



# INTOUCH



*Keeping you in touch with forthcoming events at Petersfield and Liss URC*

**Sunday 14 January 2018**

**11 am : Rev Nicky Gilbert**

We wish everyone a very warm welcome to our service and we trust you will experience God's blessing as we worship Him together. If you are a visitor, please make yourself known to those at the door and please sign our visitors' book in the entrance foyer.

If you have children with you, they would be very welcome to join our young people in the Junior Family Church when they leave during the morning service. As the children leave, we join together in the prayer:

***May the light of God lead you, the presence of God protect you and the goodness of God go with you this day and every day. Amen***

Tea and coffee will be served in the church hall following the morning service. Everyone is most welcome to stay and enjoy this time together.

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Tuesday to Friday (subject to change)

## PETERSFIELD URC.

We are delighted to welcome Rev Nicky Gilbert who will be taking our service this morning.

**Thank you** - I would like to thank everyone for my cards and best wishes on the occasion of my 80th birthday. Thank you. God bless. Nan.

**Don't forget the deadline for the February Messenger is TODAY Sunday 14 January.**

### New Bible Study Group

In response to suggestions for a day time bible study, a new group will be starting in February, led by Julie. It will take place in the small meeting room at Petersfield URC, 2.00 -3.30 pm on the 2nd and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of every month, with Easter, summer and Christmas breaks. The first meeting is on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> February. We will use bible study guides to explore the bible together, in a relaxed, open and friendly way. Please contact Julie for more information.

**January Church Meeting - There will be a shared lunch and Church Meeting following the Morning Service on Sunday 28 January. This is a change to the date in the Messenger and the minutes of the last church meeting.**

### Ukraine Mission

Many thanks to Connie's handicraft group for another £145 donation to Ukraine mission funds which brought the total for 2017 to the fantastic sum of £985! Thank you so much to all who make the wonderful items for sale and for all of you who then buy them. Thank you also for all the individual donations to our funds. It is very much appreciated! With this kind support we can continue in 2018 to provide medical and school supplies, and help with other important projects, in the Ukrainian villages we visit. David Darling, Ukraine Christian Partnership **PS Please pray for the winter medical mission which is happening THIS week Jan 13 - 21.**

### Forthcoming PACT events

- PACT AGM St Peters Church @7.30pm on Wednesday 17/1/18
- PACT Unity Service St Laurence Church @4.30pm on Sunday 21/1/18
- PACT Women's Brunch Herne Farm Leisure Centre @10am to 12 noon on Saturday 27/1/18 (to include a talk by Davina Irwin-Clark on "Trust")

## Activities for the coming week

Monday 15 January	1 pm	Ladies Bible Study
	8 pm	Prayer Time
Tuesday 16 January	9.30 am	Little Fishes Toddler Group
	2 pm	Connie's Handicraft Group
	7.30 pm	Women's Fellowship
Thursday 18 January	8 pm	Home Fellowship Group at 12 Geddes Way
Friday 19 January	10 am	Friday Fellowship
Sunday 21 January	11 am	James Fells Holy Communion and Ordination and Induction of elders

## Weekly rotas

	This week	Next week
<b>Duty Elder</b>	Catherine Adams	Rosemary Ward
<b>Welcomer</b>	Jean Collins	June Ive
<b>Communion Servers</b>		Rosemary Ward & Carol Tubbs
<b>Door Stewards</b>	Janet Clemmy & David Darling	Mandy Martin & Kitty Rohrbach
<b>AV</b>	Keith Evans	John Lewis

## PRAYER

If there are any particular people or situations in need of prayer that you would like to be circulated on the prayer chain, please contact Brian & Audrey Blogg on 01730 710565. Please be assured that these matters will be kept confidential by members of the prayer chain. In addition, we now have a prayer email address of the church. It is: Prayer@PetersfieldURC.com, Also you may text your prayer requests on: 07800 000 418

"Pray on every occasion, as the Spirit leads. For this reason keep alert and never give up; pray always for God's people." Ephesians 5:18 (Good News Bible)

If you would like to include any notices in the next issue of In Touch, please make sure they get to Keith and Mary Evans by 6pm Thursday at the latest. Tel 01730 235922 or e-mail [keithmary@talktalk.net](mailto:keithmary@talktalk.net)