

## ASW News – 19<sup>th</sup> Aug 2018

**NICK BRITAIN:** Nick died peacefully in hospital early on Thursday morning, with some of his family beside him. Please pray for Pat and all the family at this sad time. No funeral arrangements have been made yet.

**TWO BIG THANK YOUS:** To Iain Nisbet and all in **the choir** as they take a well earned summer break during August. We appreciate their beautiful singing, enthusiasm and time they spend both practising and singing in all services. Thank you to Iain who is only having a break from choir and will continue to play the organ throughout the holidays.

**AND: The bellringers** who will be soldiering on during most of August (numbers permitting). We thank them for their dedication and the melodious sound of the bells.

**DIOCESAN JOB VACANCY:** The Archdeacon of Surrey is looking for a part-time PA, based at Church House Guildford. Further details are available from the Diocesan website: [cofeguildford.org.uk/about/vacancies/details/personal-assistant-to-the-archdeacon-of-surrey](http://cofeguildford.org.uk/about/vacancies/details/personal-assistant-to-the-archdeacon-of-surrey)  
The closing date for applications is 30<sup>th</sup> August.

**THREADS THROUGH REVELATION:** Guildford Cathedral is hosting the celebrated touring “Threads through Revelation” exhibition which is a spectacular display of vibrant textile art by Jacqui Parkinson. Using fabric, silks, paint, stitching and metallic leathers she has created dramatic designs inspired by the images from Revelation. The exhibition runs from 22<sup>nd</sup> August to 12<sup>th</sup> October. Ann and Richard saw this in Ripon Cathedral and it is an exceptional display of remarkable work. They recommend a trip to Guildford Cathedral to experience it.

**HOPE IN DEPRESSION:** a course to help cope with depression covering: medication, therapy, mindfulness, nutrition and exercise at Christ Church, Woking on Wednesday evenings 6<sup>th</sup> Sept – 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2018. 19.00 – 21.30pm (including supper). To book: [www.christchurchwoking.org](http://www.christchurchwoking.org).

**CARERS AFTERNOON TEA:** at Guildford Cathedral on Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> October. All carers and those being cared for are welcome for a relaxed afternoon tea and entertainment by the Motivation by Music – Gospel Choir. Following the tea, all are welcome to stay and join the dedicated Evensong service in the Cathedral (approx. end 6.30pm).

### **READ MY LIPS: Lip Reading Course for Beginners**

This 6 week course will commence in September 2018 in St John’s Church Centre Milford. Dates & times will be circulated later. There is no charge for this course which will be run by Tracey Wade the Sensory Inclusion Officer for Guildford Diocese. There is a maximum of 12 places available and participants must be able to attend all 6 sessions. **A minimum of 10 people are needed to make the course viable.** To register your interest please either email Peter Hills at [accsneeds@gmail.com](mailto:accsneeds@gmail.com) or phone 01483 429986.

**CROCHETED OCTOPUSES FOR PREMATURE BABIES:** As featured in the Haslemere Herald last week, a group of thankful Mums, including Bertie’s Mum from Little Saints, has joined a group to make Octopuses for tiny babies to comfort them in their Incubators. The tentacles mimic an umbilical cord which soothes the baby and reduces the risk of them removing medical appendages. If you would like to crochet an octopus please email or look at the following; [OCTOPUSFORAPREEMIE@gmail.com](mailto:OCTOPUSFORAPREEMIE@gmail.com) [Facebook.com/groups/octopusforapreemie](https://www.facebook.com/groups/octopusforapreemie).

**DIARY FOR THE WEEK:**

Mon 20 <sup>th</sup>	12.30-1.30pm	New Beginnings in The Star
Wed 22 <sup>nd</sup>	10.15-11.15am	CAMEO
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup>	9.00-10.30am	Little Saints
Sun 26 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am 9.45am	Holy Communion Parish Communion followed by Coffee

**FORTHCOMING:**

PCC – 11<sup>th</sup> September 8.00pm

Green Gym – 15<sup>th</sup> September – 8.30am-12.30pm

Messy Church – 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 3.30 – 5.30pm

Quiz Night in aid of Child of Hope School – Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> October