

Eastchurch St Clement Newsletter



October 2015

Macmillan Coffee Morning I just wanted to thank everyone who donated cakes, sandwiches and biscuits for our Macmillan Coffee morning. Thank you also to everyone who came along and supported the event. In the end we raised a grand total of £200! Well done!



Harvest Festival

On Thursday 15th October we will be celebrating our annual harvest festival. The service will be led by Father Chris Shipley.



Please could we ask that the children bring a donation for the harvest table, this could be a tin, packet or some vegetables. We will be donating the collected items to Age UK and the Salvation Army.

Key Dates Terms 1 and 2

- 7.10.15 - No Pens Wednesday
- 15.10.15 - Harvest Festival
- 15.10.15 - Thrill the Island Dance event
- 16.10.15 - FOES Bingo evening
- 19.10.15 - Individual Photos
- 20.10.15 - Parents' evening early
- 22.10.15 - Parents' evening late
- 23.10.15 pm - Eco Exhibition
- 23.10.15 - End of Term 1
- 2.10.15 - Term 2 begins



Coffee Morning

Don't forget that the St Clement coffee morning is on 7.10.15 (8.45-10.30) in the Nest, everyone is welcome to pop in for a cuppa, a cake and a chat!



Chaplain's Corner

October is often the time when we remember how fortunate we are to have a regular supply of food. We give thanks to the farmers and gratefully remember those who work hard to grow our food and ensure we have enough. It is also a time when schools often celebrate the season of Harvest. Christians across our island will be celebrating Harvest too - why not come along!
Holy Trinity Church, Queenborough - 11am, Sunday 4th October
Minster Abbey, Minster - 11am, Sunday 4th October
All Saints Church, Eastchurch - 10am Sunday 11th October. Everybody is welcome!
Many schools across our island are supporting local organisations in donating tins and packets of food to the Salvation Army in Sheerness. The Salvation Army can help people with a food parcel and always needs donations of food to help others in our communities. This year, we also think of - and pray for - the hundreds of people who have little or no food and little else as they seek to escape war, famine or disasters in their own countries. We pray for charities such as Christian Aid who work to support refugees, fleeing dangerous places.
Happy Harvest Time,
Paul Wintle
Isle of Sheppey Schools Chaplain

