

# Weekly Reminder 11 July 2021



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**For Links to all services, please see the June News Sheet ( available on the website)**

**All information is emailed to those on the Church Distribution list.**

If you would like to be included on this list, please contact Denise in the Church Office (see above)

## Church Services in the Church Building

You will not need a ticket to attend the 8am and 6pm Services, but tickets for the 10am services, can be accessed using the Eventbrite ticketing system.

Tickets for the services available from: <https://stjohnschurchkenilworth.eventbrite.co.uk>

We have extended this system until mid July, when we will re-assess. Children do not need tickets

If you do not have access to the internet and would still like to attend, please contact the Church Office to be added to Denise's list. Places will be given on a first come first served basis. The 10am and 6pm Services will also be live-streamed on YouTube

## Live Streaming Services from Church: Video Consent

Please fill in a video consent form if you are OK with being filmed when we live stream services (see previous week's updates for details)

## Help Needed.

As we move back into the Church building, there will be various ways in which you may be able to serve. The tech team, welcome team, refreshments team, Youth, set up and take down - and a myriad of other things. If you would like to serve in any of these teams, please contact Denise in the Church Office eg we need someone to welcome people on the 3rd Sunday of the month at the 10am.

## Resourcing Bible Studies

Live streamed 9-9.45am on Thursdays. Available on our youtube channel and website to watch again after that. We will be studying the Book of Hebrews.

## Drop IN



Friday Mornings at St John's, Warwick Road  
10am-12 noon

Free Toast and coffee/tea  
Everyone Welcome

Stay for a chat

For details, please contact:  
The Church Office:  
01926 853203  
[admin@stjohn316.co.uk](mailto:admin@stjohn316.co.uk)



Tea, coffee, biscuits and chat.  
To restart on 23rd July.

10am to 12 noon in the church.

Due to COVID, there will be a limit on numbers and people will be asked to sign in.

## New Orchestra for Cov City of Culture

To celebrate Coventry's City of Culture, local musician, **Seb Farrall**, is calling on all musicians to get involved in an exciting musical project.

As part of Coventry Central Hall's City of Culture "Artists in Residence Programme" (AiR), Seb is starting a brand new orchestra. The AiR programme is funded by Coventry and Nuneaton Methodist circuit and supported by Methodist Church at Coventry Central Hall. Membership of the orchestra is open to all and rehearsals begin in September 2021, working towards a large-scale celebration concert in April 2022 at Central Hall.

To find out more and register for the orchestra, please head to [www.coventryorchestra.co.uk](http://www.coventryorchestra.co.uk)

Press Pack: [https://www.dropbox.com/sh/4gij002gtxk0l5q/AADlJa\\_9ShUCEuQ37Mjnh5jea?dl=0%C2%A0](https://www.dropbox.com/sh/4gij002gtxk0l5q/AADlJa_9ShUCEuQ37Mjnh5jea?dl=0%C2%A0)

# Prayer Topics

## Those who are Unwell

Eloise Lawson (for details, see [eloisezoe.com](http://eloisezoe.com) )  
Chris and Daphne Thomas (Chris has moved to The Grange),  
Hannah Montagu , Leyann and Ray,  
Mavis Tingay (awaiting diagnosis and referral)  
Ron Newbold, Ann Reeder,  
Jeremy (stem cell transplant and recovery)  
Michael  
Rachel Easters dad Ray Hepburn who has terminal cancer

## The Bereaved

The family and friends of Chris Thomas  
Lindsey Attwood and family

Michelle Harris, our youth leader  
Our young people  
The people affected the brutality of others and by natural disasters  
The effects of Covid  
Tastelife, Spring Playgroup (see below), Flourish, Restored Lives, CHIT.  
The Royal Family  
Broken Families  
Chris Waters  
The Stoker Family  
Unity in the Church.  
Thanks that lockdown will soon be over  
Those new to the Faith  
Those moving house  
The Lonely and Depressed  
Churches ostracised for standing up for Biblical Principles  
Peace in Jerusalem and the rest of Israel and surrounding countries

## Spring Playgroup

Thank you all once again for your continued prayer with us. We are grateful for your support and we see, every day, God's hand in the life of the Spring Playgroup and Preschool.

We are coming to the end of another school year which of course has had its many challenges. We are so grateful for God's goodness and blessings in that we have been well-protected from Covid and the children and staff have been able to continue attending. Financially we have been sufficiently provided for with many grants and donations, some coming 'just in time'.

However, this coming year is looking to be somewhat different in many ways which at this time i am not able to put in writing. Suffice it to say that there are some very important decisions that will need to be made fairly soon, starting with our next Trustees meeting on Tuesday 13th July at 7:30pm. It is vital of course that we need to hear what God's plans are for the Spring, the staff and the services we provide for the children. We strongly believe that God has already answered our prayers but we need to pray for any blocks to be removed so that we can see the answers and where He is leading us and to be encouraged. Our faith and trust are being tested. Our mission has always been to provide a free Christian environment to children that God has chosen to come to us, that we can be a witness for Him to them and their families.

So please pray specifically for us on Tuesday. If you have a word for us to share, please tell me!  
Tony Feltbower

## The Persecuted Church

This week we are praying for Christians in Turkey

### PLEASE PRAY

Dear God, help Your children as they seek to proclaim the gospel in a stifling and suspicious atmosphere. Grant them wisdom, discernment and boldness. Give foreign Christians favour in residency applications, and may those forced to leave know the assurance of Your love and provision. Strengthen and sustain all converts under pressure for following You. Change the atmosphere in Turkey. Amen.

If you would like anything included in the Prayer Topics, please contact the Church Office.  
We cannot add people top the list unless we have their permission

## The Lathams' Prayer in Abbey Fields

Rob and Emma Latham have been 'hosting a time of prayer from 2.30pm in Abbey Fields each week. They pray for Covid related issues. If you would like to join them - just turn up at the war memorial.





In October 2019, we organised an Eco Fayre at St John's Church and in 2020 we had a virtual Fayre. This year we are very much hoping that we can have an 'in person' event again and this is planned for

### **Saturday 2nd October at 10am- 2pm.**

The aim is to inspire local people to engage with environmental issues.

To this end we are inviting local groups and businesses with a similar ethos to come to take part. It will be widely advertised, particularly in Kenilworth and the surrounding villages.

As this event is being run by churches, we cannot accept any promotion of a political party, or parapsiritual or 'New Age' philosophies. As Christians we are very concerned to engage with environmental issues, live sustainably and encourage others to do so as well, to protect our wonderful world and all life within it.

The Fayre will mainly take place in the church and church hall and we are offering space for stalls and displays. There will be space for some pitches outside as well.

If you would like your organisation or business to participate in this event, please reply [ecochurch@leekwoottonchurch.co.uk](mailto:ecochurch@leekwoottonchurch.co.uk) as soon as possible.

Pitches will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

We are not making a charge.

### **Coventry Cathedral Chapel of Unity AGM**

Tuesday 13 July at 7pm on Zoom. Meeting ID 82745249512. Passcode:n 884931

Speaker: Kate Ormerod (Christian Aid Regional Co-ordinator)

Theme: Partnering Well: Case Studies form Christian Aid