The monthly **Gospel Group Bible Study** will meet in person on 4th July at the Vicarage —we will be taking an overview of a New Testament book that features in our readings this year — Paul's letter to the Romans. (we will return to using zoom for the meetings in the darker months). We will be in 'book club' mode so please have a look at the book beforehand.

Saturday 8th July 9.30am Working Party – come and help keep the church the way we like it!

9th July is Sea Sunday. There will be a service of evensong at 6pm.

Tuesday IIth July

6.15pm Semiquavers Concert £5 on the door to be match funded by State Street Bank.7.30pm Mothers' Union: School and Street Pastors

Wednesday 12th July

10am Holy Communion 2pm First Steps service. If you are a family with pre-school children, please come and join in the fun.

Homes and Gardens – there is a leaflet at the back of the church giving dates and times when these will be open.

Please support those who have worked hard.

Confirmation – what's it all about? There is a confirmation service for the Gravesend Deanery in October – we are hoping to present young people and adults. Would you like to explore Christian commitment in the Church of England? If you grew up in another Christian tradition, or have come back to church as an adult, or somehow just missed out, why not take the opportunity to explore and think about faith – with no obligations. A group has begun meeting on Wednesday evenings – its not too late to join! Please speak to the Vicar.

Remember in addition to the collection plate you can give to the Church online- you will find our giving page using this QR code.



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2nd July 2023 FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8am Holy Communion 10am Parish Eucharist (followed by refreshments) There will be prayers for wholeness and healing after communion

THIS MORNING'S HYMNS

16 All hail the power 664 The saviour will come 127 Come holy spirit

23 All that I am
625 Take my life
610 Soul of my Saviour
195 From heaven you came

Wednesday 5th July 10am Holy Communion

5pm Evening Prayer

Next Sunday 9th July Fifth Sunday after Trinity

8am Holy Communion 10am Parish Eucharist (followed by refreshments) 6pm Evensong for Sea Sunday

MORNING PRAYER Tuesday, Thursday, Friday at 8.30am in church or join us on ZOOM https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82117921556

Please pray for

All affected by war, violence, natural disaster and extreme weather, particularly in Sudan and Ukraine
Those who are persecuted for their faith
Those preparing for ordination
Those who have financial difficulties
Our preschool, First Steps & Tots group
Those waiting for exam results
Please remember those who have died recently especially
Lavinia Oakes, Percy Mitchell and those who mourn.

If you are interested in school admissions please speak to the welcomers who will register your attendance. We cannot sign forms unless we have a record of your attendance.

A weekly **children's sheet** is also available at the door. Please take one if you have someone you would like to pass it on to.