

## CHURCH DIARY

Tues 9 <sup>th</sup>	Satellites Youth Camp depart
Weds 10 <sup>th</sup>	10 am – 2 pm Ukraine Refugees & hosts Safe Place Hub Community Meals (Beulah Centre)
Thurs 11 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 pm Worship Group Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

### Upcoming retreats at Penhurst Retreat Centre

For more information and booking, please visit [www.penhurst.org.uk](http://www.penhurst.org.uk) or contact the office on [info@penhurst.org.uk](mailto:info@penhurst.org.uk) or 01424 892088.

#### Contemplative Slow Stitching - God is Nearer than You Think

**Friday 26 - Sunday 28 August**

£260 residential / £160 Non-residential.

#### Exploring Life in Covenant with God

**Monday 19 September, 10am-4pm**

£40 Non-residential

#### Watercolour Painting Techniques - Learn and Create your own Masterpiece

**Monday 19 - Friday 23 September**

£425 residential / £245 non-residential

We are looking for volunteers for a **new after school club** for children in Years 4, 5 and 6 on Monday afternoons starting in September. Please speak to Karline for more information.

**Men's breakfast.** Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> August 8.30am at Wetherspoons, please come along and join us for fellowship over a hearty breakfast! No booking needed. Please contact Bryan Henley if you have any questions.

**All Saints Church Fayre** 6<sup>th</sup> August 10.30 – 1.30 Admission £1.00

Thank you for the **cakes** we've received so far for our **Satellites Youth Camp!** The last day for bringing cakes/biscuits to church is today! Please continue to pray for us!

**Prayer for Ukraine** will take place on Wednesdays at 8 pm at St Mark's Church, Little Common.

**Indian Summer Curry Night!** Tuesday, 20th September 2022 Shiplu Tandoori - 109 London Road Bexhill on Sea TN39 3LB **£23 per person** (includes £9 to **Foodbank Funds**) Buffet Supper (including vegetarian options) (Desserts & Drinks **not** included – you can of course order and pay for these separately) Numbers strictly limited – booking essential by 5th September 2022 [finance@bexhill.foodbank.org.uk](mailto:finance@bexhill.foodbank.org.uk) 07801658296

**Creche provision in August** - There will be no "manned" creche provision in August. However, the Buckhurst Room will be open and available for parents to look after their own little ones. The service is broadcast on a screen so you will not miss out!

### Come and join us for a **Women's ministry launch!**

We are starting something new and would LOVE your input. Come and share your ideas and have a little fun too! At 46 Holliers Hill, Bexhill on Sea, TN40 2DD - Saturday 13th August at 2.30pm - 4.00pm  
Call Caroline Wick at 07471208466 email: [carowick@gmail.com](mailto:carowick@gmail.com)  
Organised by FGB- Wof. ( Full Gospel Businessmen and the women of the Full Gospel Businessmen Association)

**Sunday services.** During August we will continue to meet at 10.00am. The teaching will be based around Romans 8 ' Life in the Spirit'. The children and young people will remain with us during most of the service but will leave for their own activities during the sermon.

A private **Beulah WhatsApp group** has been set up to inform people of activities organised at short notice throughout July and August. No commitment to attend any. For information only. If you wish to join – please send your mobile 'phone number to the office. Email [suebbc@outlook.com](mailto:suebbc@outlook.com)



**REDEVELOPMENT** - After a number of years of discussion, in November 2020 we submitted our plan for the demolition of the sanctuary and the erection of a new building that would more adequately enable us to pursue the ministries of the church in supporting the Community we serve.

Rother District Council refused the application on the basis that:

1. A Victorian asset would be lost to Bexhill and
2. The new building would have a negative effect on the character and appearance of the area.

Having taken expert advice we appealed to the National Planning Inspectorate.

An Inspector appointed by the Secretary of State came to Bexhill on June 15<sup>th</sup> to hear the submissions from Rother District Council and Beulah and we heard a few days ago that our Appeal was not successful.

**However**, the Inspector has agreed with us that “*the loss of The Sanctuary would be acceptable in the light of the benefits of the scheme*”. Therefore at present we have established that the demolition of the Sanctuary is acceptable in principle, which is in itself excellent.

If we had NOT appealed we would be stuck with this building and could only proceed by making internal changes.

We now need to review with our Architects what the Inspector calls ‘*the unsympathetic frontage to Clifford Road*’ to enable the submission of a revised plan.

Pat Reigh

**Sunday -10 am**

**Freedom in the Spirit**  
**Romans 8: 1-4**

A warm welcome to anyone here for the first time today.  
Please make yourself known to a steward.

**Prayer prior to the service will take place in the  
Buckhurst Room from 9 am.**

**Motto Verse for 2022**

‘The unfolding of your words gives light;  
it gives understanding to the simple.’

Psalms 119: 130

**Our Vision**

***Knowing Jesus, Transforming people,  
Changing society***

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