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Equipping Small Group Leaders in your Church



How To Be A Better Group Leader

This seminar explores core principles for leading dynamic and life changing small groups. It is ideal for either new leaders or existing leaders, to get renewed, refreshed and re-envisioned for leading a group.

> Led by Revd. Andy Twilley Training & Development Officer for Southern Synod

> > Where: St. Andrews, Cheam When: Tuesday June 22 Time: 11.00 – 13.00

To find out more or to book a place please contact: Nigel Dickinson: <u>nigel@33sandy.co.uk</u>



In the Autumn I hope to run *"FAITH FILLED LIFE"*, the first module in the Stepwise programme.

This is open to anyone from across Synod and will be run on ZOOM to make it easily accessible. Places are limited so get in touch for more details or to book your place, then I will keep you posted as specific details come together.

Andy Twilley: training@urcsouthern.org.uk

It's sure to be a stimulating journey!

PLEASE NOTE: All items for the next issue of "Mission & Vision" need to be sent to
Opuene by 14 May.

A copy of this news sheet can be found & downloaded from the Synod website <u>southernsynodurc.org.uk</u>

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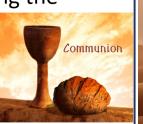
finding spiritual water in the desert

PRESIDING AT THE SACRAMENTS COURSE

Interested in attending the sacraments course?

Contact Andy Twilley to find out more or to register:

training@urcsouthern.org.uk



Monday 24th-Friday 28th May 2021 More info + sign up: sitw.eventbrite.co.uk



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7:30am

Morning Prayer

12:30pm

Food for Thought

7pm

Drinking Deeply

Guests include

Reuben Watt

Sue Henderson

Maggie Hindley

lan Fosten

Elizabeth Caswell

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Hebrews 10: 23 Congregational Whole Life Preaching A day to be Refreshed & Inspired in your Preaching. lament and growth: June 12 at Horsham URC Emerging from lockdown SPEAKER: Andy Twilley Refreshments from 10.00 Starts: 10.30 Depart: 15.30 FIND OUT MORE: paul.barrett@lutherking.ac.uk The day will include time for delegates to share ideas of **Conference sessions:** books or resources they have found helpful. Telling the Sharing the Touching the Soup will be provided at lunchtime. Stories: Tears: Wounds: Old Testament The Gospels join Post-traumatic All are welcome! as resilience growth and our weeping playbook worship To book your place contact Dr Meg Warner Revd Dr Rosalind Revd Dr Adam Synod Lay Preaching Commissioner Selby Scott Sue Knight: ight52@sky.com

The Meeting Place – Anna Chaplaincy

The Meeting Place(TMP) has worked for over 10 years from its base in Bookham to support those who are isolated in our community. We are now taking an exciting step forward to extend our work and, in conjunction with local churches in the area, to develop a chaplaincy to reach out to older people in Bookham and District.

We are looking for someone who loves working with older people. For someone with Christian faith who will work ecumenically across all church traditions, with people of other faiths and with no faith.

We want to recruit to a new post: ANNA CHAPLAIN for Bookham and District

• The post is for 20 hours a week

FIND OUT MORE

Church in focus

CHRIST CHURCH, WESTGATE

Christ Church, Westgate has found itself faced with the same challenges as every church in the country. The Christ Church family has proved itself to be an absolute bedrock of prayer and intergenerational co-operation. We have switched many of our activities to online or telephone. During lockdown more of our elderly members have acquired Tablets, enabling them to enjoy connectivity for the first time. Sunday worship, SOAK Bible study, prayer group, coffee mornings and MESSY CHURCH, have all flourished. One of our youngest children, five year-old Noah, recently won the Lundie award for leading our Sunday worship service. We are all working together to develop the shape of our evangelistic missional outreach for the next few years. We have shown that with the strength that God supplies we will rise to face each challenge that comes our way.

Reverend Lisa-Maria Browning on behalf of the Ministry Team and Elders.

Rev Lisa-Maria Browning

A place for all, time for all



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