

New Appointments for our Parish

Following the AGM, we welcome new members to the Church Council:

Dave Timms and Dianne Lane.

Clare Rose will be the Warden/Steward at St. Paul's, with deputies

Chris Rose, Brenda Fisher, Tony Gasson, Nathalie Marshall and Simone McCalla.

Dianne Mills and Leila Thwaites continue as Wardens/Stewards

at St. Tim's, assisted by Viv Craig as deputy.

Liz Gucci will be returning to join Mick Fry as the Wardens/Stewards at Eldene.

Many thanks to all of you, and to those others who are continuing to serve our church.

COME AND JOIN US FOR OUR CIRCUIT EASTER OFFERING

THANKSGIVING - this will in part take the form of a Love feast as we look at Companions in Faith, Hope and Love. We shall hear of encouraging work overseas, and Rev. Janet Evans will give the address (who herself has been in Gambia). Then share in fellowship over tea and cakes. Queen's Drive Methodist Church 2.00pm Wednesday 19th May.

YOU ARE WELCOME

FRIDAY 21st MAY at 7.30pm in St. Timothy's Church, Liden.

"A Musical Entertainment by Liam O'Leary"

Liam plays a number of instruments and it will be a Combination of Country, Irish and Rock Music.

Tickets £5.00 are available from Leila Thwaites (430350)

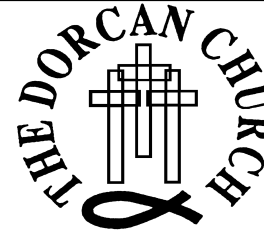
Diane Killick (336420) or Colin Parsons (692004)

Please support this event! Liam, a resident of Liden, has donated his evening and all money raised is going to The Dorcan Church.

All items for inclusion in next week's notices should be sent to Anna Newman by Thursday 13th May

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(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

9th May, 2010

Ministers: Rev. Tony Knapp Tel: 525130
Rev. Derek Collins Tel: 523810
Rev. Beth Brown Tel: 747926

*Please avoid contacting Ministers on their days off:-
Derek - Mon: Tony - Friday: Beth - Mon/Fri*

SERVICES - 9th May - Christian Aid Sunday

St. Paul's

8.45am	Holy Communion	Derek Collins
10.30am	Morning Worship	Stuart Fisher With Cell Groups

Refreshments after this service - please stay if you can

St Tim's

10.30am	Holy Communion With Thanksgiving	Tony Knapp
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We welcome the family of Joshua James Baker who bring him for a Thanksgiving to St. Tim's this morning. *Refreshments after this service - please stay if you can*

Eldene

10.30am	Morning Worship	Neil Marshall
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Lectionary Readings, for 9th May	Acts 16: 9-15 Ps 67	Rev. 21: 10, 22: 1-5 John 14: 23-29
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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.

NEXT WEEK		
Mon . 10th May	2.00-4.00pm 7.30pm	Scrabble & Dominoes at St. Tim's Fellowship & Bible Study at Thorne Road, Eldene
Tues. 11th May	1.30pm 6.30pm 7.30pm 7.30pm	Tiny Tots at St. Paul's Meeting at St. Paul's for Young people involved with Holiday Club Cell Group - Fitzmaurice Close Church Council at St. Tim's
Wed. 12th May	9.15am 10.00am 1.30pm 7.30pm	Holiday Club Planning Group Holy Communion at St. Tim's Tiny Tots at St. Tim's Cell Group - Tregantle Walk
Thurs.13th May	10.00am 3.00pm 7.30pm 7.30pm 7.30pm	Holy Communion at St. Paul's Holy Communion at Wick House Cell Group - Sedgebrook, Liden Cell Group - Sutton Road, Eldene Cell Group - Austen Cresc. Liden

SERVICES - 16th May - Sunday after Ascension		
St. Paul's		
8.45am	Morning Worship	Barbara Wilcox
10.30am	Holy Communion	Derek Collins
<i>Welcome: John & Joan McCann, Teas: Jenny Collins, Crèche: Nathalie Marshall</i>		
St. Tim's		
10.30am	Holy Communion	Beth Brown
Eldene		
10.30am	Holy Communion	Tony Knapp

COME FOR COFFEE - St. Paul's Church -**TODAY** - Sunday 9th May
Come at 9.45 after the early service - or following the 10.30 service - or you could come to both! There will be lots of cakes to buy for your Sunday tea and time to chat - knowing that your enjoyment is also helping Christian Aid. You can't lose!

SUNDAY 23rd MAY
By popular demand Vybe will once again be serving **BREAKFAST** before the Pentecost Service from 9.30am onwards.
- Bacon, eggs, muffins, toast, fruit etc. -
Come and join us.

If you are usually on the **quarterly duty rota**, please will you let me know of any holidays you have planned for the next 3 months, or other dates when you will not be available. If you are not on the rota and would like to make tea, prepare the prayers, read in the service, welcome people into the church, clean the church etc. please get in touch.
Sandra (638593)

Elizabeth and Tom Hogg recently arranged a **fund-raising lunch** for Rukya, a schoolgirl in Palestine supported by the Eldene Church. This raised £77.60; thanks to everyone who came and gave donations.

Holiday Club
For all **young people** who help at Holiday Club - Tuesday 11th May
Meeting with Abi at St. Paul's at 6.30 - 8.30pm
Planning Group meet at Sandringham Road
on Wednesday 12th May at 9.15am

Prayer Initiative
For the next few weeks we will be praying for the residents of Wrenswood, The Buntings and Pipitdene, Covingham. Please also remember them in your private prayers.

MS Challenge in the Brecon Beacons 19th June
Tracey is once again attempting the annual MS challenge. She will be a wheel-chair passenger assisted by 12 people who will attempt to complete a 12K orienteering style trek over a demanding hill course. If you would like to support Tracey, please ask a warden about sponsor forms which should be available at all the church centres.