

Stockwood Free Church

HSUNDAY SERVICES AT 10.45am ON SFC PREMISES AND ON FCC

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During July we come to the end of our series looking at Paul's letter to the Romans ... from the end of July, we start our Summer series on some of the women in the Bible.

July

7th Beth Community – How can we live together in love? Romans 13-14 (includes all

age Communion)

14th Dave Cooling Tear Fund (followed by a Fellowship Lunch)

21st Travis Mission – How can we be ambitious with the gospel? Romas 15-16

28th Lance Ruth

August

4th Lance Esther

11th Martin Martha & Mary

18th Lance Mary, Mother of Jesus 25th Richard Law Mary Magdalene

Please note that there may be the odd "swap" now and then during August.

NEW THIS MONTH

FAMILY COMMUNION SERVICE

Sunday 7th **July** – twice a year we celebrate Communion in the first half of the service. Please talk to your children about whether they might "take the wine and bread".

FELLOWSHIP MEAL

On **Sunday 14**th **July** we have arranged a speaker – a good friend of Lance's and Carol's – to talk about Tear Fund. After the service we will enjoy a simple meal. Please contribute a pudding for us to share; all profits will go to the ongoing work of Tear Fund.

MEMBERS' MEETING

Thursday 18th July – Please do join us if you possibly can; there are some exciting things to talk about!

ACTIVITY DAY

Thursday 25th July – 9am to 3.30pm for children in Reception to Year 6. With games, crafts, video etc. Bring a packed lunch. Advance registration essential, please see Clare. We need more helpers – if you are free, please speak to Pauline B or Clare.

TOGETHER FOR BRISTOL

Here is an excellent website advertising upcoming events and job vacancies: Together4Bristol - Transforming Bristol Together

CHRISTIAN CONCERN

If you would be interested in receiving regular emails from Christian Concern, please speak to Clare – you can find out more here: About - Christian Concern

LOOKING AHEAD

CHURCH ROOF – The Church has chosen a company to repair our roof. We are looking to start in early September. More details to follow.

HARVEST SOCIAL EVENT – Saturday 21st September – We will share a meal together and be treated (if that's what you can call Lance's playing!) to a concert by the Stockwood Concert Band. The following day will be our Harvest Service.

BREAKFAST EVENT – Saturday 12th October – Please just put the date in your diary for now. More details about our speaker will follow in due course.

HOLIDAY CLUB – 19th-20th February 2025 – Very advanced warning!

ONGOING & REGULAR ITEMS

LANCES LABOURS

He is going to "take it easy" for a couple of months..... or so he says!

WHERE IS LANCE?

Lance and Carol will be around all July and are booked to be away for a long weekend late in August/early September. They will probably organise a few days away sometime in the middle of August as well.

HOME GROUPS

Mondays: Each week at 7.45pm on Zoom

Thursdays: Each week at 7.45pm – 83 Stockwood Road

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LEADERS MEETING

Monday July 8th at 7.45pm

MESSY CHURCH

Tuesday July 16th at 4pm

PRAYER MEETING

Wednesday July 17th at 4pm

MEMBERS' MEETING

Thursday July 18th at 7.45pm

MONTHLY BIBLE MEDITATION

Saturday July 20th at 8am

PRAYER WALK

Meet at the corner of Linnet Way on **Sunday July 21st** at 4pm to walk around this month's prayer area.

TODDLERS

Every Wednesday & Friday from 9am-11.30am. Our last session before the Summer break will be **Wednesday July 17**th

WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP

Each week from 2.30-4pm

PUPPETS

Alternate Wednesdays at 7pm (speak to Emily Stephens for more details/dates)

PRAYER ITEMS FOR JULY

Around the Fellowship:

Joan Mills, Ted & Pat Morse, John & Amanda Murray & family, Margaret Nash, Steve, Claire & Phoebe Nash, Devon, Nadine & Joshua Nelson, Clive & Hilary Newman & family

Around the Neighbourhood:

Sturminster Rd (top), Robinson House, Dutton Road, Dutton Walk, Dutton Close, Whittock Road, Whittock Square, Woodlands Academy & Children's Centre

There won't be a prayer list or walk in **AUGUST**, so please focus your prayers on our children/young people and the local schools, especially Waycroft, Woodlands and Oasis Academy Brislington.