



All Saints Church Hampreston & Stapehill

July News Sheet

Hampreston church will be opening for private prayer from Monday 6th July.

These are the opening days and times:-

Mondays 12pm – 2pm and Fridays 10am – 12pm.

We have 6 volunteer stewards to cover these opening times, if you would like to be a steward please email

Helen at allsaintshampreston@gmail.com

In addition to opening for private prayer we now have permission to gather for worship in church. There is a lot of preparation required in advance of actually gathering for worship, and it will look very different from what we are used to initially with singing not allowed, communion with bread only, sitting socially distanced etc. We are awaiting clarification from the C of E on how worship can be conducted, and we are seeking God about how to take the next steps into this. Please pray that we will clearly hear from the Lord about how He wants us to respond.

Thank you. Sarah Pix.

While we continue with our online Benefice worship, we would love to include some videoed testimonies of what God is doing in His people during lockdown, in the online service. Please contact Sarah if you have something to send in.

Benefice livestream services each **Sunday morning at 10:45am**

From St Marys' church Facebook Page (you don't need to join Facebook to view)

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/category/Church/St-Marys-Ferndown-263776970428733/>

Services can now also be accessed on YouTube <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCnD--r6FPPIlua1XR9yXDQ>

Reminder

PowerPoint Presentation via Zoom SOUTH SUDAN by Robin Sadler Tuesday 7th July at 7 pm Zoom ID number: 883-2976-1518 No password needed

More information: gillianmaryclarke@hotmail.com 01202 894913

Robin writes: "As many of you know I have been the Medical Advisor to the Salisbury Sudan Medical Link since 2008. Sandi Malpas who joined the team in 2013 has helped enormously with decision making and general support and will join us. At present we are still arranging transport of drugs to clinics.

I have shown many people my pictures over the years and so many may well be familiar with them but I **will have up to date information on the**

Covid outbreak and how it is affecting Sudan.

Also I shall borrow pictures from other people like Sheila Soper who visited in November last year whilst my 7th visit was in November 2018.



Please send any questions to me by email robmar.sadler@gmail.com prior to July 7th.

We hope many of you will join us because it is YOU who will make it an interesting and informative time for everyone. ALL ARE WELCOME

NEW WINE 2020 - What's new??

As you may know, New Wine United 2020 was cancelled due to the Covid-19 Outbreak. After this difficult decision, we have spent time praying and fasting and seeking the Lord as to what to do next. We really feel a growing sense that we should use this time to prepare local churches to emerge from this lock down confident and equipped for mission. As social distancing guidelines mean that we cannot be together this year, we are taking United out to the local church. The resources can be used to suit your community. In order to do that, we are launching **United Breaks Out (30th July – 3rd August)** This will be a mixture of online celebrations (available through our website and on YouTube) for adults, families, children and youth. There will be Morning Bible Studies, Seminars, Webinars (through Zoom) and Evening Celebrations, as well as streams specifically for children and youth on various different platforms.

Please visit the website <https://new-wine.org/breaksout> or follow us on our social media platforms for more information and regular updates!

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Kate Smith; Sarah Libby; Jean Brooman; Fiona Dodds;
Sarah Pix and Patches Chabala and the work they are doing to
safely help us prepare to return to church.
The Foulkes Family. Pathways for All People. African Inland
Mission. The Lunchbowl Network
Fernhill and Wimborne care homes.
For the family and friends of Chris Turner who suddenly
passed away after a short illness in June.

Remember!

Help is available to anyone in
need, if you, or anyone you
know in the Benefice is in need
of support, shopping,
prescriptions etc please contact
Helen Bifield 07419 907343 or
email
allsaintshampreston@gmail.com

FOULKES FAMILY UPDATE

Open "Doors" of Lockdown June 2020

14 weeks and counting...

Greetings from the Foulkes Five in Cardiff! For the past 3 months, social-distancing measures have been in place. Wales is slowly easing restrictions, but we are not yet allowed to meet in groups. Even though we've been socially distanced, we have found that these past 3 months have opened "doors" to ministry opportunities.

Friends group moves online...

Prior to the pandemic, a group of international women and their toddlers would come together each Wednesday morning to make friends while practicing English. Early on in

lockdown, we moved our meeting online using a Bible story with pictures.

Several ladies have joined these online lessons, some of whom do not show us their faces. Without the visual facial cues or gestures, the ladies have had to work hard at using their English and we can see improvement. What's even more exciting is the way that the "M" ladies have been interacting with the Bible stories. Join us in thanking God for this open "door" of opportunity.



Sewing for the community...

At the beginning of lockdown, a local healthcare worker asked if the International Women's Sewing Group could make reusable masks. This launched the sewing helpers into a busy couple of months sewing masks, caps and uniform laundry bags for local healthcare workers. We are thankful for the opportunity to serve the healthcare workers in Cardiff.

Since social distancing is not really feasible in our Monday sewing classes, we hope to launch an online sewing time in July for the ladies from these classes. Once social distancing measures ease further, we hope to have a picnic together in a city park. Please pray that we can reconnect with the 30+ ladies who have attended the sewing class in this past year whether that be online or socially distanced.

The fivesome working from home...

Over these past 3 months, we five are so thankful for God's provisions including health and the ability to work from home. Simon has continued in his role as church manager and our girls have studied through electronic assignments.

On Monday (June 29th), schools in Wales will re-open for 3 weeks adhering to the 2 metre social-distancing measures. This means that students will attend school on a part-time basis with 10 per classroom. Miriam will go to her school only on Friday mornings; Lydia will attend her school for one week (July 6-10); and Hannah's year will wait to return until September. Please continue to pray that God will direct our girls towards the profession of His choosing in these final years of their secondary schooling.

Praises:

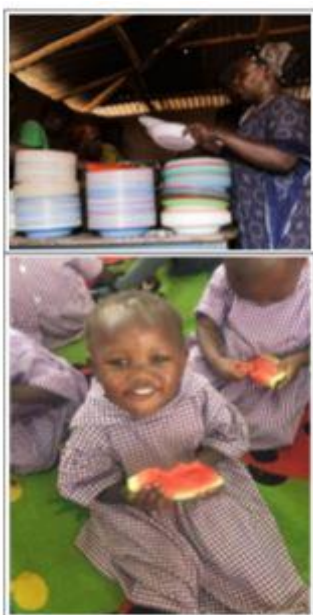
- Provision of health as well as work,
 - ministry and studies from home
- Open "door" of opportunity to teach English
 - using Bible stories
- Sewing of masks, caps and laundry bags for healthcare workers in Cardiff
- Time together as a family during lockdown

Prayer requests:

- Further ministry opportunities as social distancing measures ease
- Spiritual fruit especially from the English lessons and sewing classes
- For God to direct our girls towards the profession of His choosing
- For a successful renewal of Leanne's residency visa by Aug 30th

And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. Hebrews 12:1-2

LunchBowl Network – Trustees report.



This year £272,980 has been donated, last year £188,061 was donated, therefore with an increase of over £84,900. We are very thankful for all funds received.

Nutritional impact: This year we have impacted the nutrition of many children within the Kibera community. Without these donations these children, who are amongst the most disadvantaged in the Kibera, would suffer severe malnutrition. 17,500 hot dinners provided on Saturdays. The Saturday Dinner Programme has operated for 50 weeks of the year for on average 350 children each week. 51,000 breakfasts, lunches and fruit snacks have been provided in the two schools. 381 severely underprivileged children have been educated between two kindergartens and one primary school. 10,920 hot dinners have been provided for 350 children aged between five and nineteen years old attending the Sunday Kings Rugby Development Academy. The charity has facilitated these children being transported from Kibera every Sunday to an international school playing field to learn rugby skills and discipline, receive spiritual input and are given a healthy lunch. 2,396 food packs have been given to 63 families in emergency financial crisis. This has impacted the nutrition of 11,980 children. This is an increase of 33 families from the previous year.

These food packs include maize flour, rice, vegetables, milk, lentils, porridge, oil, charcoal and soap. The families benefiting from the food packs are all connected to Angel Kindergartens and Good Samaritan Primary School.

In total 91,686 dinners have been provided which equates to 7,640 dinners each month.

Educational impact: Early Years education for 196 two to six year olds has been provided at two International Angel Kindergartens. Both kindergartens provide a daily sanctuary, education and food for some of the most vulnerable and youngest children from Kibera. In January 2019 the charity entered into a long term lease with the Anglican Church of Kenya to operate the Good Samaritan Primary School in Karen, Nairobi. The Primary School educates 185 children from Grade 1 to Grade 8 (14 years) in accord with the Ministry of Education. The children are transported daily from Kibera in two buses funded by The Brothers Trust.

Annual Child protection and Safeguarding training has been provided for all Lunchbowl Kenya staff, including Individual counselling given for abused children.

