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St. Mark's Church, Gillingham
with St. Mary's Island Church

Living for Jesus; Loving Gillingham;
Learning Together

Mission Focus: Francis & Diane
Dognon

St. Mark's Event/groups:
JustOne Gillingham

17th June 2018



MAN SHALL NOT LIVE
by BREAD ALONE ...

Trinity 3 - HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

10.30am: Service of
the Word

'Israel is guest'
Deuteronomy 8:2-5

6.30pm: Workshop Stream

'Loving Gillingham' - London City Mission
Training Director, Phil Moore

Other Services:

11.00am: Morning Worship, St Mary's Island

7.30pm-9.15pm: Landmark

Prayer Ministry: If you would like someone to pray
with you or to share concerns with, then members of
the prayer team are available in the small chapel at
the front of church.

New Church Office Hours are:

Mon & Thurs 10.00am-3.00pm

Tues & Weds 10.00am-2.00pm

Fri 10.00am-2.30pm (by appointment only)

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Tues 19th June: The office will be closed due
to training.

Weds 20th June: 9.00am: Holy Communion, in
Church

9.45am: Ladies Group, Old Vicarage

1.15pm: Parent & Toddlers, Vicarage Hall

Thurs 21st June: 1.00pm-3.00pm: Foodbank,
Church

Office closed from 12pm

7.30pm-9.00pm: We would like to invite our New
Church Members and JustOne Guests to a
welcome evening at the Old Vicarage. We shall
be serving a light buffet and drinks.

Fri 22nd June: 6.15pm: Kidz Klub, ages 7-11,
Old Vicarage

Sat 23rd June: 10.00am-12.00noon: Foodbank,
Church

NEXT SUNDAY 24th June:

Breaking the Yoke of Sin



Trinity 4

10.30am: Holy Communion
'Israel is Host - Isaiah
58:6-10'

5.30pm: Church in the Pub, King George V,
Brompton

6.30pm: No Evening Service

Other Services:

11.00am: Family Service, St Mary's Island

7.30pm-9.15pm: Landmark

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sat 30th June: 12noon-2.00pm: St. Mark's
Preschool lunch for their children and families,
Old Vicarage site.

Sat 30th June: NO FOODBANK

Sat 30th June: 2.30pm Lucy Haslam & Joel
Higson are getting married and the family of St.
Mark's Church are very welcome to the ceremony.

Sun 1st July: 10.30am: Foodbank All Age
Service - please could you consider bringing food
& toiletry items to this service thank you. **A list
of low stock items is on the church notice
board.**

Sat 7th July: 9.00am-11.00am The Medway
Deaneries are running the CPAS Course 'Growing
Leaders'; this is a taster session for the course
starting in September. If you are interested
please speak to Keith, Shane or Terry.

Sun 8th July: 8.00pm-10.00pm 'The Gathering'
for young adults. Speak to Saju, Amanda, Lynne
or Shane if interested.

Thurs 12th July: Men's curry night 7:30pm,
please speak to Dammy if you are interested.

Sat 14th July: 10.30am-12.00noon: Faith &
Light Juniors, Vicarage Hall

Sat 21st July: 10.15am-2.30pm Walk for Peace
Medway - walking for oneness of humanity.
Please see church notice board for more
information.

Fri 27th July: 1.00pm-4pm 'Let Loose' outside
music concert, Gillingham High Street. Please
contact Mayowa or Graham Wilkins for more
information.

Throughout July we will be holding Prayer
Meetings from 7:30pm-8:30pm at Church.
This is an invitation to all, to come along and
focus on Jesus.

FAMILY NEWS



Martin and Siu King are very
happy to announce the
engagement of their daughter
Bethany, to Rob Sheppard.

Gift Day

A huge thank you to all who gave, so
generously, to our Gift Day last week.
If you were not in church last Sunday and
would like to give, please place your
donation in a Gift Day envelope available in
church and place it in the collection bag.
Alternately, details of other ways to donate
can be found on our church website.

Glyn Allen
Treasurer

Confirmation Classes for under 18's will be held on the 11th, 18th & 25th November 4pm-6pm. Please contact the office to register interest. Lead by Saju & Monica Shergill.

Chequer Tree Camp is run by The Family Trust. It is a residential camp for children in school years 4-7, based at Claremont Senior School, Bodiam.

If you want to know more, check out www.familytrust.org.uk/residentials or speak to Mike Haslam/Debra Lewis.

POINTS FOR PRAISE AND PRAYER



"In Your righteousness, rescue me and deliver me; turn Your ear to me and save me. Be my rock of refuge, to which I can always go; give the command to save me, for You are my rock and my fortress."
Psalm 71:2-3 (NIV)

Thank you LORD Jesus that once we accept You as our LORD, saviour and King You have promised never to leave us or forsake us. In fact we are Your beloved personal 'treasured possession' (Deuteronomy 14:2) who You delight in with great joy, love and grace. Please help us to reflect this amazing truth to our families, communities and the wider world. Amen.

Bring to the LORD any situation whether in our church family, locally, nationally or internationally that you care about... **Praise that we can say, "But may all who seek You rejoice and be glad in You; may those who love You saving help always say, 'The LORD is great!'" (Psalm 70:4)**

Give the LORD thanks for something special that has happened to you recently.

Continue to pray for the bereaved families, friends and survivors of the **Grenfell Tower fire**, as they cope with anniversaries, inquiries and harrowing memories.

Pray for the **JustOne Event** that happened recently and for all the people who gave their lives

to Jesus... **Ask Jesus** to be especially close to each individual and help them along their path to understanding His wonderful, loving, grace and care... **Praise** that He is our 'rock of refuge and fortress' in challenging times... **Pray** for the New Church Members and JustOne Guests Welcome Evening happening this week (21st June).

Continue to pray for **St. Mark's Preschool** lunch for their children and families on 30th June especially for good weather, protection and building stronger relationships with one another.

Pray for Gillingham Methodist Church as they celebrate their anniversary and for Saju who will be preaching there.

Pray for our Mission Partners, **Francis and Diane Dognon** in the challenging situations they will face this coming week... **Ask the LORD** to protect them and remind them of His amazing love, grace and faithfulness.

Pray for **Bethany King Hunter** and **Rob Sheppard's** recent engagement and for all their future plans.

Continue to pray for **Lucy Haslam and Joel Higson's** wedding on 30th June.

Continue to remember **Charmaine's husband Leon** in your prayers

Pray for **Siju & family** grieving the loss of her dad... **Derick, Terry & the Thom family** grieving the loss of Derick's sister Jean Smith... for **Lorraine Schultz** who has broken her elbow... for **Helen Standing** who has a broken wrist... for **Kelvin Summoogum's Dad** who has serious ulcers, but can't be treated with strong antibiotics due to kidney problems... **Paul Smith** who is waiting for an appointment at Kings Hospital for the results/treatment from his recent scan... for **Trevor Bloor** who is in hospital with a broken hip and all those known to us who need God's comfort and healing touch.

Pray for: **Francis & Diane Dognon** and **JustOne Gillingham**

Bible readings for June 2018

Day	Psalm	1 st Reading	2 nd Reading
Mon 18 th	71	Judges 8.22-end	Luke 15.1-10
Tues 19 th	73	Judges 9.1-21	Luke 15.11-end
Weds 20 th	77	Judges 9.22-end	Luke 16.1-18
Thurs 21 st	78.1-39	Judges 11.1-11	Luke 16.19-end
Fri 22 nd	55	Judges 11.29-end	Luke 17.1-10
Sat 23 rd	76	Judges 12.1-7	Luke 17.11-19

Except for the first Sunday of the month **during term time**, groups for children and young teenagers meet at the Old Vicarage, each Sunday morning. All our youth & children's workers are DBS checked for your child's protection and safety. **If you have young children** please feel free to take your children to the Creche area at the back of church, near the sound desk (ask if you can't see it). Children are important to us at St. Mark's and we want them to be happy. Please feel free to let them play quietly in the Creche; **we just ask that you stay with them and leave the area tidy!**