



# Ferring Baptist Church

**Fellowship News - 12 to 19 May 2024**

**But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name,  
he will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance  
all that I have said to you.**

**John 14:26** ESV



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## ***Thought for this week:***

*Pentecost is a celebration of God.....a celebration of God's power....a celebration of God's desire to empower us and to dwell within us.*

Mark Hart

## ***Church Notices:***

- **Christian Aid Week – 12<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> May** – envelopes will be in Church on 12<sup>th</sup> May and for those taking them home due back on 19<sup>th</sup>. Information on the work of Christian Aid is on the Mission Support Noticeboard.
- **Save the Date – Holiday Club – On Your Marks.....** The Holiday Club will run from 6<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> August, 10 am to 12 daily. On the Friday evening there will also be a Grand Finale and buffet. More details will follow.
- **Save the Date** – our very special Judy Cook will be visiting our Church on Friday 20 September in the afternoon. More details will follow.

## ***Prayer for Pentecost:***

### **Invocation**

Come, Holy Spirit:  
breathe into our prayers  
your breath of life.

Come, Holy Spirit:  
fan the flame of love within us,  
and draw us into the life of God:  
Father, Son and Spirit.

Come Holy Spirit:  
renew us and revive us,  
that in our worship  
and in our living  
we may live a life of love  
for the praise and glory of God.

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**Church Activities 12 to 31 May - all held at the Church unless otherwise stated:**

<b>Sunday 12</b> 10:30 am Afterwards	<b>Morning Worship*</b> Refreshments and Fellowship Time	Rev Robin Brenchley
<b>Tuesday 14</b> 14:30	Afternoon Home Group Ferring Baptist Church	Leader: Deanna Clark
19:15	Evening Home Group Venue TBC	Leader: Marion Brenchley
<b>Wednesday 15</b> 10:00 – 15:00	Mobile COVID Vaccine Van in Church carpark	
14:30	Prayer Meeting	Everyone welcome
<b>Friday 17</b> 17:30	Youth Group	Lyn Jenkins, Karen Parsons
<b>Saturday 18</b> 9:00	<b>Men's Breakfast at the Henty Arms</b>	Gordon Rickwood
<b>Sunday 19</b> 10:30 Afterwards	Morning Worship* Refreshments and Fellowship Time	Clive Langston
18:30	<b>Joint Pentecost Praise with St Andrew's Parish Church</b>	Rev Shirley Tupper Rev Robin Brenchley
<b>Tuesday 21</b> 14:30	Conversational Bible Study	Philip Tout
<b>Wednesday 22</b> 14:30	Prayer Meeting	Everyone welcome
<b>Thursday 23</b> 14:00 -16:00	Dabblers	Pauline Parkinson, Julie Appleton
<b>Friday 24</b> 17:30 – 19:00	Youth Group	Lyn Jenkins, Karen Parsons
<b>Sunday 26</b> 10:30 am Afterwards	Morning Worship* Refreshments and Fellowship Time	Rev Robin Brenchley
<b>Tuesday 28</b> 14:00	Afternoon Home Group Ferring Baptist Church	Leader: Deanna Clark
19:15 start	Evening Home Group Venue TBC	Leader: Marion Brenchley
<b>Wednesday 29</b> 14:30	Prayer Meeting	Everyone welcome
<b>Friday 31</b> 17:30 pm	Youth Group	Lyn Jenkins, Karen Parsons

*\*Young persons' activities are available - please ask for details on arrival. All leaders are DBS cleared in accordance with our Safeguarding Policy*

### ***Prayer Pointers:***

- We pray for all those in need in our world especially those caught up in war, conflict, living in captivity, persecution and those living in poverty
- We pray for our Royal Family especially our King and the Princess of Wales as they have further treatment to restore their health.
- Loving Saviour we bring to you our whole Church family asking for your peace, your grace, your healing and encouragement;
- We especially pray for comfort and healing for:
  - Wendy Fogg;
  - Viv and Tony Hayes;
  - Cliff and Maureen Warden;
  - John Wigley;
  - Sylvia Mepham;
  - Kelly and Simon Stuart;
  - Our lovely cleaner Chris;
- We continue to pray for Judy Cook as she leads the staff and children at Hope Home;
- We pray for the continuing safety for Jaco and Corrina Loenen (with Pioneer and MAF) in Australia;
- We pray that our Church will be successful in our assistance to Worthing Soup Kitchen food parcels/pantry;
- We pray for the Friday Evening Youth Group that they continue to grow in the local community and help to support the families/community;
- We pray that we receive more children in Church on a Sunday;
- We pray for all young people and children who are completing assignments and taking exams this month;

### ***Thank you!***

Thank you so much for all the food donations last week – your generosity is really helping the Worthing Soup Kitchen to be able to assist/make a difference with the homeless and those in temporary accommodation.

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#### **Note from Karen (Editor):**

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