

BREATHE - 'BRING IT TO THE HEALER'

We all have different things we wish were healed - some physical, others emotional. On **Sunday 10th July at 6.00pm** we're having a special Breathe service in which you can bring your need before the Healer Jesus. Graham Dow, former bishop of Carlisle, has a wealth of wisdom and experience in healing ministry. Within the style of our regular Breathe services, this will be a one-off opportunity not to be missed. (The earlier start time of 6.00pm mean you will still be able to finish in time for the Euro 2016)

WEDDING INVITATION

Ray Gialluca and Claire Nicholson's wedding service is here at Holy Trinity on **Saturday 9th July at 1.00pm**. They would love to invite you all to attend the ceremony but also to join them later at the Bellavista in Rochdale for the evening reception from 7.30pm. All are welcome to join the celebrations and will be gladly welcomed!



SUB-GROUPS

We announced some weeks ago the formation of subgroups to help encourage and support the many groups and ministries which operate through Holy Trinity. We are now looking to recruit some church members to form these sub-groups.

Do you have a passion to see our work continue with youth and children, pastoral care, foodbank, street pastors, mission and outreach or to help support our administration and communications or encourage our prayer life? You do not need to be already serving in these areas to be involved with the some groups – we are seeking a range of people across the congregations to be involved. Please speak to Tom or Will to find out more.



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The church office is open Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9.00am to 3.00pm

HOLY TRINITY

STALYBRIDGE



June 19th 2016

Welcome

We are delighted that you have joined us for our services today and hope you enjoy your time with us. A special welcome to any who are here for the first time or have joined us for Father's Day

We are fairly informal and relaxed. Most Sundays the children usually have their own groups (Little Gems for 0-4's in the church lounge and KIC Start across the road in St Matthews for 5-11's) but today (and once every month) we have a Family Service when the children stay in with us. There are activities in the service for them to take part in and a children's song which we'd love them all to come forward to join in with – and please bring them forward for a better view of the puppets!

If they (or you!) start to get frazzled, there is an area behind the glass screens in the entrance area of church that you can retreat to. You will still be able to hear the service and there are some toys in the drawers which you are welcome to use. Please just return them when you have finished.

If you are a visitor, please make yourself known to one of the Welcome Team who greeted you on the way in they would be delighted to get you a coffee and give you a welcome pack with information about the church.

Sunday 19th June
9.15am and 11.15am Fathers Day
Family Services

"Restored"
Jeremiah 33: 6-11

Monday 20th June
9.15am Family Forum

Wednesday 22nd June
9.00am Prayer Meeting
10.00am Bridge Coffee shop
2.00pm Craft, Art and Knitting Group
7.15pm Youth Engage

Thursday 23rd June
Referendum Vote
7.15pm Youth Encounter
7.30pm Worship Group

Friday 24th June
1.30pm Trinity School Assembly

Saturday 25th June
Stalybridge Festival in Armentiers
Square and Civic Hall
9.30am Street Pastors open morning

Sunday 26th June
9.15am and 11.15am Communion
and Children's Groups

"Why Communion?"
1 Cor 11: 23-26

4.00pm Small Group Leaders
Meeting In St Matthews

WORSHIPPING GOD BUILDING COMMUNITY SERVING THE NEIGHBOURHOOD

SCHOOLS' AND CHILDREN'S WORKER

We are sad to announce that Michelle has decided not to continue as our Schools' and Children's Worker next year. We have so enjoyed getting to know Bill and Michelle and the family over this last year and are grateful for all that they have brought to us. It is good that they plan to continue to worship with us and be part of the Holy Trinity family!

As a result of Michelle's resignation we are now also advertising for a part time Schools' and Children's Worker for 18 hours a week beginning in September (as well as the Youth Worker post for 15 hours a week). If you know anyone who would be interested in either post, please ask them to contact the church office for more information. We would consider combining the posts for a suitably qualified and experienced applicant. Applications close on 27th June.

STREET PASTORS OPEN MORNING

Might you interested in supporting Street Pastors in prayer, finding out more about what they do or becoming a Street Pastor or Prayer Pastor yourself?



You are invited to an open morning **next Saturday 25th June from 9.30 – 11.00am in St Matthews** with free bacon butties to find out more! Please RSVP to Abigail Marabicio on 07516 803514 or abigail.streetpastors@gmail.com.

MEN'S WEEKEND

This will be in Yorkshire from 1st-3rd July – only two weeks to go! If you have booked a place, please could you pay the balance now? If you haven't booked yet but would like to come, please let us know asap. Leaflets with more information are available at the back of church.



FAREWELL TO LUKE AND ANYA & THE BOYS

We will be saying goodbye to the Briggs family at the end of July as they move to St George's Leeds where Luke is to be an Associate Rector. Their last services with us will be our Family Services on July 24th when Luke will preach.

The week before on Saturday 16th July there are plans afoot for a picnic in church with some games for children from 2.00 – 6.00pm. This will give us all an opportunity to say our own goodbyes, so note the date – details to follow.

CHRISTIAN GIVING

There was a handout a couple of weeks ago from the sermon on 'Why do we give?' which answers lots of common questions about Christian Giving. They are available at the back if you missed the service.



STALYBRIDGE FESTIVAL AND CARNIVAL

This is next weekend 25th and 26th June! Saturday events include live music, classic cars, canal boat gathering and free canal boat trips, stalls and displays – all in Armentieres Square and a family fun day event in the Civic Hall.



Sunday events include a Handmade Craft market in the Civic Hall and Funfair, music and stalls in Cheetham's Park in the afternoon. The Carnival Parade begins at 1.00pm.

HOLIDAY AT HOME

Booking forms are now available for our 'Holiday at Home' for any who might not otherwise get away on holiday or are lonely or shut in. You can get them from Pat Edge and Enid Bamford at the first service or Sharon Beech and Janet D'anzi at the second.

The dates are **Wednesday and Thursday 27th and 28th July** and people can book for either or both days - £4.00 per day. This year we are following a Lancashire theme and each day will include entertainment, music, activities, a lovely lunch, laughter and friendship. Please let neighbours and friends know about the event and book asap as places are limited.

HELP NEEDED

Do you enjoy working with children aged 8-11 or 12-14? Could you spare a week to help out at a Christian Children's Camp? We would love to hear from you! Please speak to Esther Bull for more information – 07906 030707.



BIBLE READING PROJECT

It seems that some of the CD's of the Philipians Audio Bible have not copied properly and have a few words cut off at the end of each reading. Sorry about this. If you have one of the faulty CD's please let the church office know and we will replace it asap.

