

NEWS AND NOTICES

PRAY4 Parish prayer Walk This Sunday 30th August

All ages welcome. Please meet at 6.30pm at the main Church entrance.

If you are unable to come in person but would like to pray, please see link below to one of the prayer routes which you can use to pray from home.

[Prayer Walk](#)

BLESSING THE BAGS will be part of our First Sunday service on 6th September. It is the start of the new academic year for many and, whatever your season in life, please bring along your school, work, volunteer or hobby bag to be blessed as we seek to glorify God in all that we do .

TEA COSY+ Memory Cafe for those living with dementia will be on **Thursday 3rd September 11-1.30** at The Highwood Building, Brackenwood Drive. A light lunch will be provided including hot drinks, homemade sandwiches and cakes. £3 per person. If you have a question to ask then please do contact Susie Broome on 2666476 or Gillian Mathie on 2888633.

MONDAY BIBLE STUDY GROUP meets on 7th September at the back of church from 10:30 till 12. We start with a chat and coffee, with the main meeting starting at 11. We will be looking at the following Sunday's readings, Romans 14:1-12 and Matthew 18:21-35.

TETIANA AND LINA FROM UKRAINE, who have lived with the Tudges for nearly 4 years, are searching for 2 rooms in the Roundhay area. If you have two spare rooms talk to Paul or Rosie Tudge, 07999846664. (Homes for Ukraine are still offering "thank you money" to hosts.)

THE JULIAN PRAYER MEETING, on Thursday 10th September at 2pm. A guided short reflection and a time of contemplative prayer, followed by refreshments if you would like to stay on for that. Please contact Julie Meakin: jpmeakin@hotmail.co.uk or Terry Robson: terry1robson@icloud.com

On Saturday 12th Sept the church will be open for the annual HERITAGE OPEN DAY from 10 until 1pm. Please invite your friends to come and have a tour of the church. There will be refreshments and stalls, quizzes with prizes for children. If you can offer to help on the day please speak to Mary Irving 077459196344

SAVE THE DATE: Saturday 3rd October St Ed's Harvest Supper & Ceilidh for all the family. Friends, neighbours & family welcome too! Details coming soon...

CHILDREN & YOUTH

LITTLE SPARKS @ST ED'S resumes on Thursday 3rd September from 9.30 – 11.30am in church.

JUNIOR CHURCH

6 September, All Together Worship will be followed by games in the garden and welcome back pizza.

13 September, Junior Church meets
20 September, Family Communion
27 September, Junior Church meets

YOUTH LOUNGE

for school years 7 to 10,
meets in the church hall on Sunday evening, 20th September, 7 -8.30pm.

ST EDMUND'S YOUTH for school years 11 to 13

The next meeting will be on Thursday 3rd September from 7 - 8.30pm in the church hall.

A warm welcome from St Edmund's Parish Church

Sunday 30th August 2026 The thirteenth Sunday after Trinity

We extend a warm welcome to everyone who will worship with us whether in church or at home.

8am

HOLY COMMUNION, Book of Common Prayer

Revd Michelle Lepine is presiding and preaching

10am

CAFE CHURCH

Led by Revd Michelle Lepine.

6.30pm

PRAY4, Parish Prayer Walk

Led by Revd Michelle Lepine.

The 10am service is streamed live on our Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/StEdsRoundhay>

You do not need a Facebook account to watch it.

Services this week

Wednesday 3rd September

11am Holy Communion,
Led by Revd Michelle Lepine.

Thursday 4th September

8.30am Morning Prayer

Services next Sunday

Sunday 6th September

The fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

8am Holy Communion,

**10am First Sunday,
All Together Worship**

6.30pm Taizé Service

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**COLLECT FOR THE
THIRTEENTH SUNDAY
AFTER TRINITY**

**Almighty God,
you search us and know us;
may we rely on you in
strength
and rest on you in weakness,
now and in all our days;
through Jesus Christ our
Lord.**

Amen

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Romans 10:5-13

⁵ Moses writes this about the righteousness that is by the law: ‘The person who does these things will live by them.’ ⁶ But the righteousness that is by faith says: ‘Do not say in your heart, “Who will ascend into heaven?”’ (that is, to bring Christ down) ⁷ ‘or “Who will descend into the deep?”’ (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead). ⁸ But what does it say? ‘The word is near you; it is in your mouth and in your heart,’ that is,

the message concerning faith that we proclaim: ⁹ if you declare with your mouth, ‘Jesus is Lord,’ and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰ For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved. ¹¹ As Scripture says, ‘Anyone who believes in him will never be put to shame.’ ¹² For there is no difference between Jew and Gentile – the same Lord is Lord of all and richly blesses all who call on him, ¹³ for, ‘Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.’

GOSPEL READING

**Matthew 14:22-32
Jesus walks on the water**

²² Immediately Jesus made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead of him to the other side, while he dismissed the crowd. ²³ After he had dismissed them, he went up on a mountainside by himself to pray. Later that night, he was there alone, ²⁴ and the boat was already a considerable distance from land, buffeted by the waves because the

wind was against it.

²⁵ Shortly before dawn Jesus went out to them, walking on the lake. ²⁶ When the disciples saw him walking on the lake, they were terrified. ‘It’s a ghost,’ they said, and cried out in fear.

²⁷ But Jesus immediately said to them: ‘Take courage! It is I. Don’t be afraid.’

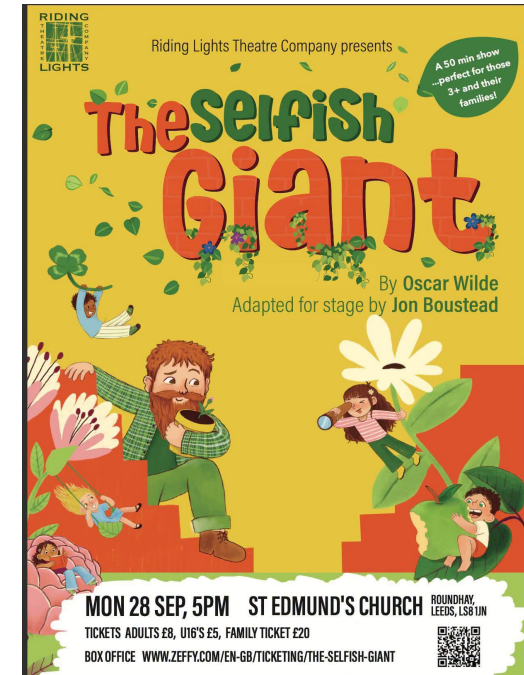
²⁸ ‘Lord, if it’s you,’ Peter replied, ‘tell me to come to you on the water.’

²⁹ ‘Come,’ he said.

Then Peter got down out of the boat, walked on the water and came towards Jesus. ³⁰ But when he saw the wind, he was afraid and, beginning to sink, cried out, ‘Lord, save me!’

³¹ Immediately Jesus reached out his hand and caught him. ‘You of little faith,’ he said, ‘why did you doubt?’

³² And when they climbed into the boat, the wind died down.



PLEASE PRAY FOR

**Those who have asked for prayer:
*Tom, Julie, Judi, Patric, Helen,
Roger, Carole, Rachael, Andrea,
Sarah and Jocelyn.***

**The recently departed,
*among them Tony Jowitt.***

***Last week's notices wrongly named
Tony Garbutt among the departed.
We offer our apologies for this error.***

**Andy & Kati, our CMS mission
partners in Brazil.**