



# Messy Matters

## The Fiery Furnace

### Our Newsletter in Dorking

We hope you like this newsletter connected to our monthly Messy Sessions, as an opportunity to share the message of each month's session, to keep you up to date with Messy Family Events, Celebrations & News, to share the happenings during the month on our Church Premises and to involve you all in sharing the experience of Messy.



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### Special points of interest:

- Who's behind the scenes? Mike Shaw
- Tiberius Breakfast Club 13th July 2014
- What ever the weather
- Arthur Pound on vacation
- Updates & News
- Active Mess
- Contact detail
- Come & Join Us Church on Wednesday !
- MESSY is for Adults too
- Thoughts from Peter
- Please LIKE our Facebook and look at our website.

## Messy Ideas

### By Peter

#### Daniel

#### Bible

Daniel 6:4 Daniel was reliable and did not do anything wrong or dishonest.

#### A thought

One of the famous stories in the bible is found in Daniel chapter 6, it is the story of Daniel in the lions den. In the story Daniel spent a night in the lion's den but was not harmed. It was a demonstration of his faith in God and his resolve to be willing to die rather than give up that faith. There are many around the world today who face a similar choice and continue to remain faithful.

#### Something to Do

Draw a picture of Daniel in the lions den; make a lions mask to wear; try roaring like a lion.



Surf the internet to find Christians who are treated badly because of their faith.

#### Prayer

Father God we thank you that you are with us at all times, help us to be faithful to you even when things get difficult. We pray for those who because of their faith are put in prison and hurt, may they be given the help they need.

Amen



## Next Messy 6th August 2014

What makes a trustworthy friend?  
Are you one?



**Why not come  
to  
Breakfast Club ?  
13th July 2014  
Before our Parade  
Service  
Come and join us, we  
would love to see all**

Each month we have a Tiberius Breakfast Club—We meet at 8.30 to have breakfast (that is cereal, juice, tea & coffee, cooked breakfast and toast with spreads) and we enjoy time together before having an activity usually tied in with the preparation of the morning service at 10.30

Please feel free to come along and join us for Breakfast - it is great for anyone who gets up early with Children on a Sunday and enjoys a full breakfast. A small nominal charge is made to cover the cost of breakfast. We would love to have you join us .

This usually coincides with our all age services or our parade services where our Uniformed organizations join us for worship. If you have any further questions please contact Pauline

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**Light up yor  
life with Messy  
Pasta**

Messy Pasta is a great favourite with all those at Messy Church

Join us for tea—



there is always  
plenty for all



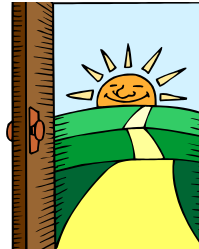
**MESSY is for  
ADULTS  
TOO!  
We love YOU  
to make a  
MESS !**

**M E S S Y**

Each month we encourage you to bring friends or relatives , we really do want to invite ALL ages to our sessions and to welcome as many of the community we can to join Our Church Family.

On registering please make sure Ted has up to date details for you as this helps communication , to let you know of events coming up or if the weather is bad, what we plan to do at MESSY.

We still try to offer MESSY every 1st Wednesday in the month -Every month !



**Lord help us to have  
Courage in the things we  
are not sure of and help  
us to Trust you to be  
there by our side, every  
step of the way.**

**What's on in the Next Month**

In and around the Church each month we have many activities: we will try to let you know in

advance with contact numbers where possible so that you can join

I n, support or just enjoy :

**Regular events held at our Church**

**Rainbow, Brownies & Guides -**

Contact ; Dave Ring Our Church Youth Co Coordinator :

**Beavers, Cubs & Scouts**

on :dave@ring14.freereserve.co.uk or Tel: 01306 886703

**Smallfry Toddler Group -** Every Wednesday (morning 9.30 or afternoon 1.00pm )

**Open Doors—**coffee & Lunches-every Thursday from 10.00am

**Breakfast Club-** Monthly on Sunday morning 8.30a.m

**Morning and Evening Sunday Services:**

Sunday Morning - 10.30 a.m. (regular Junior Church)

Evening Service - 6.30p.m.

**H E L P !**

We are always looking for help on the activities—if you know someone who would enjoy joining the team we would love to meet them

## Who's Who ?

Each month we have a group of people helping us make a Mess, these people come from various parts of the Church Family and this is an opportunity to introduce them to you. Maureen Flood

Hello there—I'm Maureen and one of the fairly new older Messy Gang. I've lived in Dorking for over 32 years and have been a member of the Church Family here for 31 years. I was a primary school teacher and also was involved in teaching in Junior Church on a Sunday morning. Both my daughters Louise & Catherine went to the Ashcombe School, one now lives in Dorset, the other in London. So when my husband died 3 years ago I was quite lonely and wanted to involve myself in some new things again. So I am now really enjoying getting to know everyone at Messy Church. Its amazing to see how enthusiastic and creative you all are! So keep on coming and making a mess — we all learn by doing and making friends!  
God bless, Maureen

## Reminder

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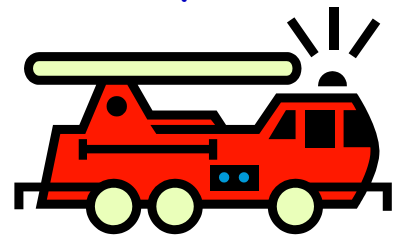
### adults too !

We love it  
when you  
join in with  
the  
activities



Is it your Birthday ?  
Please let us know if it  
is your Birthday in the  
Month following Messy  
!

Our God can save  
you



### JOKE time

What do you  
call a church  
that is on  
fire?



Holy Smoke

Bible & Prayer Groups Messy Church Rainbows..Brownies..Guides

Beavers .Cubs. Scouts Smalffry Conquest Art Open Doors My Time

**Junior Church Congregation Old & Young**  
**Everyone**  
associated with **Dorking United Reformed Church**

Is invited to join us on

**Sunday July 20th 2014**

For our annual trip to the



**Seaside**

We leave West Street at 12 noon  
on a coach arriving at  
Goring by Sea to have your own picnic lunch.  
Games & Activities will be available  
otherwise you can have time to yourself.  
We plan to arrive back at West Street at 6.00p.m.

**Why not Come & Join us ?**

Contact Judi : judicurrie@hotmail.com  
Or phone 01306 885254



Or just add your name to the list in the Church Main Hall

**Tiberius Breakfast Club Women's Own**

