

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY

Morning Worship

Children's activities every Sunday

10.30am

10.20am

MONDAY

Brightstars Toddler Group *contact Linda 01702 204309*

9:30–11:45am

Ballroom Sequence Dancing Club IN THE HALL

contact Fay 01268 780028

7:30-9:30pm

Triple H Community Choir IN CHURCH

contact Ashley 07581390448

7:30 - 9:30pm

TUESDAY

Yoga *contact Ruth 07818599183*

10:00–11:30am

Messy Church (Third Tuesday each month)

contact Anne 07739184627

4:00–5:30pm

Yoga *contact Ruth 07818599183*

7:30-9:00pm

WEDNESDAY

PIYO Pilates & Yoga *contact Rachel 07990513413*

9:30-10:30am

Bible Study and Communion

2nd Wednesday each month *contact Anne 07739184627*

3:00pm

2nd Hockley Brownie Pack *contact Amy Ensum 01702 470134*

5.30-7.00pm

Gospel Rocks Community Choir IN CHURCH

contact Hannah gospelrocksc@gmail.com

8:00-10:00pm

Badminton Club IN THE HALL *contact Wendy 01702 520332*

7:30-9.30pm

THURSDAY

50+ Keep Fit

10:00–11:30am

50+ Stretch & Trim *contact Julie 07912622483*

11:45-12:30pm

U3A Floral Art Group

1:30–4:30pm

contact Irene 01787 310265 Fourth Thursday each month

1st Hockley Beaver Colony *contact Jane 01702 203739*

5.15-6.15pm

1st Hockley Cub Scout Pack

hockleycubs@yahoo.co.uk

contact Mike 01702 201253

6.30-8:00pm

Thursday Social Club *alternate weeks, usually in members' homes*

7:30pm

contact Vivien – 01702 203997 (8:15pm if in Church)

FRIDAY

Pilates *contact Tracy 07961954966*

9:15–10:45am

tracybateman1107@aol.com

U3A Play Reading Group every 3rd Friday

11:00-1:00pm

contact Coral coralkathro@gmail.com 01702 201252

Friday Club (years 3 - 7)

6.00-7:30pm

and Friday Club+ (year 7 and upwards)

6:45–8:15pm

contact Merle 07796958343



Sunday 3rd December 2017

WELCOME TO OUR MORNING WORSHIP,
WHICH TODAY WILL BE LED BY
REV. STEVE WATTS



We have an **INDUCTIVE LOOP**. Please set your hearing aid to **CHANNEL T** for readings, prayers and sermons



The words for the hymns will be projected onto the screen but, if you would prefer a book, please ask the door stewards.

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The morning service next Sunday will be led by Rev Thomford

The offering for the work in our Church last week
amounted to £106.00

In your prayers this week please remember:-



- **Jean Hodges, who has moved into the Bradbury Eventide Home, Roots Hall Drive, Southend, SS2 6DA. She would love to receive visitors or letters.**

- **Our own members and friends who are ill**

Advent Today is the first Sunday in Advent and each Sunday in Advent we'll be using the Extraordinary Christmas theme from "ALL WE CAN" as part of our Advent worship. We are now a Partner Church with ALL WE CAN and there are some leaflets about this partnership at the back of Church. We will, once again, be having our card tree so that you can send one card for the whole church and then give a donation to ALL WE CAN.

Carols at RJC Today at 4pm we will be sharing in carols with Emmanuel Church at Rupert Jarvis Court. This will be a chance to share with friends at RJC and Emmanuel Church. Do try and come along for this special occasion.

Thursday Social Club meet at the church at 7.30pm on 7 December when Christine Holloway will give a talk "Coalhouse Fort and me".

Christmas Special Thursday 14th December 7.30pm, an evening of carols, seasonal readings, verse and refreshments in Church. Peter is playing and Ros is singing. Open to all.

SATURDAY 9th DECEMBER 10:00am – 1:00pm - Southend Amnesty Group is holding its annual Write for Rights Card and Letter-writing event at The Balmoral Centre, Salisbury Ave, Westcliff-on-Sea SS0 7AU. Cards and stamps provided along with details of who to write to and whereand there's tea/coffee and cake! If you can't come we'd appreciate a donation to help cover postage costs – last year we sent over 100 cards and letters and airmail is now £1.17 minimum. For more details speak to Mike or Mu

Panda in my Seat Sally Ann is doing a project with the pupils she works with, called "Panda in my seat". It is supporting local children who are unable to attend school due to illness. It is to ensure that the sick children

are remembered by the teachers and their fellow pupils while they are

receiving treatment but as with all these things it needs financial input to keep it running. £5 is enough to purchase the panda and the ruck sack. The children each get a special blanket included which is donated from the "Tender loving care project". If you would like to support this important initiative, please let Sally Ann or Anne know.

Shoebboxes for the Homeless Friday Club and Friday Club + are collecting shoe boxes with Christmas contents to give to the homeless in our local area and would be pleased if our congregation could join in.

There are several empty shoebboxes at the back of Church – please take one. The shoe boxes would need to be wrapped (but the young people at Friday Club are happy to do the final wrap if you can't manage it) so that the lid can open, and to be filled with an assortment of treats.

Library Display Hockley Library has allowed us to place a crib scene inside with details of Christmas services at Hockley churches this year. The library also has a good collection of Charity Christmas cards for sale. Please visit the library if you can - its opening times have been somewhat reduced and there is a danger of further reductions if the facility is not used. It is normally open on Tuesdays and Thursday to Saturday.

The night Shelter are short of volunteers, particularly to stay overnight and the breakfast rota on a Sunday morning. This is between 6.30am and 8.30am. If anyone is interested and can help in anyway, please contact Jo Galley at UMC Whittingham Avenue, Telephone number 01702 614125
Email: office@umcsouthend.org.uk

Winter Night Shelter This year, Hockley are committed to January 13th and March 10th. At present, the team consists of 3 for the cooking and hosting and no-one to overnight. If you are willing to help with the cooking and hosting or staying overnight please contact Muriel or Mike 01702204748 or hockleymeths@live.co.uk. As yet, there is no information on any clothing requirements so please don't bring anything. If you are free on Saturday evenings and would like to help, other Methodist churches in the circuit cover the remaining dates if you want to volunteer. Contact Mu and Mike.

Christmas Party Here's something to look forward to after Christmas; a party at the church on Saturday 30 December, 4pm for a 5pm start. Please come and bring a friend or neighbour. There will be lists at the back of the church from next week onwards for you to add your name so we know how many to cater for and also if you require a lift.



This is a QR Code link to the Church website