#### **!! GOOD NEWS & THANK YOUS !!**

**Kids' Coin Clatter** last Sunday raised £30.05 for St Paul's Development Fund. Many thanks.

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**Friends of David and Margaret Roberts** will like to know that from the  $1^{st}$  June they have a new address:

71,Brooklands, Bolnore Village, Haywards Heath, West Sussex, RH16 4TR

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**Christians Against Poverty (CAP)** the May newsletter and prayer list are on the Charities noticeboard in the Welcome Hall. Please take a few moments to read these and pray.

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**Working with young people** you will see in *Time for Prayer* that the growth in the number of children and young people in our church means we need more offers of help with the various activities. It is fun and rewarding so if you would like to know what's involved, please talk to Jill Mason, Martyn Ofield or Carol Ofield.

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# 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2019

# 10:30am Rev Ralph Ward Holy Communion

Theme: Women at the cross and the resurrection

**Readings:** Mark 15: 37-47 Acts 1: 9-14

**First time at St Paul's?** Please join us for refreshments and a friendly chat after the service. We can tell you about our church and its activities and we'll try to answer any questions you may have.

Large print hymn books are available from the door stewards

**Flowers today** donated by JacKie and Martin Bower for their Wedding Anniversary

**After this morning's service** short meeting of Messy Church Team

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June 10:30am Mrs Helen Greaves 3pm Messy Church

#### Our mission at St Paul's is to:

Unite in Faith
Worship in Faith
Grow in Faith
Share the Good News
Make disciples
Serve in love

#### **WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK**

#### Loaves and Fishes Café

Monday - Wednesday 10:30 - 1:30 Thursday 10:30 - 12:30

Thy Kingdom Come
Prayer Trail of Light
open in the Sanctuary
Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> – Sat 8<sup>th</sup> 10am – 2pm
Sun 9<sup>th</sup> after the service until 3pm

**Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> 2pm** South Crawley House Fellowship *Bible study* on *Jude* at the home of Doreen Braithwaite

**Wed 5<sup>th</sup> 9:30am-12** Everywoman's Badminton

**2pm** Women's Fellowship *A talk about Crawley* 

Museum

Fri 7<sup>th</sup> 4:30 – 7:30pm Instrumental lessons

**7:30pm** Young People's Singing Group

**7:45pm** Choir practice

#### **FURTHER AHEAD**

Wed 12<sup>th</sup> Jun 2pm Women's Fellowship *Visit to Crawley Museum* 6:30pm Pound Hill House Fellowship *Ramble round Ifield Mill Pond* 

Sat 15<sup>th</sup> Jun 10-12 Coffee Stop for St Catherine's Hospice



## Sunday 16th June at 4pm St Paul's Young People's Singing Group

invite you to a Tea Service in the Hall. Tea will be followed by a time of praise and worship led by the YPSG. Please come along and support them and bring someone who doesn't yet know Jesus!

#### Thy Kingdom Come 2019 is happening now

At St Paul's we are joining with millions of people all round the world praying for more people to come to know Jesus. We can all take part:

- Use the *Nine Days of Prayer* booklet given out today
- Families can have fun with the *Family Prayer Adventure Map* available in the Welcome Hall
- Visit the Prayer Trail of Light after this morning's service or during the times shown on the opposite page. Can't manage those times? Let Joyce know; we might be able to arrange a time for you
- Pray for 5 Friends using the card given to you today
- Tell your friends about the Prayer Trail it's open to all
- Pledge to Pray by adding your light to those already lighting up the world map on the website
   www.thykingdomcome.global
   where you will find more

ideas for ways in which individuals and families can join in, several short videos and stories, and prayer ideas

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**For the next few weeks** we are focusing on provision for our young people at St Paul's. The good news is that their number is growing and covering a wider age range so we need to be planning for the two Sunday morning age groups to become three. The Performing Arts Project is proving successful and will continue from September. Messy Church continues to grow. Of course more activity needs more help so please pray for

- People to come forward to help and support these important activities
- All our young people as they learn about the Christian life
- All who work faithfully with the young people

**Please** add a new name to your prayer list – Wendy Walling (apologies for the name being wrong last week) and continue praying for Neil Roberts, Julie Anscombe, Jean Franklin, Maureen Olashore, Joyce Walling, Marcy, and others with needs known to ourselves.

Methodist Church Guidelines state that permssion must be received from a person before their name is put on the Church prayer list. Please ensure that you have such permission.