# Prayer at the Heart

Please pray for:

#### Immediate needs 2 - 4 weeks



- Ian (Ruck) who unfortunately is experiencing ongoing infections which are being treated with antibiotics at present.
- Lee (Russell) and his wife Trudy.
- Frances (Crocker), recovering from a fall
- Steve, a member of our Old Church congregation, who has just been diagnosed with cancer.
- Joyce (Holland) for recovery after a fall.
- Amanda (Joanna's sister and Donald's daughter), waiting for radiotherapy.
- Jill Seddon and family on the death of her husband Tom.
- Colin (Audrey's son) and all of her family and friends.
- Carol (Crocombe's) brother Simon who is very poorly.
- Donald. with back pain and previous health issues.

During July we will be praying for those living in Pollard Place, Warden Point/View and Columbine Close.

#### Long term needs - up to 3 months

- Peter (Biggs) awaiting an operation.
- Brian Evans. Gina Morton. John Judge. Lenni (Oakley). Gill (Campbell). Janice and Graeme (Allott). Ted North. Pat Wade. Paul Browning. Ann Shuttle and her sister, Joan. Dave (Remon). Ruth.
- Please pray for everyone in our church family living with long-term illnesses or conditions including Bob, Dennis, Denise, Emma, Katherine, Katy, Rosalind and Stella (Masters).

We give thanks for all who care faithfully for others - because it's their job, or because they are caring for a loved-one. We pray for strength and rest and the support of others.

If you would like someone to be added to the prayer needs, please contact: Carol Judge 277752 or David & Lynda Kemp 272470



# Welcome to St Alphege, Seasalter Sunday 20 July 2025 5th after Trinity

Readings: 1 Thessalonians 4: 14, 16-18 & Revelation 21:01-3

# **Our Church Prayer**

Lord Jesus, We long for more of you in our lives, to grow in our love for you, for one another and for our community.

We offer you ourselves, just as we are; keep our feet firm on God our Rock when things feel uncertain, keep us faithful in prayer and service, help us share your gift of love and grace with others and grow your church here, we pray. Amen





# **THIS WEEK at St Alphege Seasalter**

I We do our best to compile this so the info is in one place - but we are a busy church - I apologies if something gets missed

Mon 21	6.30 pm Flying Club at SCC
Tue 22	10 - 11.30 am Little Salties Toddler Group
Wed 23	8 - 8.45 am prayer on Zoom (ID 279 401 6881 Password V3pXbH) 2.30 pm Mid Week Holy Communion Service SCC
I Thu 24 I	10 - 11.30 am Open Door Community Coffee Morning at SCC
Fri 25	6 pm Prayer Point at Rosemary's home (contact Paulette for details: 07305 611437)
   Sun 27         	8 am prayer at SCC 8.45 am Service with Holy Communion at SCC 10.30 am Gather Round Service with HC for all ages at SCC Youth Lunch (contact Hannah Rogers for info)



# Andrea Harte's funeral, 2 pm Friday 15 August, West London Crematorium

(NB: access via the Crematorium Car Park opposite the Crematorium Chapels near the WEST Gate of the Cemetery close to Alma Place. The whole site is 72 acres) Kensal Green Cemetery and West London Crematorium, 673 Harrow Rd, London NW10 5NU, United Kingdom. Closest Railway station: Kensal Green. For more detailed directions: <a href="https://www.kensalgreencemetery.com">www.kensalgreencemetery.com</a>



#### Whitstable Community Wardrobe

~ recycling scheme for school uniform

#### Opening Times for self selection

#### St John's Centre

(11 St John's Rd, Swalecliffe, CT5 2QU)

Thursday 14th August 10.00 - 16.00 Friday 15th August 14.00 - 18.00 Saturday 16th August 8.00 - 12.00

# Seasalter Christian Centre (Faversham Road, Seasalter CT5 4AX)

Monday 18th August 10.00 - 18.00 Tuesday 19th August 14.00 - 18.00 Wednesday 20th August 8.00 - 12.00

#### St Andrews Church Centre (Grimshill Road, Whitstable, CT5 4LH)

Tuesday 26th August 16.00 - 18.00 Wednesday 27th August 10.00 - 16.00 Thursday 28th August 10.00 - 14.00 We need your help! Could you take home some uniforms for washing, ironing and mending (if needed)? If so, please take a bag from the concourse on Sunday and return it to SCC

in due course.

# **Roy Bentley**

Roy (Bentley) would like to thank everyone for their prayers and support over the past few months, following his heart surgery.



Monthly Prayer Meeting for Whitstable **28 July 2025** 

at Harbour Street Church from 7.30 to 8.00pm

All welcome

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# St Alphege Seasalter: who we are and what we are here for

### The purpose of a Church Community:



Jesus calls us to follow Him and encourage others to follow too, showing God's love through serving, invitation, telling the story of God at work, and supporting each other in the life long journey of faith. As we do this, we are the local expression of God's worldwide church.

<u>Vision:</u> Closer to God, closer to one another, closer to our community - alongside through Christ.

#### We are a church where we all can:

Belong:



welcomed, loved, valued, included, involved, connected

**Grow:** 



learning and growing in faith, encountering God, being changed by Jesus as we follow him

**Share:** 



friendship, gifts our stories, joys and sorrow, an invitation to others

#### **Please Note**

We livestream our 8.45 service and occasionally other services, uploading these to our church YouTube channel. The camera is focussed on the stage area (please be aware of this if you go up onto the stage during the service), and we don't film during the distribution of Holy Communion. Some backs of heads will appear in camera view. Please speak to a Church Warden when you arrive if you wish to avoid being in camera view.



#### Men's Meal

Thursday 31st July 7.30 pm Wetherspoons in town

# Yay! and Pray

This week we are . . .

#### Celebrating:



- We give grateful thanks for the generous response to the Bungalow project gift day and pray we keep in line with God's plans and purposes with the refurbishment and the youth and other activities that will run there.
- We give thanks for places of education as they prepare for the end of term, praying for students and staff moving on to new things.



# Praying for:

- all who find the summer period a lonely or difficult time.
- Gareth Clarke and Claire Jobe who are marrying at the Old Church on Saturday 26 July.







#### **Frances Crocker**

Frances is feeling very lonely now she is feeling better and would really enjoy some visitors (at Bradbury Grange) so, if you could spare some time, please pay her a visit.

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#### **Dear Church Family**

Is there any individual or couple who would be prepared to drive me to



and join me at DEAL PENTECOSTAL CHURCH this coming Wednesday 23rd July? We need to be there at 6 pm for a meal and then listen to their visiting speaker, Yan Hadley who is an Evangelist and a friend of mine for over 40 years. For more details about Yan, simply Google 'Yan Hadley.'

Unfortunately, I am still not able to drive my own car and, possibly

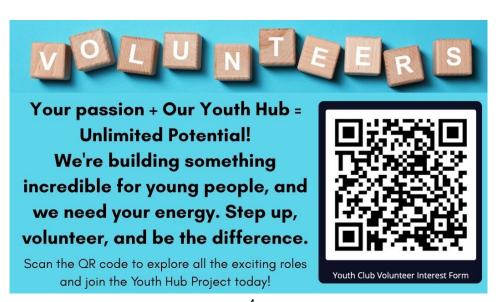
because of my age and health, I won't ever be driving a car again.

If anyone could help me out I would be so grateful

Love and hugs

Donald (Lugg)

Contact me either at church on Sunday or before or after then on 01227 770434



All Saints Whitstable

# GARDEN SOUL CONCERT

Sat 26 July 2025 7pm to 9.30pm The Vicarage Church Street Whitstable CT5 IPG

Performers
Rev Simon Tillotson
Elena Markova
Emma Rafferty
and other artists

# What you need to know

Book by email simon@teamvicar.org. No entry charge. A concert people of all faiths and none will find comfortable to be at. We will move to the church if its wet. Bring a garden chair and a picnic and a drink. Cash donation for the Unicef Appeal will be taken at the end of the evening.

**Church Notices** Please note that the deadline for the following Sunday is midnight on Tuesday. *Paula* Email: paula.dean@stalphegeseasalter.org