

## GENERAL PATTERN OF SERVICES



8.45am

1st Sunday Holy Communion  
2nd Sunday Service of Prayer  
3rd Sunday Service of Prayer

10.30am

1st Sunday Morning Prayer  
2nd Sunday Holy Communion  
3rd Sunday Informal Service  
3rd Sunday *In the hall* Children's service  
4th Sunday Holy Communion  
5th Sunday Morning Prayer

Prayer ministry is always available after the service or during Holy Communion

## HOUSE GROUPS

See John Chitham for more information

### YOUNG PEOPLE

Contact Ravi Sangra: ☎ 204317

#### CELLS

**Sunday in Café Nero**  
3-4.30pm (Year 7 and above)

#### SUNDAY CLUBS

Groups available for all ages during the services

#### MIDWEEK CLUBS

**GLU** Thursday 5.30-6.30pm  
Ages 5+. Yr 1 & 2

**NRG** Monday 6-7.15pm  
Yr 3, 4, 5 & 6

**ZONE** Monday 7.15-8.30pm  
Yr 7, 8, 9 & 10

**BAND** Wednesday 6-7.30pm

**BIBLE STUDY** Friday 4.45-5.45pm  
8-11 year old

**YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHOIR**  
Friday 6-7pm

### MEN'S GROUP

Contact Ravi Sangra: ☎ 204317

### SMALLS

in church, **term time only.**

Contact Mary Parish: ☎ 236909

#### LITTLE FISH:

Wednesday 10-11.30

#### TOTS:

(For babies and toddlers with adult)

Tuesday & Thursday  
9.30 - 11.30

#### SNAPS:

for parents with children with special needs  
1st and 3rd Fridays  
9.30 - 11.30

### ST. MATTHEW'S

#### PRESCHOOL

(in the hall ☎ 218071)

Every day 9am - 3pm

Head Teacher:

Mrs. Liz Greene



# CHURCH PROGRAMME AT ST MATTHEW'S



Spring - Summer  
2010

### CONTACTS

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# ST MATTHEW'S PROGRAMME

## SERVICES

### Early Service of Prayer

8.45am

11 Apr - 9 May  
16 May  
23 May  
30 May-29 Aug

### THEMES

Resurrection  
Ascension  
Pentecost  
Apostles creed

### Main Services

10.30am unless otherwise stated

<u>Date</u>		<u>Series/Special Day</u>
		<u>Resurrection</u>
11 April	Morning Prayer	<i>By the lakeside</i>
18 April	Informal Service	<i>New creation</i>
25 Apr	HC service with Clifton Community Church	<i>Emmaus Road</i>
02 May	Morning Prayer	<i>Peace</i>
09 May	Holy Communion	<i>Mission</i>
13 May	8pm Holy Communion	<i>Ascension Day</i>
16 May	Informal Service	<i>Ascension</i>
23 May	Holy Communion	<i>Pentecost</i>
30 May	Morning Prayer	<i>Trinity</i>
		<u>What Jesus said about</u>
06 June	Morning Prayer	<i>Natural disasters</i>
13 June	Holy Communion	<i>Power</i>
20 June	Informal Service	<i>Food</i>
27 June	Holy Communion	<i>Love</i>
04 July	Morning Prayer	<i>Life after death</i>
11 July	Holy Communion	<i>Sexual sin</i>
18 July	Informal Service	<i>War</i>
25 July	Holy Communion	<i>Families</i>
01 Aug	Morning Prayer	<i>Property</i>
08 Aug	Holy Communion	<i>Angels</i>
15 Aug	Informal Service	<i>Justice</i>
22 Aug	Holy Communion	<i>Religious symbols</i>
29 Aug	Morning Prayer	<i>Divorce</i>

# Spring - Summer 2010

## SUNDAY EVENING COURSES 5pm (to 7pm at the latest)

### The Letter to the Hebrews

The evening course for the summer will run from 25<sup>th</sup> April until 22<sup>nd</sup> August (18 weeks in all). We will be studying the letter to the Hebrews together. For everyone joining in it will be essential to buy a copy of Tom Wright's "Hebrew's for Everyone" (we will do a bulk order nearer the time to reduce cost). To get the most out of the course there will need to be a degree of commitment (allowing for the fact it is the holiday season). There will also be the opportunity for different people to lead the sessions.

The course will run as follows:

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|---|---------------------------------------|
| 1. Introduction (and Ch. 5:11-6:3)              | 9. The New Covenant (Ch.8)            |
| 2. Jesus and the Angels (Ch. 1-2:9)             | 10. Jesus' sacrifice (1) (Ch. 9:1-14) |
| 3. Jesus and his brothers (Ch. 2:10-18)         | 11. Jesus the mediator (Ch.9:15-28)   |
| 4. Jesus and Moses (Ch. 3)                      | 12. Jesus' sacrifice (2) (Ch.10:1-18) |
| 5. The Sabbath (Ch. 4:1-13)                     | 13. Judgement and Hope (Ch.10:19-39)  |
| 6. Jesus the High Priest (Ch. 4:14-5:10)        | 14. Faith (1) (Ch.11:1-22)            |
| 7. Hard teaching and God's promise (Ch. 6:4-20) | 15. Faith (2) (Ch.11: 23-40)          |
| 8. Jesus and Melchizedek (Ch.7)                 | 16. Looking to Jesus (Ch.12:1-17)     |
|   | 17. A new mountain (Ch.12:18-29)      |
|   | 18. Summing up (Ch.13)                |

## EVENTS

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>
Sun 11 Apr	10.30am	Annual Parochial Church Meeting followed by fish & Chip lunch
Tues 18 May	7.30pm	Confirmation-St Andrew's Tarring
Thurs 20 May	7.30pm (8pm)	PCC meeting
Fri 28 May	1.45pm	Heene School service
Fri 25 June		Comedy Night, Dome Function Suite
Fri 2 July -	Sun 4 July	Slum Survivor
Sat 3 July	8am	Men's breakfast
Mon 26 - Fri 30 Jul		Holiday Club
Mon 11- 16 Aug		Soul Survivor