





St J's Diary & Notices: w/c Sunday, 12/06/2022

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| (2 nd in month) Sunday, 12/06/2022 Trinity | 11.00 | 1982 Family Eucharist (Church); Godly Play Activity Bags available; refreshments afterwards (Hall) | |
| | 18.00 | Contemporary Worship (Church) | None now until September |
| | 18.00 | Regional Youth Choir Concert (Church) | Free admission. |
| | Any time* | Service online | www.stjohnsdumfries.org , *Available on website from about same time as actual event & for some days thereafter |
| Monday, 13/06/2022 | 10.00-17.00 | Church Office open | |
| | 10.30-17.30 | UCI Groups (Hall) | |
| Tuesday, 14/06/2022 | 17.45 | A Time for Meditation (Meeting Room) | |
| | 18.30 | 1982 Eucharist (Lady Chapel) | |
| | Any time* | Meditation online | www.stjohnsdumfries.org . *Available on website from about same time as actual event & for some days thereafter |
| Wednesday, 15/06/2022 | 10.30 | 1970 Eucharist (Church), followed by refreshments (Hall) | |
| | 18.30 | Choir Practice (Hall) | |
| Thursday, 16/06/2022 | 18.30 | 1982 Eucharist (Church) | Corpus Christi |
| | 19.30 | Bell Practice (Tower) | Please contact bells@stjohnsdumfries.org or 07754 596140 if not a regular. |
| Friday, 17/06/2022 | 10.00-17.00 | Church Office open | |
| Saturday, 18/06/2022 | | | |
| (3 rd in month) Sunday, 19/06/2022 Pentecost 2 | 11.00 | 1982 Family Eucharist (Church); Godly Play (Hall); refreshments afterwards (Hall) | |
| | 14.00 | Forest Church | Meet outside Crichton Church, dressed for weather |
| | 18.00 | Sung Evensong (Church) | None now until September |
| | Any time* | Service online | www.stjohnsdumfries.org . *Available on website from about same time as actual event & for some days thereafter |

And, as always, if you need us, you can contact

- The Rector on 01387 254126 / 07487 653069
/ rector@stjohnsdumfries.org

The Church Office on 07754 596140 / pastadmin@stjohnsdumfries.org

Godly Play made and decorated **cakes** and sold them in the Hall last week. Proceeds went to Christian Aid. Linda and Aanunthee would like to thank everyone for their purchases and donations. £80 was raised!

The **Regional Youth Choir** concert in St John's is **tonight, Sunday 12th June at 6pm**, (this replaces the evening worship that usually takes place on the 2nd Sunday of the month and, as mentioned above, there will be no more Evensong until September).

St John's MU will be celebrating its **Centenary** in November this year. A number of events will take place to mark this - most importantly, a **service of Thanksgiving at 11 am on Saturday 19th November**, at which Bishop Kevin will preside, followed by a lunch.

Mothers' Union UK states – "We are grateful for the support and encouragement of Her Majesty the Queen, our dedicated Patron for the last 70 years. Her dedication and resilience through the decades has cemented her image as a strong and inspiring female role model. In honour of this, we are focusing our **Jubilee Summer of Hope** on supporting the next generation of female leaders from the grassroots up: supporting women with skills, knowledge and confidence to shape the future and transform communities and families for the better." It is hoped St John's MU will be able to donate £100 from the proceeds of the Strawberry Teas (and raffles) to the Jubilee Summer of Hope, as part of our Centenary celebrations. **Twenty tickets are available for each event (14 July & 21 July) costing the grand sum of £2 each. Once they're gone, they're gone!** Please support us if you can. Tickets available from Carolynne and Jenny.

Bear Fest 7-9 July: we still need **stewards** in both the church and the hall to welcome people coming to the Bear Fest. If you can **help** with this, please will you sign up on the sheet at the back, near the door to the Hall.

Minutes from the SGM about the use of Nave and High Altars are available at the back of the Church.

Margaret Morton

The Vestry has been discussing how to take forward the ideas that were the **priorities** in the discussions on Welcoming and Belonging. There will be a **Vestry Update** at the I I am service on the **26th June** to bring everyone up to date on this and other matters discussed recently at Vestry.

Margaret Morton

The June-August edition of the **Magazine** should be out by next Sunday. I'll confirm when it's actually ready, but Distributors kindly stand by!

David

Annan Academy's School Show this year is to be **Shrek**. If there were enough people from St J's (min 10) interested in going on Wednesday, 22 June for 19.30 (dep St J's 18.30), we could take the minibus. There's a sign-up sheet at the back of the church. Tickets: £8; Bus fare: £5.

David