SKCC news for week beginning 7th April



Today we have our All-Age Service, starting with refreshments at 10.15 a.m. The 'Jesus is...' theme continues with Jesus is Saviour and Redeemer. *Please note: we will not be livestreaming the service to Facebook this morning.*



CHURCHESTOGETHER

TONIGHT - Prayer and Praise 6 p.m. at Harbour Church

A coming together of Folkestone churches for an evening of worship and prophetically praying over the town.

CORPORATE PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

Monday, Wednesday & Friday: 6.30 a.m. via ZOOM ID 881 1066 7099 PCODE 070958 Or click here <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88110667099</u> pwd=TEtWMnRjSExKUk1TUWJzRGRDb1R3Zz09

Tuesday: 9.30 a.m. The Cornerstone Centre led by Theresa

Serving Tea & Coffee on Sundays

We need two volunteers to join the team NEXT Sunday 14th April. If you can help, please speak to Joyce or Hannah, or contact the church office.



Charity Fundraising Concert

SNOWDOWN COLLIERY WELFARE MALE VOICE CHOIR

> Saturday 13th April 2024 at 7:30 p.m.

South Kent Community Church,

Folkestone, CT20 2QR

Tickets £10 Each



Scan the QR code to book your tickets or see John F. Worship Evenings: Wednesday 10th and Thursday 18th April

7.30 – 9.30 p.m. at The Cornerstone Centre.



Come and join us for an evening of unhurried worship. We understand life can be busy, so if you can't join us for the whole time, feel free to come and go.

Day time Connect Groups meet this week. See James, Phil or Vincent for details

Connect Groups Update

Hopefully, you will have seen the communication about Connect Groups. Here is a summary of a few things to check:

| 7 th April | Begin to use the sign-up sheets to indicate your preferred meeting day, both 1 st and 2 nd choice. This will help us build the new groups. |
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| 23 rd April | An evening to update, share and shape next steps. |
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20th May Connect Groups resume.

Due to the Easter holiday the following events will **NOT** be taking place. Please note new dates below:



 resuming on 15th April. A new sign-up sheet for cakes is on the notice board

GALATIANS Bible Study - resuming on 16th April



- resuming on 17th April



- resuming on 3rd May



If you are new to SKCC and would like to find out more about us and what we do please complete a 'get connected' card from the foyer and pop it in the office post box or contact the church office on **01303 251155** or **hello@skcc.info**

Further information is also available on the website www.skcc.info

For more news - see page 2

To make a 'one-off' gift to SKCC scan the QR code here or use the Payaz machine in the main hall.



Congratulations

Please join us in congratulating Wendy Homewood who was recognised for her service to the local community and church by being a recipient of the King's Maundy Money purses. This took place at the Royal Maundy Service last Thursday in Worcester Cathedral and were presented to her by Queen Camilla on behalf of King Charles.

Wendy was nominated by Bishop Rose Hudson-Wilkin who had heard of all that she has been involved in locally following her return from China in 2011 including the following volunteer roles:

Drop In, Folkestone Winter shelter, Urban Pastors (run by Cheriton Baptist Church) including going into local secondary schools, and a befriender of those in financial crisis with Christians Against Poverty. She also helped with the Hope bus explaining the Christian faith and looking our for and praying with those on the streets who needed it

In the last few years, Wendy has had to give up many of these activities due to deteriorating eyesight but she continues to faithfully attend 4 weekly SKCC prayer meetings, speak out for the vulnerable, particularly the health of expectant mothers and unborn children in the South and South East pro-life movement, and meeting with those who are new to the Christian faith helping guide and pray with them, regardless of their circumstances or background.

Wendy is recognised locally walking along the Folkestone Leas. She will stop and speak to anyone she encounters who might need encouragement and offers to pray with them.

Help Needed – Angie Martin needs transport to Heathrow airport on Friday 26th April. She has to arrive 2 hours before her flight at 13:05. If you can help, please either speak to Angie, or contact the church office on 01303 251155 or <u>hello@skcc.info</u>







Whether you're a leader in the church, in business, in the community, a small group, prophetically, pastorally, with youth/children, then this Day is for YOU.

Aled Griffith from the Synergy family of churches will be sharing with us on the theme of 'Power in Weakness', there will also be some short TED-Talk style messages and plenty of time to enjoy connecting and building relationally as leaders and friends as well as time to worship and pray together.

Lunch and refreshments are included, Cost £30.

For further info see James or Fiona or to book, scan the QR code.

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Forge Summer Camp

We are really excited to be joining with our friends from Forge for our very first summer camp.

Hosted at Ashburnham Place in East Sussex there are options to stay in the house or to camp under the stars!

The event planning is well under way, with a fun packed programme including worship, teaching, kids & youth work, afternoon activities/ after hours entertainment, as well as plenty of space to relax and make the most of the wonderful surroundings at Ashburnham Place.

Why not come along? To book use the QR code on the advert.