

Church Picnic 9th June

We are having a picnic party on Sun 9th June straight after the 10.30 service, to say goodbye to the Henkel family and wish them God speed and to welcome old friends, Cindy and Chan and their two little boys who are being baptised. If the weather is fine it will take place in the Rectory Garden, if not, in the hall. Please bring a plate of savoury finger food to share, drinks will be provided. Feel free to bring a picnic rug or folding chair. After the picnic, for those interested, we plan to take a short walk along the railway line to Peterculter Memorial Hall where refreshments are available.

Do join us for a wonderful afternoon of fellowship and we look forward to seeing you on 9th June.

Any questions to Pat James or Ann Bale.

Tots and Toddlers

Due to the success of the trial session the playgroup are delighted to announce that they will be running the Tots and Toddlers group every Wednesday morning from Wednesday the 29th of May.

The group will run from 9.30am until 11.30am and will be held in the Church, overseen by Karen, one of the qualified Playleaders.

No set up or commitment, drop in/out policy. £2.50 per child per session and £1.50 for siblings.

Christian Men's conference

BCFC 2013, June 1st, 10am-3pm

Topic 'Enjoying God', Speaker 'Tim Chester'

Refreshments served from 9.30am.

Please bring own lunch. There are major food retailers nearby.

Cursillo Service on June 1st

The Church Office

will be staffed Tues & Thurs 9.40am-11.15am and 1.30pm-2.45pm. Messages left on the answer machine will be responded to asap. Any items for the notice sheet should be phoned or emailed to the office by 9.00am Thursday.

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Welcome to church today!

26th May 2013

Trinity Sunday

This mornings service is
Holy Communion

Visitors and newcomers are
most welcome at

St Devenick's

Coffee, tea and biscuits are
served in the hall

after the 10.30am service.

*We look forward to
meeting you then!*

Father, in love you created
us. Christ, by love you
redeemed us. Spirit through
love you sustain us.

We pray that by the power
of your love, that binds you
as Three in One, we may
give ourselves in joy and
love to you, Father, Son and
Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

St Devenick's

A Scottish Episcopal Church and a member of the Evangelical Alliance

Our aim: to know God and to make him known

Rector: Rev Paul R Watson (01224 861552)

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Team for 26th May. Trinity.

Leading: Paul Watson

Preaching: Stephen Goodyear

Reading: John Tickell

Readings:

John 16: 12-15 page 1084 and Romans 5: 1-5 page 1132.

Prayers: Ian Arthur

Offering: Chris Rigden and Iain House

Coffee: Mary Rigden and Ina Watson

Prayer Ministry: Kathleen Simpson

Sound: Simon Barnett

Flowers: Cissy Dirr

Anyone desiring personal prayer is invited into Sanctuary in the Lady Chapel following the service. A member of the prayer team will come and pray with you.

THIS WEEK

Thursday 10.30am Holy Communion.

Prayer Points

Please pray for:

1. Christel Stripe, Gayle Svensen and Alexander Symon.
2. the Marwick family in the loss of David's mother Jean.
3. Debbie Neil and her family as she goes through chemotherapy.
4. the General Synod of the Scottish Episcopal Church.

Team for 2nd June. Pentecost 2.

Leading: Paul Watson

Preaching: Youth Church

Prayers: Youth Church

Reading:

Books: Catriona Macdonald and Kathleen Simpson

Offering: John Tickell and Martin Mallett

Coffee: Cynthia Middleton and Ann Scragg

Prayer Ministry: Ian and Ruth Arthur

Flowers: Mary Rigden

Sunday Club and Youth Church volunteers

If you would consider being involved in either of these vital ministries after the summer please contact Paul as we are facing a shortage of helpers.

Christian Aid

A big thank you to all who volunteered. We collected £ 1,872.94. Well done!

John 16:12-15

¹² 'I have much more to say to you, more than you can now bear. ¹³ But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all the truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come. ¹⁴ He will glorify me because it is from me that he will receive what he will make known to you. ¹⁵ All that belongs to the Father is mine. That is why I said the Spirit will receive from me what he will make known to you.'

Romans 5:1-5

Peace and hope

⁵ Therefore, since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, ² through whom we have gained access by faith into this grace in which we now stand. And we boast in the hope of the glory of God. ³ Not only so, but we also glory in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; ⁴ perseverance, character; and character, hope. ⁵ And hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us.