



Bewsborough Bulletin

The weekly newsletter for Barfreestone, Coldred, Guston, Eythorne & Elvington, Waldershare, Shepherdsweil and Whitfield

Coming Up

Sun 7th September

9.00am | Morning Worship | St. Nicholas'
10.30am | Holy Communion | St. Andrew's
10.30am | Whitfield Worship | Village Hall
1.00pm | Baptism of Ettie | St. Peter's
6.00pm | BCP Communion | St. Martin's

Wed 10th September

9.30am | Let's Chat | Whitfield Rec. Pavilion

Thur 11th September

11.30am | Informal Communion | SS Peter & Paul's

Friday 12th September

9.30am | Let's Play! | Whitfield Community Centre

Sat 13th September

12.00pm | Baptism of Otylia | St. Andrew's

Sun 14th September

9.00am | BCP Communion | St. Pancras'
10.30am | Holy Communion | St. Andrew's
10.30am | Lets Worship! | Whitfield School Mayfield



Saturday 20th September

12 noon to 6pm

Whitfield Recreation Ground



The Friends of Kent Churches Sponsored Ride & Stride takes place each year on the second Saturday in September. This year it takes place next week!

Ride & Stride Day is an opportunity to raise money for Kent's churches and chapels by cycling or walking or being a welcomer in a church or chapel. Money raised is shared equally between the church or chapel nominated by the participant and the Friends of Kent Churches which awards grants to Kent's churches and chapels to help preserve them. Over the years churches in our parish have benefited from these grants so it is a great cause, and an opportunity to get out and about and around the parish and county!

So, do consider striding or riding and raising sponsorship, or sponsor someone taking part (**like Billy and Mary Hollis – who are aiming to visit 42 churches during their cycle**)

or, if that sounds a little too energetic, then perhaps be available in one of our churches to welcome those arriving through the day.

For Our Prayers

Please pray for the following people, all known to God, who need our prayers and for those who tend to them and show them love and care:

Tallulah, Michael, Pauline, Ian M, Mark, David B, Whitney, Tantely, Janet B, Madge, Jill R, Ian, Marion G, Fred Ransley, Paige, Margaret C, and Tom van den Ende.

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Weddings and Blessings Through the Summer.....



Simon & Louise - a woodland blessing

What a jam packed summer of weddings and wedding blessings! Such a joy for us to be celebrating with all of these couples and also Wayne & Lisa and Lee and Louisa (whose wedding selfies were not collected).



Dan & Jan
St. Andrew's



Paul & Lizzie, St. Peter's



Chris & Alex - a blessing at Judd's Folly



Alex & Jo, St. Peter's



Will & Harriet, St. Andrew's



Chris & Tina, St. Peter's



Louise & Simon - St. Nicholas

Sunday and Mid-Week Worship for September

Date	Location	Service
Thur 4th September	SS Peter & Paul's, Eythorne & Elvington	11.30am Informal Communion
7th September Green Trinity 12	St. Nicholas, Barfrestone	9.00am Morning Worship
	St. Andrew, Shepherdswell	10.30am Holy Communion
	Whitfield Village Hall	10.30 Whitfield Worship
	St. Peter, Whitfield	1.00pm Baptism of Ettie
	St. Martin's, Guston	6.00pm Communion
Thur 11th September	SS Peter & Paul's, Eythorne & Elvington	11.30am Informal Communion
13th September	St. Andrew, Shepherdswell	12.00pm Baptism
14th September Green Trinity 13	St. Pancras, Coldred	9.00am BCP Communion
	St. Andrew, Shepherdswell	10.30am Holy Communion
	Whitfield School Hall Mayfield Road Site	10.30 Whitfield Worship
Thur 18th September	SS Peter & Paul's, Eythorne & Elvington	11.30am Informal Communion
21st September Green Trinity 14	St. Nicholas, Barfrestone	9.00am Holy Communion
	St. Andrew, Shepherdswell	10.30am Whole Church Worship
		1.00pm Baptism of Amelia
	St. Peter's, Whitfield	10.30am Family Communion
	St. Martin's, Guston	6.00pm Evensong
Thur 25th September	SS Peter & Paul's, Eythorne & Elvington	11.30am Informal Communion
28th September Green Trinity 15	St. Pancras, Coldred	9.00am BCP Communion
	St. Andrew, Shepherdswell	10.30am Morning Worship
	St. Peter, Whitfield	10.30 Whitfield Worship



READY TO HAVE SOME FUN?
JOIN US AT THE

WHITFIELD FETE

WHITFIELD RECREATION GROUND
SATURDAY 20th SEP / 12-6pm

FEATURING:

DOVER COMMUNITY RADIO
ARENA ENTERTAINMENT

DOVER TRANSPORT MUSEUM & CLASSIC VEHICLES

BAR - ICECREAM - POPCORN - CANDYFLOSS

FOOD & CRAFT STALLS - BOUNCY CASTLE

FACE PAINTING - FIRE ENGINE - FOOTBALL

BARROW OF BOOZE

DOG SHOW & MUCH MORE!

ALL AGES WELCOME!

PARKING IN REC WILL BE LIMITED

**MOST STALLS CANNOT ACCEPT
CARD PAYMENTS**



Deuteronomy 30:15–20

See, I set before you today life and prosperity, death and destruction. For I command you today to love the Lord your God, to walk in obedience to him, and to keep his commands, decrees and laws; then you will live and increase, and the Lord your God will bless you in the land you are entering to possess.

But if your heart turns away and you are not obedient, and if you are drawn away to bow down to other gods and worship them, I declare to you this day that you will certainly be destroyed. You will not live long in the land you are crossing the Jordan to enter and possess.

This day I call the heavens and the earth as witnesses against you that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Now choose life, so that you and your children may live and that you may love the Lord your God, listen to his voice, and hold fast to him. For the Lord is your life, and he will give you many years in the land he swore to give to your fathers, Abraham, Isaac and Jacob.

Luke 14:25–33

Large crowds were travelling with Jesus, and turning to them he said: ‘If anyone comes to me and does not hate father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters – yes, even their own life – such a person cannot be my disciple. And whoever does not carry their cross and follow me cannot be my disciple.

‘Suppose one of you wants to build a tower. Won’t you first sit down and estimate the cost to see if you have enough money to complete it? For if you lay the foundation and are not able to finish it, everyone who sees it will ridicule you, saying, “This person began to build and wasn’t able to finish.”

‘Or suppose a king is about to go to war against another king. Won’t he first sit down and consider whether he is able with ten thousand men to oppose the one coming against him with twenty thousand? If he is not able, he will send a delegation while the other is still a long way off and will ask for terms of peace. In the same way, those of you who do not give up everything you have cannot be my disciples.

Philemon 1–21

Paul, a prisoner of Christ Jesus, and Timothy our brother, To Philemon our dear friend and fellow worker – also to Apphia our sister and Archippus our fellow soldier – and to the church that meets in your home:

Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

I always thank my God as I remember you in my prayers, because I hear about your love for all his holy people and your faith in the Lord Jesus. I pray that your partnership with us in the faith may be effective in deepening your understanding of every good thing we share for the sake of Christ. Your love has given me great joy and encouragement, because you, brother, have refreshed the hearts of the Lord’s people.

Therefore, although in Christ I could be bold and order you to do what you ought to do, yet I prefer to appeal to you on the basis of love. It is as none other than Paul – an old man and now also a prisoner of Christ Jesus – that I appeal to you for my son Onesimus, who became my son while I was in chains. Formerly he was useless to you, but now he has become useful both to you and to me.

I am sending him – who is my very heart – back to you. I would have liked to keep him with me so that he could take your place in helping me while I am in chains for the gospel. But I did not want to do anything without your consent, so that any favour you do would not seem forced but would be voluntary. Perhaps the reason he was separated from you for a little while was that you might have him back for ever – no longer as a slave, but better than a slave, as a dear brother. He is very dear to me but even dearer to you, both as a fellow man and as a brother in the Lord.

So if you consider me a partner, welcome him as you would welcome me. If he has done you any wrong or owes you anything, charge it to me. I, Paul, am writing this with my own hand. I will pay it back – not to mention that you owe me your very self. I do wish, brother, that I may have some benefit from you in the Lord; refresh my heart in Christ. Confident of your obedience, I write to you, knowing that you will do even more than I ask.

DENY THEMSELVES AND
TAKE UP THEIR CROSS
AND FOLLOW ME



God of constant mercy, who sent your Son to save us: remind us of your goodness, increase your grace within us, that our thankfulness may grow, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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MOST *needed* ITEMS

HARVEST 2025



CEREAL



UHT MILK



FRUIT JUICE (UHT)



TINNED MEAT



TINNED FISH



JAM AND SPREADS



NOODLES



CUSTARD

TINNED VEGETABLES



INSTANT MASH



MALE & FEMALE DEODORANTS



SHAMPOO & CONDITIONER



LAUNDRY PRODUCTS



CLEANING PRODUCTS

PLEASE NOTE

*We have plenty
of beans & pulses*

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