sunday 11th September

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Parish Eucharist & Pathfinders

11.00am Church Alive

12.30pm Baptisms

6.30pm Prayer and Reflection

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Morning prayer 9am Thurs and Friday in the Lady Chapel

Mon 5 th	11.30am	Lunch Club
Tue 6 th	8.00pm	Choir practice
Wed 7 th	9.15am	Stay & Play parent and toddler group
	10.00am	Holy Communion
	11.00am	Ministry Team meeting
	2.00pm	Funeral of Alan Cardy in Church
Thu 8 th	9.30am	Open Door at Harefield Surgery
	12noon	Churches Together in Hall
	1.00pm	Funeral of Millis Hancock, Wessex Vale
	7.00pm	Church Alive meeting in Vestry
Fri 9 th	11.00am	Lincoln Court communion
	2.30pm	Funeral of Valerie Caesar, Wessex Vale
	2.30pm	Social Group Tea
Sun 11 th	2.30pm	Dawson Lodge service

SOCIAL GROUP TEA "SEASIDE" This Friday (9th September) 2:30 – 4:30 pm in the hall. Tickets on sale now £3.50 each from Margaret Baker.

THE CHILDREN'S SOCIETY BAKE AND BREW will be held on 18th September between the Parish Eucharist and Church Alive services.

STAY & PLAY RETURNS! Not only are schools back this week but Stay & Play returns on Wednesdays during term time from 9.15am – 10.45am. For parents, carers, grandparents and young children. Play, stories, singing, refreshments. £1 entry.

LEARNING GROUPS, SHORT COURSES, CONFIRMATION. Would you like to join a discussion group or consider getting confirmed? Please sign the list at the back of church if interested or speak to Thomas or Linda. Suitable for everyone including those looking towards Confirmation. More details in the September magazine. Why not give it a try? Speak to Thomas or Linda if you want to find out more.

NATIONAL RIDE & STRIDE WEEKEND SATURDAY 10TH SEPT Next Saturday St. James' Church will be open as part of National Ride & Stride weekend. A sponsored bike ride or walk for people to explore and visit historical churches, get some exercise and have fun. Money raised helps fund future repairs of historic places of worship. <http://www.rideandstrideuk.org/>

HOPE HARVEST LUNCH Sunday 25th September. Come and join us for a delicious lunch to celebrate Harvest Festival in the church hall starting at 12 noon. Tickets on sale now at £6 adult, £3 child and £15 family (2 adults + 2 children) from Fiona Weston after the 9.30 Sunday Service or phone 023 8046 5592. We look forward to seeing you there.

SHOE BOX APPEAL organised by the Rotary Club for disadvantaged children in Albania, Montenegro, Moldova and Romania. Please bring your boxes for collection by 2nd October. Leaflets at the back of Church.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

10th September Ride & Stride weekend

25th September Harvest Festival joint service 10.30am with choir followed by Hope Harvest Lunch

8th October Carol Kidd's licensing as Licensed Lay Minister at Winchester Cathedral

22nd October "Come and Sing": programme to include "Zadok the Priest"

9th – 11th Dec Christmas Tree Festival

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