

Notices for week of Sunday 22 September 2024

Wednesday 25 Sept 10am Eucharist Service - 5.30pm Evening Prayer

Friday 27 September 5pm – ‘Breathing Space’ here in church. Thirty minutes of silence for prayer and contemplation. All welcome

St. Andrew’s Open Daily – our church is open unattended each day between the hours of 10am and 4pm. If you are in the vicinity of the church either out walking or with your dog, we would encourage you to pop into the church, as the more footfall we have around the church during the open times the better for security.

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HARVEST - Sunday 6 October Harvest Thanksgiving with a bring and share lunch at 12.15pm in the Parish Hall.

A list is on the entry table giving a selection of food to bring. Just put your name against the food item. Please also add you name to the Attendance List on the table.

Please remember to Bring your own choice of drink.

Harvest Donations of tinned or dried food with the Diocesan charity Family Support Work in mind will be much appreciated.

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Tues 1st Oct 1pm – A Service of Thanksgiving for the Life of Christine Smith will be held here in church. Christine was a faithful worshipper and sidesperson here for many many years. We keep her husband Philip and family very much in our thoughts and prayers.

Kay Blackburn has served as a Reader within the Church of England for 27 years, 18 of which have been in our Benefice. Her long service is being recognised by the Diocese at a service in Chichester Cathedral on **Saturday 28 September at 11am** when she will be made a Reader Emeritus. The service is open to all. There is no need to book, but do let Kay know of your intention to attend.

A Benefice prayer during our Vacancy:

Heavenly Father, your love for us is unchangeable. Send down your Holy Spirit upon us at this time of uncertainty and change, to fill us with vision and energy and faithfulness in prayer. May we receive the priest you have prepared for us; ready to serve us with joy, to build us up in faith, and lead us by example in loving obedience to your Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Quaker Week Seaford Quakers invite any who would like to experience a typical Quaker meeting to join them on **Sunday 6 October** as part of national Quaker Week. For further details contact ruthkwhitelaw@gmail.com

Homelink – Helping people into housing - Fundraising

25th Anniversary Gala Concert in St. John sub Castro Church, Lewes on Saturday 12th OCTOBER 7pm to 10pm. Tickets £15 available now online Trybooking.com/uk/DVRJ see **Poster in the porch**. There will also be a Silent Auction during the evening.