

Notices for Summer 2023

Stockwood Free Church

HSUNDAY SERVICES AT 10.45am ON SFC PREMISES AND ON FCC

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During July and August, we will finish our short series studying a few of the lesser-known prophets and then mirror what our young people are doing by looking at some of the parables that Jesus told. As ever we seek to discern how God's word is relevant to our lives today.

July

9 th	Martin Stephens	Haggai
16 th	Beth Stephens	Malachi
23 rd	Lance Mason	The Lost Sons – Prodigal and self-righteous sons (Luke 15:11-32)
30 th	Ted Morse	The Lost Sheep – Jesus never lets us go (Luke 15:1-7)

August

6 th	Lance Mason	The Great Feast (Matthew 13:1-23)
13 th	Pete Slee	The Wheat & The Seeds (Matthew 13:24-30 & 36-43)
20 th	Neville Lintern	The Mustard Seed & Yeast (Matthew 13:31-33)
27 th	Ted Morse	The Good Samaritan – Surprising helper (Luke 10:25-37)

NEW THIS MONTH

Over the Summer we may well arrange some one-off events depending on who is around so just keep an ear open on Sundays and check your e-mails. In particular, we may well have another go at organising an open air "Songs of Praise" – we had no song requests for 2nd July.

TEA DANCE

On **Saturday August 5th** from 2pm to 4.30pm, we are holding a Tea Dance at the church – all welcome. This will be funded by the John James Trust. Please speak to Joyce if you'd like to know more.

ONGOING & REGULAR ITEMS

LANCE'S LABOURS

Over the summer I will spend time developing our Autumn preaching series but also exploring an opportunity to work with our local primary school children ... more details to follow in due course.

WHERE IS LANCE?

We will be around in July but are off camping in Devon later in August.

HOME GROUPS

- Mondays: Each week at 7.45pm on Zoom
- Thursdays: Each week at 7.45pm – 83 Stockwood Road
- Thursdays: Each week at 7.45pm on Zoom

ADVENTURERS LEADERS MEETING

Monday July 3rd at 8pm

BIBLE MEDITATION

Saturday July 8th & August 12th at 8am on Zoom

PRAYER WALK

Meet at the junction of Sturminster Road triangle on **Sunday July 9th** at 4pm to walk around this month's prayer area.

LEADERS' MEETING

Monday July 10th at 7.45pm

PRAYER MEETING

Wednesday July 12th & August 9th at 4pm

MEMBERS MEETING

Thursday 20th July at 7.45pm.

TODDLERS

Every Wednesday & Friday from 9am-11.30am.

We will finish for the Summer on **Wednesday July 19th** and resume on **Wednesday September 6th**

WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP

Each week from 2.30-4pm.

PRAYER ITEMS JULY

Around the Fellowship:

Valerie Matthews, Bethan Miller & family, Joan Mills, Ted & Pat Morse, John & Amanda Murray & family, Margaret Nash, Steve, Claire & Phoebe Nash

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.

DEADLINE FOR NEXT MONTH'S NOTICES – 30th August