## Community Church Eastbourne News sheet

### September 2021



We do hope and pray that you are well and continuing to stay safe. With most of the restrictions now lifted we are meeting in person again at St Anthony's Centre on Sunday mornings. We will be returning to our pre-covid timings from September 12<sup>th</sup> 2021.

10am refreshments, 10:15am Service Start

During the coming months we will continue to try and return to a new normal, including the restarting of our Youth and Children's work.

We do, however, continue to have an online presence. Each week we have a service broadcast on <u>YouTube</u>, which we stream live from St Anthony's Centre. This means that if you are unable to join us in person you can still join live, or watch later at your convenience.

If you are unable to join us or access any of the online services we are able to send you a video or sound recording of services on DVD, CD or USB memory stick.

If you need help with anything or just want a chat, our details are on the back of this sheet.



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# Sunday Services

Since the lifting of restrictions in August there is now no need to book a place at our Sunday services.

We are happy to provide separated seating for those who do not wish to sit in a group.

We will ensure that the hall is well ventilated and that hand sanitiser is provided on entry. We also encourage the wearing of face masks while moving around the building.



Our services will now be returning to our pre-Covid timings. We will start with refreshments from 10am and the main service will be from 10:15am. Unless otherwise stated (Breakfast from 9am)

#### Special Services for September and October

5<sup>th</sup> September 9am Bre

Breakfast (See details on page 4)

3<sup>rd</sup> October 10am

am Harvest Service



We bless you,
God of Seed and Harvest
And we bless each other
That the beauty of this world
And the love that created it
Might be expressed though our lives
And be a blessing to others
Now and always
A. AMEN

### Appeal for help

As we are trying to slowly restart all of our activities we find ourselves in need of volunteers in various areas on a Sunday morning.





If you are a driver and drive to our Sunday meetings would you consider being part of the Car Park rota?

This would involve arriving at 9.30 and collecting the key from St Anthony's Centre, unlocking the Tollgate School Car Park and then sitting in your vehicle and waiting for church members to arrive. Locking the Car Park just after 10:15 and joining the service. Re-opening the Car Park after the service for approximately 20mins (times will be announced from the front)

The more volunteers we have the less times individuals will be required to be on the rota, we aim for a maximum of once per month.

If you are able to help on a regular or occasional basis please contact **Chris** 



#### Youth & Children's Worker

We are very blessed with the number of young people we have a Community Church, but this brings the extra challenge of requiring adults to organise and help with their groups. We currently run 3 groups:

Pebbles 0-4 (Pre-School)

Bolders 5-10 (Primary School)

#Prime 11-18 (Secondary School)

If you feel you are able to join our team on a regular or occasional basis please do let <a href="Chris">Chris</a> know. A DBS check will be required for this role.

## Maintenance



If you are able to wield a paintbrush or have some skill in DIY we are looking for a team to help with maintaining our 2 community centres. This is an ongoing work involving inside and outside projects, some small and some slightly larger, from weed control to window cleaning to redecorating. We use external trades where necessary but attempt to keep our costs down as much as possible by doing what we can ourselves.

If you are able to help in this area please contact **Chris** 



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# **Breakfast**

# Sunday 5th September 9am St Anthony's Centre

We will be serving
Toast, Croissant &
Pain-au-Chocolat
Tea, Coffee & Juice
We hope you can join us

Please contact 01323 439700 (Opt 2)
Leave a message to give us an idea of numbers

Followed by a short talk, time of prayer and a couple of worship songs

