

"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 2 Nov Morning Service - 10.45am

Mark 5: 21-43

(Adam Thrift preaching and Dorothy Hards 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 3 November 10am to 12noon

Monthly Church Family Prayer Meeting Thursday 6 November 7.15 for 7.30pm

Christmas Craft Evening Remember to book your place now for this event on Saturday 15th

November. <a href="https://allsaintscrowborough.churchsuite.com/events/ilue4let">https://allsaintscrowborough.churchsuite.com/events/ilue4let</a>

#### 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 <a href="website">website</a>

## **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> Christmas Craft Evening

December Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> Carols for all the Family 4pm. TBC
December Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> Scratch Nativity 10.45am TBC
December Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> Christingle Service – 4pm TBC

December Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> Christmas day All age Celebration service – 10am TBC

## Sunday 9 Nov – Remembrance Sunday Lord's Supper – 10.45am

Romans 8:35-39

Pete Winstone preaching and leading

#### **Church Family Prayers**

**Sun 2 Nov –** Pray for Adam Thrift preaching to us today and for Dorothy leading our service.

**Mon 3 Nov** – Pray for the Southern Crowborough Café 10am - 12 noon today. May we encourage folk from our local community to come and get to know us.

**Tues 4 Nov** –May we take on board Adam's Sunday sermon and encourage all we meet to come and get to know the love of Lord Jesus.

**Wed 5 Nov** – Today is the Barnabas Support Group's Monthly Wednesday Worship in the main worship area at All Saints Church 2.30pm. Pray for someone close to your heart, to bring along.

**Thurs 6 Nov** – Pray for our monthly Prayer Meeting tonight 7.30pm.

"Again, I say to you, if two of you agree on earth about anything they ask, it will be done for them by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, there I am among them." Matthew 18:19-20.

**Fri 7 Nov** – May our prayers be with Jean Jefferies, for to all go well with the procedure for the fitting of a new pacemaker today.

**Sat 8 Nov** – We may be smaller in numbers on Sundays, but pray that we follow the wise man who "built his house upon a rock" Matthew 7:24 and trust in our Heavenly Father who will build us up.