

ASW News – 22nd July 2018

WELCOME: to baby Elena May Cooper as she is baptised in the service this morning. Congratulations to Marlene and Richard on her safe arrival.

CELEBRATION: Everyone is invited to join Richard, Marlene, Teddy and Iain after the service to celebrate Elena's baptism. Cupcakes for all!

JAMES OUR VICAR – MY LIFE SO FAR: James is the speaker on Wednesday morning at CAMEO starting at 10.15am. He will be talking about his journey through several countries to Witley, for more details come to church on Wednesday and hear his story. Everyone is welcome.

KNICKERS FOR AFRICA: A HUGE thank you to all who contributed in any way to this appeal. The three cases were packed full of 718 knickers & pants, many socks, lots of pencils, paper and keyrings, clothing material, for the children along with 11 mobile phones and 2 laptops which can be made usable by the technicians. There was some money left over, which has been transferred directly to The Child of Hope School.

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 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 [Facebook.com/groups/octopusforapreemie](https://www.facebook.com/groups/octopusforapreemie)

DIARY FOR THE WEEK:

Wed 25 th	10.15am	CAMEO Talk by James McKeran
Fri 27 th	9.00-10.30am 6.15-8.30pm	Little Saints Choir Practice
Sun 29 th	8.00am 9.45am	Holy Communion Parish Communion

FORTHCOMING: Green Gym 11th August 8.30am – 12.30