

Volunteers at Primetime

Could you volunteer at the Primetime groups to build relationships with local children and young people? On Wednesdays during term-time organisation Primetime runs a kids group (primary school age) from 3-4pm, and a young people's group 4-5pm. Philippa is looking for a couple of people who could volunteer regularly, as whilst the group runs well with the two staff members from Primetime, the best way for us as a church to build connections with people is through relationships. Conversations about faith and church come best when people know us and trust us. Please speak to Philippa or drop in to Primetime one week and speak to the staff there.

Hymn List

During the Focus Groups, hymns and music played a large part in the discussion on our worship. Consequently, we have made a list of all the hymns in our hymnbook and ask you to take a copy and put a tick against all those you know (not necessarily like!) and a star against those which are your favourites. We will then compile a master list of those which are most well-known and those which are the most popular and work from those. Many hymns have more than one tune associated with them; it's not possible to list all those, but the different tunes we have used most often are listed. These can be identified by typing the tune name into YouTube, or there is a CD with them all on which we will play for you if you ask. Please indicate, again, which tune you know and which you prefer. Please return your sheets to Philippa or Hilary by **Sunday 30th June** at the latest (sooner would be good!) Many thanks!

Celebration of Revd Daniel's priesting

On Sunday 23rd June there is a joint service at St John's Clayton, 10am, to celebrate Daniel's ordination as a priest. It's for folk from St Johns, St Saviours and St Peters, so there will be **NO SERVICE** here at St Saviours that Sunday. After the service there'll be a bring and share lunch, so please could you bring something to share! It could be anything from salads, sandwiches, crisps, fruit, to cakes and sweet things. Pop it into the community rooms at St John's before the service Hope to see you there!

Intercessions

It would be good to have more volunteers to lead intercessions on Sundays. Support/advice is available if needed. **Please contact Philippa.**

Sunday 2nd June 2024

First Sunday after Trinity

The Call of Moses

Service: Holy Communion

Hymns:

242; 235; 278; 87

Welcome to St. Saviour's Church

www.stsavioursfwg.org.uk

Interim Priest-in-Charge:

Vacant

Interim Associate Minister

Revd Philippa Slingsby-Lunn (tel.07916 715659)

Assistant Curate

Revd. Daniel Furlong (tel: 07749 941348)

Churchwardens:

Mrs. Grace Studholme; Mr. John Ratnik

Children in Church

Children are most welcome to our services.

Refreshments.

Please join us for refreshments in the hall after the service

Please take this service sheet home with you

Collect of the Day (*First Sunday after trinity*)

O God, the strength of all those who put their trust in you, mercifully accept our prayers and, because through the weakness of our mortal nature we can do no good thing without you, grant us the help of your grace, that in the keeping of your commandments we may please you both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever..

Exodus 3:1-14, 4:1-17

¹Moses was keeping the flock of his father-in-law Jethro, the priest of Midian; he led his flock beyond the wilderness, and came to Horeb, the mountain of God. ²There the angel of the LORD appeared to him in a flame of fire out of a bush; he looked, and the bush was blazing, yet it was not consumed. ³Then Moses said, 'I must turn aside and look at this great sight, and see why the bush is not burned up.' ⁴When the LORD saw that he had turned aside to see, God called to him out of the bush, 'Moses, Moses!' And he said, 'Here I am.' ⁵Then he said, 'Come no closer! Remove the sandals from your feet, for the place on which you are standing is holy ground.' ⁶He said further, 'I am the God of your father, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob.' And Moses hid his face, for he was afraid to look at God.

⁷ Then the LORD said, 'I have observed the misery of my people who are in Egypt; I have heard their cry on account of their taskmasters. Indeed, I know their sufferings, ⁸and I have come down to deliver them from the Egyptians, and to bring them up out of that land to a good and broad land, a land flowing with milk and honey, to the country of the Canaanites, the Hittites, the Amorites, the Perizzites, the Hivites, and the Jebusites. ⁹The cry of the Israelites has now come to me; I have also seen how the Egyptians oppress them. ¹⁰So come, I will send you to Pharaoh to bring my people, the Israelites, out of Egypt.' ¹¹But Moses said to God, 'Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh, and bring the Israelites out of Egypt?' ¹²He said, 'I will be with you; and this shall be the sign for you that it is I who sent you: when you have brought the people out of Egypt, you shall worship God on this mountain.'

¹³ But Moses said to God, 'If I come to the Israelites and say to them, "The God of your ancestors has sent me to you", and they ask me, "What is his name?" what shall I say to them?' ¹⁴God said to Moses, 'I AM WHO I AM.' He said further, 'Thus you shall say to the Israelites, "I AM has sent me to

you." '

¹Then Moses answered, 'But suppose they do not believe me or listen to me, but say, "The LORD did not appear to you." ' ²The LORD said to him, 'What is that in your hand?' He said, 'A staff.' ³And he said, 'Throw it on the ground.' So he threw the staff on the ground, and it became a snake; and Moses drew back from it. ⁴Then the LORD said to Moses, 'Reach out your hand, and seize it by the tail'-so he reached out his hand and grasped it, and it became a staff in his hand- ⁵so that they may believe that the LORD, the God of their ancestors, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has appeared to you.'

⁶ Again, the LORD said to him, 'Put your hand inside your cloak.' He put his hand into his cloak; and when he took it out, his hand was leprous, as white as snow. ⁷Then God said, 'Put your hand back into your cloak'-so he put his hand back into his cloak, and when he took it out, it was restored like the rest of his body- ⁸If they will not believe you or heed the first sign, they may believe the second sign. ⁹If they will not believe even these two signs or heed you, you shall take some water from the Nile and pour it on the dry ground; and the water that you shall take from the Nile will become blood on the dry ground.'

¹⁰ But Moses said to the LORD, 'O my Lord, I have never been eloquent, neither in the past nor even now that you have spoken to your servant; but I am slow of speech and slow of tongue.' ¹¹Then the LORD said to him, 'Who gives speech to mortals? Who makes them mute or deaf, seeing or blind? Is it not I, the LORD?' ¹²Now go, and I will be with your mouth and teach you what you are to speak.' ¹³But he said, 'O my Lord, please send someone else.' ¹⁴Then the anger of the LORD was kindled against Moses and he said, 'What of your brother Aaron the Levite? I know that he can speak fluently; even now he is coming out to meet you, and when he sees you his heart will be glad. ¹⁵You shall speak to him and put the words in his mouth; and I will be with your mouth and with his mouth, and will teach you what you shall do. ¹⁶He indeed shall speak for you to the people; he shall serve as a mouth for you, and you shall serve as God for him. ¹⁷Take in your hand this staff, with which you shall perform the signs.'

Post-communion (*First Sunday after trinity*)

Eternal Father, we thank you for nourishing us with these heavenly gifts: may our communion strengthen us in faith, build us up in hope, and make us grow in love; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

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	6.00 p.m.	Beaver Scouts
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	3.00 p.m.	Primetime Junior
	6.30 p.m.	Cub Scouts
	7.30 p.m.	Scouts and Explorers
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Please pray for all on our prayer list: Dermot, Eric and Wendy, Doreen, Ivan, Pauline, Tracy, Keretha and Simon, Billy and anyone known to you

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