

Welcome to the latest edition of the deanery newsletter
Good News-South East Derbyshire Deanery is a legal entity from 1st April 2018.

This will mean that we will vote in the Diocesan synod elections as one deanery. If you have not considered standing for Diocesan synod and would like to know more than talk to someone who has served in this role during the last year and read the article later in this newsletter by Sheila Porter. Our other current Diocesan representatives are; Ken Johnson, Peter Davey, Jan Walker, Jan Wilkinson, Brian Parker, Gordon Kirkbride, Richard Henderson Smith, Chris Holden, Jonathan Bell, Rachel Bell, John Puxty and David Martin

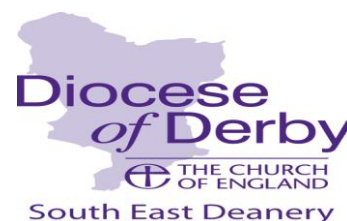
On 30th June, we will have some more input into talking about our faith which will be open to anyone who would like to come from church. We will be picking up the questions from the post it notes that synod members raised and using them as a basis for the day.

There will be a day of prayer for the deanery on Saturday 28th April at Harrison's Cottage and Risley church where we will use a variety of ways of praying including prayer stations and some short acts of worship. The day will be open to anyone in the deanery and you can come for the day or for a brief time. If you come for the day you will need to bring your own lunch. This day follows on from the synod on pray in the Autumn and will be an opportunity to encourage others to explore new ways of praying. The day will culminate in a service of thanksgiving for the new deanery, led by Bishop Jan, at 2.30pm. Please come along to the service if you can, even if you are unable to attend in the morning.

Church wardens from our deanery will be sworn in at the Archdeacon's visitation at Swanwick on Monday 21st May at 7.30 pm (church open at 6.45pm) .If you are unable to attend , there are alternatives at Swadlincote on 23rd May or Mackworth or Allestree in June(please ask Angela for details)

If something is happening in your parish that could be shared, then let Angela know so we can share it. The coming months have many opportunities to grow and develop personally and as a deanery. All we need to do is take them up.

Karen



Dates for your diary

Deanery Quiet Day and Celebration service

Harrison's Cottage and Risley Church

Saturday 28th April 10am - 3.30pm (come for all or any part of the day)

Celebration service for the New Deanery at 2.30pm led by Bishop Jan

Archdeacon's visitation

St Andrew's Swanwick

Monday 21st May 7.30pm

The next Deanery Synod will be at St Giles Church Hall Sandiacre on 26th June at 7.30pm

Talking About Faith

A morning led by Jason Kennedy on Saturday 30th June 10am St Luke's, Loscoe.

Clergy Chapter Dates

Tuesday July 10th

Chapter Retreat at Locko Hall. TO BE CONFIRMED but pencil it into your calendars.

Bob Short- Chapter Clerk

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'Diocesan e-news & Cycle of Prayer

The Cycle of Prayer covers the whole Diocese over the year and we are encouraged to pray for a specific parish or ministry each day. Details are available

at: <http://www.derby.anglican.org/en/publications/cycle-of-prayer.html>

You can access all Derby Diocese publications and sign up for the e-news on the publications page of the website:


<http://www.derby.anglican.org/en/publications.html>

Finance Returns

A reminder that finance returns can now be entered onto the system as soon as they have been agreed by PCC. Please remember that a copy of your church accounts still needs to be sent to church house and to the area dean after agreement at the APCM. If any parishes need help entering data on the system, please contact Angela

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APPOINTMENT OF A NEW BISHOP OF DERBY

A prayer card has been issued by the  Diocese of Derby and is available in all parishes.

It gives the dates of public meetings where people can speak to the Vacancy in See Committee and share ideas.

The nearest meeting to our deanery is at Derby Cathedral at 7pm on 23rd April

It also gives the following prayer for the process:

***Almighty God,
the giver of all good gifts,
guide with your heavenly wisdom those who
are to choose a faithful pastor for this diocese:
that we may receive one who will speak your
word and serve your people according to your
will; through Jesus Christ our Lord
Amen***

Confirmation Service

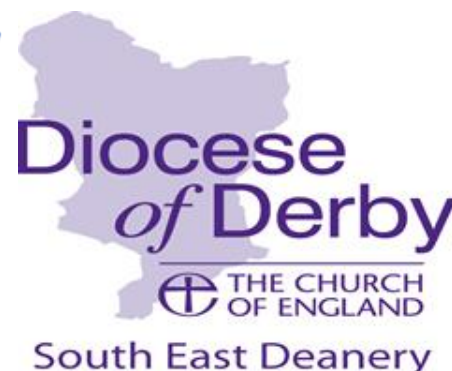
There will be a Confirmation service at St Andrew's Swanwick with Bishop Jan on Thursday 24th May at 7pm. If anyone has candidates who would like to be confirmed and be part of it, please contact Reverend Aron Simpson.

Elections at Annual Parochial Church Meetings

Please remember to let the deanery and diocese know of any new people elected as deanery reps, wardens, safeguarding links or treasurers so that they can be put on the contact system. Church Wardens will be added after they have been sworn in but please ensure the paperwork for the process is completed and sent in to the diocese.

South East Derbyshire Deanery

From April 1st 2018,
the new deanery is official!



Deanery Day - Saturday 28th April

Come along to Risley Church and Harrison's Cottage any time between 10am and 2.30pm and join a day of prayer and celebration with time for quiet reflection, prayer stations and walks around the grounds.
Bring a packed lunch if you wish

At 2.30pm we join together at Risley Church for
A SERVICE OF CELEBRATION

Led by Bishop Jan
All Welcome

Safeguarding Training

The ongoing calendar of training for levels C1, C2 and C3 in Safeguarding will include sessions in each deanery with courses available at whatever level is most needed at venues to suit local need.

We hope to arrange local courses, especially at level C1 and C2 on the following dates: May 22nd, 29th, and 31st. September 18th, 20th, 25th and 27th

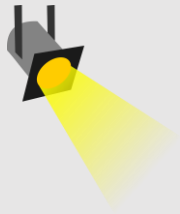
Provisional dates so far are: -

24th May- afternoon and evening sessions in C1 at Cotmanhay.

29th May- C1 afternoon at Sawley, C1 evening at Smalley

31st May C2 evening at Sawley.

Please let Angela know as soon as possible if you would like to host training on any of the May dates (morning, afternoon or evening) or if you have requirements for training at any level, day or evening so these sessions can be booked and advertised. People will still be able to sign on to courses in other deaneries if convenient and if space available.



Spotlight on our Deanery Safeguarding Links

Ann Teresa (known as Nikki) Bailey and Hazel Massey are pleased to take up the role of DSL (Deanery safeguarding links) for South East Derbyshire Deanery

Nikki has a background of being a teacher for all of her working life, mainly in Nottinghamshire. It was part of her role to work within a team training all teaching staff across Nottinghamshire. Before retiring from mainstream teaching, she was a deputy head of a large city comprehensive school.

Hazel's background was in nursing for all her working life in Derbyshire. This was initially in hospitals with adults then as a sister at Stanton Iron Works. She moved into community work with schools and children and finally spent 14 years as a senior professional in safeguarding for health, where she trained and advised all levels of community health staff.

Nikki attends Holy Trinity church in Ilkeston and is churchwarden and PSL

Hazel attends St Wilfrid's church West Hallam and is also a churchwarden and PSL

Both Nikki and Hazel have been a part of the diocesan safeguarding training team for well over 10 years (between 2000 and today) Hazel is also on the diocesan safeguarding management team.

Nikki is chair of governors at St Laurence Primary School Long Eaton and Hazel is a governor at Scargill Primary School in West Hallam where she is the anti-bullying governor, supports the safeguarding governor and has a role as lead governor for RE.

Both these schools are DDAT, Derby Diocesan Academy Trust Schools.

Nikki has two children who have provided her with a granddaughter and 5 grandsons plus a great granddaughter.

Hazel had two daughters but her younger daughter was severely disabled and died many years ago. Her older daughter is married and is an Anglican vicar but not for this diocese.

We are both looking forward to working with the PSL's across the Deanery. If you have any concerns, need any help or would just appreciate a chat you can contact us on:

Nikki 07809 680034

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Lay Training Needs Survey

Diocesan Vocations, Learning & Formation Officers Ellie Ballard and Kat Alldread are seeking the views of church members regarding the training that lay people want and need to help them live out their Christian calling and develop ministry. A survey will soon be sent out (online, but paper copies will be available) to all clergy, readers, churchwardens and PCC secretaries with the suggestion that PCCs have a discussion about the training needs they identify in their parishes. Responses will be collated and future training programmes will be designed and targeted based on the needs identified. Please contact Ellie or Kat with any questions (ellie.ballard@derby.anglican.org, kat.alldread@derby.anglican.org, 01332 388687).

Thy Kingdom Come resources

Karen has a sample box for the deanery, containing examples of the different resources available, including the 'Kingdom Kit' for families, prayer booklets, liturgy books etc. In addition, Jason has some of each of the following (links are to the CPO order pages so you can see what the item is).

- [Thy Kingdom Come Bright prayer Ideas - Church Pack](#)
- [4 Simple everyday ways to pray Bookmark](#)
- [TKC 4 ways to Pray Bookmark](#)
- [Thy Kingdom Come Pray For Five Friends](#)



He only has around 50 of each of the bookmarks and 'pray for five', and the same number of 'bright ideas' books. Please do get in touch if you're interested and we can find the best way of getting them to you. Karen will be taking the box to chapter for people to look.

Jason has some spare budget for TKC resources, as the national church provided the resources for the events for free, so if there are churches that would like to be involved and would like resources, but for whom money would be a bar to this, do get in touch with Angela to discuss. He is very happy to come out to individual churches to help with Thy Kingdom Come, or for any other mission-related support needed. He is also hoping to take up an offer from the national team to supply each deanery with around 450 TKC prayer journals, 450 TKC Novena booklets and 500 TKC Morning and Evening Prayer booklets...let Angela know your requirements asap.

Together Magazine

The Diocese is producing a new quarterly magazine to be distributed to all parishes and it will include news from each deanery. Can you help by supplying information? The 'What's On' page will reflect how busy our Diocese is and will be full of various events taking place throughout the year. They would especially like to see as many Flower Festivals and Summer Fetes listed and any special events.

The 'Deanery Spotlight' section will cover any Deanery events, news or achievements that inform the readers of Good News Stories and the mission and ministry taking place within the Deanery would be greatly appreciated. Please pass on to Angela and Sian (sian.kellogg@derby.anglican.org) so we can include in our newsletter and the diocesan magazine. The first issue will be out on 1st May.

TRAINING for Leaders -Vital training for clergy and youth leaders/workers

Tuesday 17th April - Youth Evangelism Workshop and Local Launch of Mission Academy Youth Evangelism Resource led by Jimmy Dale, the National Youth Evangelism Officer who will lead our workshop and introduce a FREE downloadable resource that will help enable youth groups and individual young people to share Jesus with their friends.

10am – 12am at St Thomas's Church Brampton

7pm – 9pm in Derby (venue to be announced) More details from Alistair Langton

Tuesday 1st May – HELP – I have a young person with special needs or Mental Health Issues in my church or Youth Group

A training session which will help Church and Youth Leaders as they seek to respond appropriately to young people with Autism, Asperger's Syndrome, ADHD, depression, eating disorders and/or some mental health issues. There will be input from experts and youth workers with experience in the important area. 7.30 pm at St Johns School of Mission, Bramcote, Near Nottingham.

Swanwick's "Last Night of the Proms"

Saturday 23rd June 7.30 pm.



All the "Last Night of the Proms" favourites including Pomp and Circumstance March No. 1 can be enjoyed in Swanwick's St. Andrew's Church on 23rd June when Championship Section Blidworth Welfare Band and professional organist Keith Hearnshaw combine their talents in a night of music to suit all tastes. The evening begins with refreshments from 7.00 pm with music starting at 7.30pm. Tickets are £7.50 including refreshments and are available at the door or in advance by calling 01773 605291

SAINT GILES' PARISH CHURCH

Spring and Plant Fair

Saturday, 12th May 2018
2pm – 4.30pm
Church Hall, Church Drive, Sandiacre

featuring

Classic Vehicle Display
Grand Prize Draw

Teas
Plants
Games
Silver Band
Bottle Tombola
Cakes & Produce

Admission 50p
Accompanied Children Free
All proceeds to Church Funds

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Worship with Variety

St Barnabas Church Derby

All are invited to join us to explore Music with Variety on Saturday 21st April from 2.00 until 5.00 in St Barnabas Church Radbourne St, Derby DE22 3HD. No advance preparation will be required. Nick and Trish Parrans Smith will help you discover more about instruments, Taize, the meaning of worship and access to music.

Cost £8 (Children of school age, free)

For more information and to book your place, please contact Michael Halls (01335 372064)

mvaehalls@gmail.com Closing date 14th April

Glyn Lucas, Rector of Stanton by Dale with Dale Abbey and Risley leaves for pastures new in April.

He writes:

'As many of you will know, after Easter, I will be leaving to take up a new ministry as vicar of St. John's church, Woking. With a congregation of over 300, St. John's is right in the London commuter belt and will certainly feel different to the rural ministry of the past six years.

Although there have been some difficult moments here, our overwhelming at the thought of leaving is great sadness. We've loved it here and feel very blessed to have been part of a growing church that's become ever more part of our village communities.

There are stories in all three villages that speak of this change. For example, in Dale Abbey, there is now a thriving, vibrant congregation and a new and thrilling engagement with the village community. In Stanton-by-Dale, again a growing and flourishing congregation with exciting plans to meet the needs of a changing village with the possibility of a large development as part of the parish. In Risley, we have seen a richer involvement with the school and a church which better reflects the demographic of the village and genuinely feels like a valued part of a three-church benefice.

Indeed, we've seen all three churches moving much closer together, supporting and working together effectively as one, with one leadership team and one church council and for the first time this year a joint annual meeting.

But the greatest thrill has been to see people come to faith across all ages and in all three villages; either as a result of Christianity Explored, or more importantly, through the personal invitation and witness of others in our congregations.....

Best wishes to Glyn, Anne and their family in their new home in Woking



Representation on Diocesan Synod

I have been a Diocesan representative for the Heanor deanery for the past nine years. As I had been a Deanery representative for several years earlier it was suggested to me by Revd Mike Alexander, the Rural Dean at the time, that I might find it useful to experience the next level of synod. I have found my time as a representative to be most informative.

The meetings are held four times a year and are of a formal nature but with some opportunity, on certain topics, to break into deanery groups for discussion and feedback. The agenda and relevant papers are sent out prior to the meeting for perusal.

There have been many really enlightening presentations over those years: Re-ordering of church buildings to accommodate such as post office, shop, library and café, serving rural communities without those amenities; Modern day slavery; Church Plant and Resourcing church to name a few.

Synod is responsible for approving the annual budget and agreeing to funding for such as setting up Resourcing church in Derby and approval of the proposed Cathedral school. We have also voted in favour of women bishops, safeguarding policies and other important issues.

Bishop Alastair's Presidential addresses have been inspirational theological reflections applied to very topical situations.

The House of Laity have recently held discussions on improving communication both ways between General synod, diocesan synod, deanery synod and PCCs. It is important that people feel they have a voice.

I have decided not to stand for re-election as I feel it is time for someone else to have the opportunity of representing the deanery. I would encourage anyone thinking of standing for election to give it a go. It is a useful forum to meet up with people across the diocese and to share experience and good practice.

Sheila Porter

Derby Peace Week

As a contribution to the Derby Peace Week, Derby Palestine Solidarity Campaign has organised the screening at the Quad of the brand-new film 'From Balfour to Banksy' (see link below).

It will be amongst its first screenings in the country and we are pleased to have the Director present for a Q&A session after the screening chaired by Geoffrey Marshall.

The screening will be on Monday 23 April at 7.00. The film lasts 70 minutes and the Q&A session will finish at 9.00. Tickets are now on sale from the Quad (at £9, £7 for concessions).

<http://www.balfourtobanksy.com/>

Little Chester Local History Group

On Thursday 19 April at 7.30 pm in Chester Green Community Centre, Old Chester Road, Derby, an illustrated talk by Geoffrey Marshall entitled "Bethlehem: Past and Present". Everyone welcome. Non-members £2.

St Andrews, Langley Mill are inviting people to join in an exciting month of Prayer in April 18, where they will pray for the work of the church and seeking God's vision for Langley Mill and beyond.

Each day has suggested focus for prayers within the church and community which start with the words, 'Lord, teach me to pray. Help me to talk with you and not at you. Help me to hear your voice in whatever way you choose to talk to me. Take me deeper today in my relationship with you'

More information at <https://www.standrewsonline.org.uk>



First Aid Training for those involved in Youth Work

Alistair Langton, Diocesan Youth Adviser, has arranged a training on Thursday 14 June at Church House, 7.00-9.30pm, costing £20 (payable on the night)

This certificated course will cover the essential elements of what to do whilst waiting for an ambulance to arrive. It will cover the aims of First Aid, what to put in a First Aid Kit, how to deal with an unconscious person, resuscitation, treating burns and bleeding, and what to do if a child suffers from asthma, epilepsy or diabetes.

On satisfactory completion of the course, an Emergency Life Support Certificate, valid for 3 years, will be awarded. Please book with Alistair: Alistair.langton@derby.anglican.org, 07976 212888.

Walsingham Youth Pilgrimage - August Camp GENERATION HOPE

Monday 30th July - 3rd August

Derby Diocese is planning to take a small group to the Walsingham Youth Pilgrimage in the Summer. Costing around £140 (not finalised) including food and transport.

It is aimed at young people from an Anglo-Catholic church, but it is open to all young people from any tradition. The group will travel to Walsingham by car or minibus. We will then camp and eat together whilst enjoying the programme and activities. The heart of each day is the Youth Mass which takes place every day with awesome music and dance led by the professional group CJM.

The event is only suitable for young people aged 12 (year 7) and over. The group will leave by minibus from Long Eaton at 9am on the Monday morning and will return on the Friday afternoon, usually around 5pm. More information is available [HERE](#)

Contact Alistair if you have young people who would be interested in going.

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