



**SUMMER FUN**  
 Wednesday 22nd 10.00 at The Spinney, Little Bytham  
 Bring a packed lunch and have a play in the woods and enjoy hot dogs (bring a tin and they'll be cooked for you!)  
 More info? Jo Kirk 07989 579724  
 See website for details of more Summer Fun events

**Churches Together in Oakham (CTiO):**  
 Volunteer(s) needed for committee

CTiO meet every 2 months on a Thursday morning from 10.00 to 12 noon with representatives from all the local churches. OBC needs a second member (to serve alongside our present member and to cover absences etc.). Interesting, challenging and well worthwhile.


More details? Please contact Jim Norton

**SEPTEMBER ARRANGEMENTS FOR 0-14s**

From 2nd September all children's and Youth Groups will be back to normal term-time arrangements. However, please note that the age range for **Explore** and **Connect** will be changing:




- **Adventure** for babies, toddlers and pre-schoolers, meeting upstairs
- **Discover** for Reception to Year 2, in the back room
- **Explore** for Years 3-6 in St Anne's Cl.
- **Connect** for Years 7-9 in Food Bank



**CAN YOU HELP CLEAN THE CHURCH**

while our cleaner is away from the end of this month for 2 weeks?  
 If you are willing to spare an hour or two to help, please contact Ebe.

**ALPHA TRAINING EVENING**



**Monday 3rd September**  
**7.15pm-9.15pm at OBC**

Open to anyone—it's a "dress rehearsal" for our forthcoming Alpha launch and an opportunity for all to see what Alpha is about and to incorporate some training for those who will be involved. A meal will be served.

If you'd like to come along, please sign up with Sue & Merv Bamber asap.  
 No cost involved. A fun evening for all

**The ALPHA COURSE**  
 starts on 24th September.  
 Places can be booked NOW!

More info? See Church Website or speak to Sue and Merv Bamber

**PAUL GROGAN'S FUNERAL SERVICE**  
 will take place on Tuesday 21st August at 2pm  
 at the Catholic Church

**SUNDAY NIGHT @6, 2nd September**

*"Come, all you who are thirsty, come to the waters ... and your soul will delight in the richest of fare." Isaiah 55.1-2*

Come and join us, Peter & Kate Mancey, on the first Sunday of each month from 6 till 7 as we come into the presence of God for an hour of praise, worship and prayer. Some of those who have joined us over the past months have said ...

*"I love the fact @6 is unhurried time with God" "... lovely worship time ... many people contribute with scriptures, prayers and "pictures"" "You can just sit and receive from God if that's what you need" "It allows you time and freedom to listen to God ... it's an opportunity to get to know Jesus better and who doesn't want that!"*

<u>Monday</u>	
7.30	Pints of View
<u>Tuesday</u>	
7:30	Early Morning Prayer
9.30-11.30	Painting for Pleasure
<u>Wednesday</u>	
10.00	Summer Fun—The Spinney, Little Bytham
<u>Thursday</u>	
<u>Friday</u>	
<u>Saturday</u>	
<u>Sunday</u>	
9.45-10.15	Prayer Gathering
10.15-10.45	Drinks & Chat
10.45	Summer Sunday Celebration

**For all changes to the regular Diary, please notify Pulse by email or Diana Masters on 01572 757713. Thank you.**

## PRAYER PAGE



Please pray for:

**Summer Fun events** and all those organising them.

**All those on holiday.**

**The Alpha Course** and all those you hope to invite to attend it.

**Steve & Julie Barnwell** on sabbatical.

For all updates or additions please notify Pulse by email or Diana Masters on 01572 757713. Thank you.

*Please include the following people from the Church Family List in your prayers this week:*

**Norma Hardy**

**Jonathan & Lorraine Harper, Ben, Michael and Nathan**

**Avril Harrison**

**Dario Hart**

## OVERSEAS MISSIONARY CONTACTS

John and Sue Wilson – OBC's BMS Link Missionaries, working in Paris, France.

Julian and Caroline Lott – Joseph Project, Malawi

*Updates from Katie Brett*

## SUNDAY FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH all from about 11.00 until the end of the service

**Adventure** (babies, toddlers, pre-schoolers)

No meeting, but room upstairs available for parents and young children

**Discover** (Reception to Year 2)

Back Room Leader: Hannah Dodson

**Explore** (Years 3 to 5)

Back Room Leader: Julie Barnwell

**Connect** (Years 6 to 9)

In church Leader: Nicky Burgess



## PRAYER CORNER

Prayer for personal needs is available in the Prayer Corner before and after the service



## PRAYER CHAIN

Please contact:

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Steve & Julie are on sabbatical for July, August and September, returning in October.

During this time please direct any issues, requests for support, emails and telephone calls to the elders or via the Church Office



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*summer sundays*

**Joseph: Man of Destiny**  
**“The brothers tested”**

**Genesis 42.1-50.15**

Julie Leefe

For more information please visit  
[www.oakhambaptist.org.uk](http://www.oakhambaptist.org.uk)