



THE UNITED PARISH

Christ Church & St John's

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Sunday 12th August 2018

Eleventh Sunday After Trinity

Revd Jonny Campbell-Smyth

Ephesians 4:25-32 & John 6:35 & 41-51

10.00am Morning Prayer in **Christ Church**

11.30am Morning Prayer in **St John's**

Sunday 19th August 2018

Twelfth Sunday After Trinity

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Ephesians 5:15-20 & John 6:51-58

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11.30am Morning Prayer in **St John's**

Please pray for:-

- Members of our Church Family awaiting operations, test results or treatments.
- Bob McConnell recovering from hand surgery.
- Leslie & Margaret Parkinson on the recent death of Leslie's brother.
- Claire Burns & Jeremy Yacoub as they prepare to start married life together this week. (Wedding in St John's on 14/8/18).
- Anne Magee at home awaiting dialysis
- Etta Wilson at home after recent hospitalisation.
- Sam Crawford after recent injury.
- David Livingston after recent accident.
- Marion & Will McCallion as Marion cares for her mum at home.
- Adrienne Heaney under going treatment.
- Cornett family, member of the family awaiting surgery.
- Deaconess Michelle Purdy (Ballyclare Presbyterian) receiving treatment for cancer.
- Young Adults in our parish awaiting results of GCSE, A/S & A Levels and for those starting work or continuing with third level education.
- Keep everyone travelling abroad this summer safe.
- The Interview panel as they interview & discern God's will for the new post of Families, Youth & Children's Associate.
- **Watch out for more details on our week of prayer Monday 3rd-Friday 7th September in both Christ Church & St John's.**

HOLIDAY BIBLE CLUB..... “ LIMITLESS”



Our Holiday Bible Club is about to start very soon!! The dates are **Monday 20th to Friday 24th August, 10.30am-12.30pm**. For children going into P1 and up to those going into P7. **Our theme is “Limitless” looking at characters in Charlie & The Chocolate Factory and we will be partnering with New Wine.** Over **60 kids** have booked in already, so if you haven't registered please do so as numbers are limited.

Christ Church Weekly Intercessions - I'd like to encourage more lay involvement in our Sunday worship. One way of doing this is by leading the prayers of intercession. If you would like to do this on occasions, please get in touch with me. I'm happy to provide as much guidance and resources to help. **Revd Jonny.**

St John's - We are planning to start the hospitality in St John's again from early September providing we can get enough helpers. We would like folk to help on a Sunday morning serving refreshments from 10.45am at the back of Church. This is an ideal way for fellowship, sharing and welcoming people into our Church family. If you are interested in helping please contact Revd Jonny or David asap.

UCB BIBLE NOTES– new edition covering the Autumn now in the stand at the back of St John's or from the Wardens in Christ Church. A different version is available for both adults & teenagers & free!

WORK ON CHRIST CHURCH HALL– The hall will not be available for routine use for the month of August. A temporary portaloos will be in place behind the hall if needed during church services.

As part of the kitchen refurbishment we have available a large fridge, gas hob, & electric oven. If you are interested in any of these items please contact Jeannie or Errol .

St Johns - Back to School Sunday 2nd September

We would love to know what folk have been doing over the summer holidays, so on Sunday 2nd September we'd like you to send us (email) a picture of your holidays or an event that you attended. Also in the email tell us where the picture is. This will be the first Sunday back after Summer so we will be hearing from various people who have been serving God over the summer in mission teams. What a wonderful way to start the new term by worshipping and sharing together– **we will have a great gift for all our children in both Christ Church & St John's**