

*"Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all people, especially to those who belong to the family of believers." Galatians 6:9-10*

## WELCOME to St Richard's News & Resources

**Sunday 5 Oct**

**Lord's Supper - 10.45am**

*Psalm 23*

*(Steve Rees preaching and leading)*

*while St Richards doesn't have an evening gathering we are welcome to join All Saints from 6.30pm*

## Notices

Southern Crowborough Café – Monday 6<sup>th</sup> October 10am-12noon

## What's on in the week

### MONDAYS

- **Southern Crowborough Café - First Monday of the month – 10am-12pm.**

Come for your morning coffee and meet folk from our local community.

- **Men's Sausage Roll Club - most Monday mornings**

If you're free on Monday mornings and would benefit from good company and conversation, then why not join this group. They currently meet in Waitrose at 10.30am. For more information have a chat with John Wayte.

- **Southern Crowborough Craft Group - 2-4pm every Monday.**

A craft group for anyone who likes to chat over coffee and crafting - meets in the lounge at St Richard's. For more info chat to Rosemary Longley.

- **Friendship Hour - second Monday of each month from 2.30pm.**

This is our companionship group for senior men and women. We have a great team of helpers, and where possible also try to provide transport for anyone who may need it. Please contact Dorothy (or Frances) for more details.

### TUESDAYS

- **Little Seeds Toddler Group 10am till 12pm**

Meeting during term time, this provides a welcome meeting place for local parents and carers to socialise and bring their little one to enjoy playing and organised activities. First timers are welcome to come for a taster session just give Sarah a call to let us know you're coming.

## WEDNESDAYS

- **Midday prayer at St Richard's – every week 12noon till 1pm**

Join with us as we think through what we heard on Sunday and to pray for our church, the community of southern Crowborough, the churches in Crowborough, the CofE and the world. **Just turn up, if you're the only one why not go on a prayer walk.**

- **The Barnabas Support Group - 10.30am – 12noon (usually every third Wednesday)**

Meeting in the Downstairs Rooms at All Saints Church to bring together those with dementia or memory loss problems and their carers for encouragement, sharing together, and information. All are welcome to come and join in these Coffee Mornings. For more information, please speak to Frances Sadd.

## THURSDAYS

- **Monthly Church Family Prayer meeting – Evenings 7.15 for 7.30pm**

Come and join us to pray for our world, our nation, our community, our church, and ourselves! Come when you can go when you must. We finish by 9pm.

## FRIDAYS

- **Ladies bible study – during term time at St Richard's 10:15 -11.30am**

An hour together to enrich our bible knowledge and grow in faith. Contact the church office if you think you'd like to join us!

- **Table Tennis – 7.30-9.30pm at St Richard's every week**

For beginners onwards – Just turn up! £2.50 per person. Bats, balls & a drink included. For more info contact Andrew Gibson

## Opportunities to serve others

### Crowborough Foodbank

St Richard's is a Foodbank collection point, for a list of acceptable items check out their [website](#)

# Crowborough Pantry

This is open to anyone, regardless of circumstances, and aims to help both the planet and the community, by sharing donated food which would otherwise likely be wasted. You'll find them around the corner in Beechview Parade, Open:  
Mondays: 10am until 11am   Tuesdays: 2.30pm until 4pm,  
Wednesdays: 10.30-11.30am

Thursdays: 6pm until 7pm   Saturdays: 10am until 11am   Sundays: 7pm – 7.30pm



## Looking Ahead - Dates for your diary!

November Saturday 15<sup>th</sup>

December TBC

December Sunday 21<sup>st</sup>

December Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup>

December Thursday 25<sup>th</sup>

**Ladies Christmas Craft Evening**

**Carol singing around Alderbrook**

**Scratch Nativity 10.45am Carols by Candlelight 7pm TBC**

**Christingle Service – 4pm**

**Christmas day All age Celebration service – 10am**

### Sunday 12 Oct

#### Morning service – 10.45am

*Luke 18:9-14, 9:23-25*

Nick Ashton preaching and Dorothy leading

### Church Family Prayers

**Sun 5 Oct** – Pray that we will really understand the scripture that Pete Winstone brought to us on Harvest Sunday, “You cause the grass to grow for the livestock and plants for man to cultivate that he may bring forth food for the earth”. Psalm 104:14.

**Mon 6 Oct** – Pray for the Sausage Roll Club where our gentlemen meet together, that our Lord will be with them in Spirit as they put the world to rights.

**Tues 7 Oct**- Bring to the Lord Jesus your family and friends as you long for them to believe in Him.

**Wed 8 Oct** – Join in your hearts, with those who pray midday for our church and recall Sunday sermons.

**Thurs 9 Oct** – Pray for church members who are waiting for medical appointments or results, to find patience and calm in the love of our Lord Jesus.

**Fri 10 Oct** – May the lord be with our children in school, learning and preparing for life ahead.

**Sat 11 Oct** – Pray for the people of Crowborough, that the word of the Lord Jesus may spread,” And I tell you, everyone who acknowledges me before man, the Son of Man will acknowledge before the angels of God”. Luke 12:8.