

Last Friday (8th July) I undertook a **15 mile sponsored walk** in aid of **Winston's Wish**, a very worthwhile charity, working on behalf of bereaved children. You can find out more about them here:

<http://www.winstonswish.org.uk/>

There is still a sponsorship form at the back of Church if you are able to support me; alternatively please contact me by telephone on 485035 or email at joh73nick@hotmail.co.uk if you feel able to contribute. All sponsorship for this deserving cause would be very welcome and much appreciated. Thank you all in advance for your support in this undertaking. *John.*

Many thanks to all who helped in whatever way with this year's **Christian Aid** Collection. The total raised by the Dorcan Church was £1132.24. Thanks you all. *John Davidson.*

And very many thanks to you, John for organising it once again! *Tony*

If you are locking up at St. Paul's please make sure that you check the loos !! On Monday two ladies from the singing group were locked in - fortunately one of them had a mobile phone and after several calls I got called to let them out. *Margaret Hylton*

All items for inclusion in the next notices should be sent to Anna Newman by Thursday 14th July
Telephone: 695698 or Email: anagram673@hotmail.co.uk
(please let me know if you would like notices by email)



St. Paul's, Covingham
St. Timothy's, Liden
Eldene Church
www.dorcanchurch.org.uk
10th July, 2011

Staff Team:

Rev. Tony Knapp
Rev. Beth Brown
Mrs. Wendy Tucker

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*Tony & Beth both have Fridays off - please avoid contacting them if possible.
Wendy is not available Monday daytime and Saturdays.*

SERVICES - 10th July

St. Paul's

8.45am	Holy Communion	Tony Knapp
10.30am	Baptism	Stuart Fisher & Tony Knapp

We welcome Mark & Laura who bring Noah to be baptised this morning at St. Paul's by his Grandad! Also, Tony will be 'swearing-in' Stuart as our curate in the Dorcan Church.

St Tim's

10.30am	Morning Worship	Barbara Wilcox
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Eldene

10.30am	Morning Worship	Alex Scott
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Refreshments served after the 10.30am services - please stay if you can

Lectionary	Gen 25: 19-34	Rom 8: 1-11
Readings - 10th July	Ps 25	Matt 13: 1-23

Welcome to the Dorcan Church.
If you are new, we would love to get to know you better.
Please speak to the Minister or to one of the Stewards.

SERVICES - 17th July		
St. Paul's		
8.45am	Holy Communion	Beth Brown & Paul Tayler
10.30am	Morning Worship	Beth Brown
<i>Welcome: Anna & Brian N., Teas: Margaret & Ray H., Crèche: Helen Newman</i>		
St. Tim's		
10.30am	Holy Communion	Tony Knapp & Paul Tayler
Eldene		
10.30am	Morning Worship	Neil Marshall

NEXT WEEK Normal weekly groups and activities unless you are notified otherwise by your Group Leaders.		
Mon. 11th July	12 noon - 1.30pm 2-4pm 7.30pm	Ploughman's Lunch at St. Tim's - All welcome (See separate notice) Scrabble & Dominoes at St. Tim's Fellowship and Bible Study - Thorne Road
Tues. 12th July	1.30pm 7.30pm 8.00pm	Tiny Tots at St. Paul's Cell Group - Fitzmaurice Close, Cov. Meeting about our Sunday Club at St. Paul's
Wed. 13th July	10.00am 1.30pm 7.30pm	Holy Communion at St. Tim's Tiny Tots at St. Tim's Cell Group - Blakeney Avenue, Nythe
Thurs. 14th July	10.00am 1.30pm 7.30pm 7.30pm 7.30pm	Holy Communion at St. Paul's Cell Group - Falconscroft Cell Group - Austen Cres. Liden Cell Group - Sutton Road, Eldene Cell Group - Sedgebrook, Liden
Saturday 15th July	6.00pm	X:Site at St. Paul's

Advance Notice
As from July 24th for the Summer Holidays, there will be a single service at **10am** at St. Paul's

Prayer Initiative. For the next few weeks we will be praying for the residents of Pheasant Close and Nuthatch Close.
Please also remember them in your private prayers.

Are you interested in the future of Sunday Club? We need to have an urgent meeting to discuss the way forward this week on Tuesday 12th July at 8pm at St. Paul's. If you are not able to come and have any suggestions or ideas to share please let Tony, Beth or Wendy know before then. There will be a series of meetings to discuss the future of Sunday Club over the coming months. Giving ideas and coming to meetings does not sign you up to anything, so if you have any interest in any way in this important work with our younger children, **please** contribute if you can.

Cakes are needed for the In:School project for the end of term. Either a large one or 12 small ones would be great - Needed for Sunday 17th July - please contact Margaret or Leila .

Donations towards 'It's Your Move'
Once again this year the churches are giving the booklet 'It's Your Move' to Year 6 children to help with their transfer from Primary to Secondary School in September. Abi has purchased these Scripture Union booklets and is visiting each school to hand them out during a special lesson with the children. Can you help with the cost of these booklets which are much appreciated by children and staff? (80 books for Covingham & Nythe; 40 for Liden; 50 for Eldene. Total 170 books = £187)
One of the Cell Groups has donated £105 towards the cost: we need an extra £82 to cover the full cost. If you would like to help, please put your donation in the basket at your church centre on Sunday. (Any surplus will be given to In:School funds).

Please come to a Ham/Cheese Ploughman's Lunch at St. Timothy's Church Hall, Liden on Monday 11th July - Any time between 12.00noon and 1.30pm. £5.00 to include Ploughman's, choice of Dessert and also Coffee/Tea.
Proceeds towards St. Timothy's Church Audio/Visual System.
(The projector and screen have been very generously donated anonymously, but there is still £173.43 needed towards the installation costs.
Contact Leila on 430350 for more information or just come along.