



St Mark & St Cuthbert  
*the church on the park*

# Summer 2018



# Week beginning 23<sup>rd</sup> July

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This week is mainly a preparation and registration week for volunteers, parents and carers. We are asking all volunteers to join us for a food safety course, but all are welcome to learn how to keep families safe and healthy around food. Certificates will be given. There is also a Paediatric First Aid course for parents and carers, to give you up to date info and skills in case of accidents over the summer. All are welcome. Please see Facebook for opening times for cafe & registration. Our under 5s group Bertie's continues every Tuesday morning 9.30-11am throughout the summer.

## MONDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> JULY

**10am – 11.30am** Food Safety (adults)

For all who will help prepare food over the summer and all who are interested in keeping their family safe and healthy generally. Elizabeth Luke from South Tyneside School Meals Service will give us tips and tricks as well as lots of information about storing and cooking food well.

## TUESDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> JULY

**9.30am – noon** Bertie's Toddler Group Sponsored Toddle

Our usual baby and toddler group will go walkabout round the park to raise money towards a new heating system. If the weather is good, there'll be a teddy bears' picnic at the end. All welcome, meet in the Hall.

## WEDNESDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> JULY

**10am – 12.30pm** First Aid (adults)

This class will be taken by Cathy from Daisy First Aid. Places are limited.

## FRIDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> JULY

**10am – 11.30am** Food Safety

A repeat session of Monday morning

## SATURDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> JULY

**10.30am – 12.30pm** Messy Church

All welcome to activities and crafts about the Lord's Prayer. Finishes with lunch.

## Week beginning 30<sup>th</sup> July

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We will be focussing mainly on getting all registrations confirmed, so watch out for general opening for cafe and craft where you can keep booking and collecting your confirmations. But there are children's sessions starting... Throughout the summer, please note that afternoon sessions will start with *lunch available from 12noon*, sessions begin at 1pm.

### MONDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> JULY

**1-2pm** (lunch from 12noon) First Aid for Kids

Daisy First Aid will do this session for children to learn basic first aid and what to do in an emergency. Stickers will be awarded at the end. Places are limited.

### TUESDAY 31<sup>ST</sup> JULY

**9.30am – 11am** Bertie's Baby and Toddlers

Bertie's continues through the summer. All welcome with under threes to play and chat.

### WEDNESDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST

**11am – 12.30pm** Scavenger/Treasure Hunt finishes with picnic lunch/hotdogs.

### THURSDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> AUGUST

**12noon – 2.30pm** T-shirt decorating, with hotdogs for lunch.

It's likely that church will be open with a café and craft table  
as many lunchtimes as possible to get people signed up

## Week beginning 6<sup>th</sup> August

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Now our main programme starts. Activity days open to all, but please register to give us ideas of numbers. Swimming lessons have particular requirements and we'll be in touch with those who express an interest. Craft sessions are strictly limited places, while with sports there's more capacity. Under 7s should always have a carer. Afternoon sessions all start with lunch from noon.

## MONDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

**10am – 12.30pm** Activity day: Superheroes

Crafts and activities for (maybe!) as many as want to come. Ends with lunch.

## TUESDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

**9.30am – 11am** Bertie's Baby and Toddler Group

Bertie's continues through the summer. All welcome with under threes to play and chat.

**10.30am** Swimming Lesson – limited places, registration necessary. Ask for more info and to sign up. This takes place at the school pool.

**11.15am** Swimming Lesson – see above.

**1 – 3pm** (lunch from 12noon) Arts/Crafts: Science (limited places, ideally age 4+)

## WEDNESDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

**10am – 12noon** Mixed Sports – outdoors, chance to experience some different types of sports with Keep Active. (age 5+)

**10.30am** Swimming Lesson – see above.

**11.15am** Swimming Lesson – see above.

**1 – 3pm** (lunch from 12noon) Mixed Sports – see above. A second group.

## THURSDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

**1 – 3pm** (lunch from 12noon) Arts/Crafts: Bugs. (limited places, ideally age 4+)

**10.30am – 12.30pm** Splash/Swim session at the pool. Must pre-register.

## FRIDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

**1 – 2pm** Tiny Talk – this is a new baby-signing class, if you're interested we will put you in touch with the leader. Takes place each Friday in August (17<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 31<sup>st</sup>) from now.

# Week beginning 13<sup>th</sup> August

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This is our second activity week – broken up by the Community Fun Day at Ridgeway School on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> where we will be providing refreshments during the event.

## MONDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

**10am – 12.30pm** Activity day: Harry Potter

Crafts and activities for (maybe!) as many as want to come. Ends with lunch.

## TUESDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

**9.30am – 11am** Bertie's Baby and Toddler Group

Bertie's continues through the summer. All welcome with under threes to play and chat.

**1 – 3pm** (lunch from 12noon) Arts/Crafts: Pirates (limited places, ideally age 4+)

## WEDNESDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

**10am – 2pm** Ridgeway Fun Day

No holiday club – we're all going down to Ridgeway School for the community fun day. Church is in charge of refreshments, so anyone who would like to help welcome. If we have enough help, we often take an activity with us.

## THURSDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

**1 – 3pm** (lunch from 12noon) Arts/Crafts: Puppets (limited places, ideally age 4+)

## SUNDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

**4 – 5 pm** Praise in the Park

An informal family worship outside, followed by refreshments. All welcome. Bring a picnic!

# Week beginning 20<sup>th</sup> August

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This week begins with a taster for a children's cookery class coming in the autumn. Please tick if you're interested and we will put you in touch with them.

## MONDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

**10am – 11am** Cookery taster session. Please ask for more info.

**1 pm – 3pm** (lunch at 12.30pm) Activity day: Holiday Fun  
Crafts and activities for (maybe!) as many as want to come.

## TUESDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST

**9.30am – 11am** Bertie's Baby and Toddler Group

Bertie's continues through the summer. All welcome with under threes to play and chat.

**1 – 3pm** (lunch from 12noon) Arts/Crafts: Robots (limited places, ideally age 4+)

## WEDNESDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> AUGUST

**10am – 12noon** Mixed Sports – outdoors, chance to experience some different types of sports with Keep Active. (age 5+)

**12noon – 1pm** BBQ lunch – all welcome.

**1 – 3pm** Mixed Sports – see above, a second group.

## THURSDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> AUGUST

**1 – 3pm** (lunch from 12noon) Arts/Crafts: Circus (limited places, ideally age 4+)

## FRIDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

*1 – 2pm Tiny Talk*

## SATURDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

**\*\*NO MESSY CHURCH TODAY\*\***

# Week beginning 27<sup>th</sup> August

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This is the last week of the school holiday and we'll probably be shattered! But do keep an eye out on Facebook or while you're in for other sessions because we may squeeze a couple more things in as we go through the summer...

## TUESDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

**9.30am – 11am** Bertie's Baby and Toddler Group

Bertie's continues through the summer. All welcome with under threes to play and chat.

## WEDNESDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

*Keep your eyes peeled – we may put a trip on today...*

## FRIDAY 31<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST

*1 – 2pm Tiny Talk*



We try to keep all sessions free, although you are welcome to make a donation toward lunch or coffee for parents/carers. If you attend more than 3 sessions, then a donation toward attendance is also welcome. We will also be open as a cafe with craft often across the summer. Please see Facebook or pick up a flyer in church for these dates and times. We look forward to seeing you soon!

Children will be engaging in arts and crafts or the outdoors, so they will need to be dressed in clothes that may come into contact with paint or glue or mud 😊

All parents/carers are warmly welcome to stay during the sessions, coffee and lunch will be provided. Parents/carers who would be able or like to help are also very welcome to do so, please contact Revd Kate 07990 645 948