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There are lots of ways that you can keep in touch and be part of our Church family

If you are visiting us today or are new to the church, please allow us to keep in contact with you by filling in one of our **Get Connected cards**. You'll find them in the plastic holder on the display stand at the back.

New people are joining the Immanuel Church Family all the time and that's exciting. There are many ways you can get involved in our life and work, make new friends, and use your gifts and talents. Do talk to Steve or Sarah for more information.

more ways to get involved...

See Our Notice Boards!

Kids' Church is taking our Harvest Festival Service NEXT Sunday Morning at 10.00
Details: Rachel Wheeler
SOAK—ALL WELCOME
An evening of expectant worship led by Cathy Burton and the band
NEXT SUNDAY: 7.00 for 7.30

For more information about how you can be part of Immanuel Church, contact our Ministers, Revd Steve & Sarah Flashman on 01243 539129
Email: steve@immanuelchichester.org.uk

www.graylingwellchapel.org.uk



Welcome to Immanuel Church in Graylingwell Chapel.

We want to invite you to stay for lunch following the service today. You are very welcome.

NEXT WEEK is another BIG Sunday for us! **Our Kids Church will be taking our Harvest Festival at 10.00 in the Chapel and in the evening at 7.00 for 7.30pm, the first in our new series of monthly worship events takes place with Cathy Burton and the band.** Entitled SOAK, these evenings are for the WHOLE Immanuel Church family, friends and guests—and student friendly! This is a great opportunity to worship together in a relaxed atmosphere, an opportunity to hear from God. We also have our Community Clean-up and Tea. See side panel.

A reminder that our **Life Groups** have now been launched meeting at various times during the week. You are welcome to join us! More information from Sarah Flashman (01243 539129).

Today we look at the next in our series, "10 Marks Of A Growing Church". **You can listen to any of our talks online at our church website's "Talks" page.** More details from Alan Broadhurst.

what's on

Sunday 16 October

8.30 Holy Communion
Followed by coffee

10.00 Informal Worship

Preacher: Sarah Flashman
Marks of a Growing Church

9.45 Kids' Church

St Michael's Hall, Summersdale Rd
Parents, please collect children by 11.45

12.30 **You are invited to stay for lunch today**

6.30 **Missions Prayer**
Meeting in the Chapel

Mondays 10-11.30

Conker Club - Parents and Toddlers at St Michael's Hall Summersdale Road.
Term-time only

Tuesday 18

12-1 Prayer Meeting in the Chapel
7pm New Community Rock Choir

Wednesdays 7.30-9pm

Deeper Group for Year 7
Upwards Term-tide only

LIFE GROUPS

Meet at various times during the week. More details from Sarah Flashman

Sunday 23 October

8.30 Holy Communion
Followed by coffee

10-11.30 **Our Kids' church lead a Special Service for Harvest Festival**

12.30 **Community Clean-up**
4pm **Community Tea**
(details from Phil Baker)

7 for 7.30pm **SOAK**
An evening of expectant worship led by Cathy Burton and the Band



News & Views

If you have items you'd like included in this section please email Janet on: janethorsman9@gmail.com OR phone her on: 01243 789602 **(Before Thursday please)**

Bishop Luffa admissions Please contact/email Steve or Sarah as soon as possible as they have to complete and sign the church Support Forms.

'I am a Christian – what can I do within the law?' Trevor James speaks about what Christians can and can't say and do within the laws on discrimination, equality and free speech. God@Work Tuesday 18 October 1.10-1.50 Cathedral Cloisters.

Sunday 23 October

* **Harvest Festival** Our children will be taking the 10am chapel service with Rachel and her team.

* **Clear-Up** 1.30-4.30 A soup and roll lunch will be provided after church for those who wish to help. For a number of years we have offered residents in the local community a free twice-yearly clean-up in Spring and Autumn. We usually find ourselves involved in small gardening jobs and clearing unwanted items from gardens etc. If you can help with people, trailers, implements, talk to Phil Baker.

***Soak**: an evening of expectant worship led by Cathy Burton 7pm – open to ALL.

Handel and the King James Bible Lecture by Dean of Chichester Cathedral, Tuesday 6 December 6.30pm Free admission

Michael Morpurgo: On Angel Wings Retelling of the Christmas story, with carols. Cathedral, Saturday 10 December 7pm. Tickets online or 01243 813595

The Hanover Band: Handel's Messiah Cathedral, Saturday 17 December 7.30pm. Tickets online or 01243 813595

Let's make Christmas trees more meaningful Just 12% of adults and 7% of 18-24's know the Christmas story. The Meaningful Chocolate Co has produced the UK's first ever interactive set of tree decorations, based on the Nativity story. Each box has a limited edition Christmas card, a sticker set and six high quality, Fair-trade chocolate decorations. The Christmas story, which can be found on the card, enables adults or children to read the story while placing character stickers on the decorations. Once completed, the decorations can be hung on the tree as a reminder of the real meaning of Christmas. It also includes an invitation for people to go to church to hear the Christmas story there. So, not only is it educational, it's also a piece of evangelism. The Meaningful Christmas Tree Decorations cost £3.95. From Traidcraft or www.MeaningfulChristmas.co.uk

DIARY DATES

www.immanuelchichester.org.uk/docs/Chapel_Diary.html

All are warmly welcome at these listed events.

October

26 Wednesday Ugly Mugs: family activity morning. Cathedral 10.30-12.30

29 Saturday

*All Saints (family) Praise in the Nave, Deacon Ish, Cathedral 3.30pm

*Concert in aid of mission work 7.30pm Chichester Baptist Church

*'Big Sleep Out 2011' (Stonepillow) Service 7.15pm Cathedral

November

4 Friday evening Worship Team venue to be confirmed

13 Sunday Soul café—evening of acoustic music 7pm Graylingwell Chapel

20 Sunday Christmas Crafts and Community Tea 4-5.30 Graylingwell Chapel

26 Saturday Dance Workshop 10-4.30 Chichester Baptist Church

27 Sun 7.30pm Soak at Graylingwell Chapel, evening of expectant worship

30 Wednesday evening Worship Team venue to be confirmed

December

6 Tuesday Handel and the King James Bible. Lecture by Dean. Cathedral, 6.30p, Free

10 Saturday Michael Murpurgo: On Angel Wings Cathedral 7pm Tickets £

17 Saturday Handel's Messiah Cathedral, 7.30pm Tickets £

19 Monday Carol service at Augusta Court 3.30

Contact Numbers

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(Day off Saturday & Friday evening after 5.00pm)

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Children & Youth: Rachel Wheeler

Treasurer: David Grove 771124

We now have a church calendar recording all events at Immanuel.

www.graylingwellchapel.com/events.htm or

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keeping you in the picture