

The Man through the Roof



Please be sure to update your details on our reception desk.

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Tiberius Breakfast Club

- Sunday 17th July For all the family 10.30 join us for our All Age Service
 - Followed by our annual Family
 Trip to the Seaside
- Ted's Thoughts for the Month
- MESSY MATES:
- Summer of CREATION
- COULD YOU DO AN ITEM IN MESSY MATTERS?
- Arthur is still Collecting 50 p 's
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- Come & Join Us on Sundays at 10.30 a.m.
- We are 'Church' on a Wednesday Bring a friend relative or neigh-



Next Messy 3rd August 2016

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 months 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.

Ted's Messy Thoughts The Man through the roof



Luke 5:17-26

There is a well-known story in the Bible where the friends of a paralysed man take him on a stretcher to see Jesus because they believed Jesus could heal him. But when they got to the house where Jesus was teaching they couldn't get in. The house was full of people trying hear what Jesus was saying. The friends of the man could have easily given up and gone home but they climbed onto the roof of the house with the stretcher and made a hole in the ceiling. They lowered their friend down into the room where Jesus was standing. Jesus was amazed that they had gone to all this trouble and knew what great faith they had in him. So Jesus forgave the man all the things he had done wrong in his life and said, 'Get up and go home'. And the man was cured and could walk again.

There are two important things about this story. First, like the friends of the paralysed man, we should help our friends in whatever way we can. Second, the friends trusted that Jesus could make their friend well again and their trust was rewarded. When we believe in God he will reward us with all sorts of blessings and good things.

Prayer

Father God, thank you for our friends and for all those who care for us. Thank you for the people who bring us to Messy Church so that we can learn all about you. Thank you that when we are truly sorry for the things we have done wrong you forgive us. Thank you that you can heal people. We pray of all those who are unwell and need to experience your healing love. AMEN

There will be no <u>Tibereus</u>
Breakfast Club
On Sunday 17th July as after
the morning service we are off
to the Seaside—please join us ?the

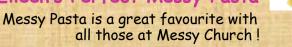
Each month we have a Tiberius Breakfast Club—We meet at 8.30 to have breakfast (that is cereal, juice, tea & coffee, cooked breakfast and toast with spreads) and we enjoy time together before having an activity usually tied in with the preparation of the morning service at 10.30

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



Not Naughty and very Nice Eileen's Perfect Messy Pasta



Please stay & Join us for tea —there is always plenty for all



Throughout the Summer Months the Church will follow a theme of CREATION this will be encompassed in Junior Church on a Sunday Morning, Messy Church and others in our Church Family.

Please feel free to get involved in this wherever you can with activities, Services or projects that ar being enjoyed—Please come along for more information Chris Currie details on back page

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!

When you make wonderful works of art please remember to take them home with you ...



Please do not leave them behind

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 In, support or just enjoy :

Regular events held at our Church

(most of these are Term Time only)

Rainbow, Brownies & Guides

Contact; Judi Currie Our Church Youth Co Coordinator:

Beavers, Cubs & Scouts

on :judicurrie@hotmail.co.uk or Tel: 01306 885254

Smallfry Toddler Group

Every Wednesday (morning 9.30—2.30pm)

Open Doors—coffee & Lunches-every Thursday from 10.00a **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. monthly

Oasis: offer a varied programme for all ages including Aunts, Uncles, Grannies & Granddads'

Over 100 people come onto the premises so there must be something for you ?

Ask Chris or Ted for further details....

HELP! - THIS MESSY NEEDS YOU!

We are always looking for help on the activities—if you or you know someone who would enjoy joining the team we would love to meet them - REMEMBER Messy is for Adults too!



Are you joining us ...? Family Day is on Sunday 17th July from 12 noon



for <u>all</u> Our Church Families .

Our Annual Coach trip to Goring
Please sign up on the board in the hall
now or speak to Chris/Judi or Ted

July Facts

- 1. The month of July is named after Julius Caesar by a decision of the Roman Senate in 44BC as July was the month of his birth.
- 2. Before that, it had been known as Quintilis (fifth) as it was the fifth month in the old calendar.
- 3. Although six months have passed, July 1 is not the mid-point of the year. The exact halfway point comes at 1pm BST on July .
- 4. July's birthstone is the ruby, which is said to symbolise contentment.
- 5.. In all parts of the UK July is on average the warmest month of the year.

Jump to collect 50p's in July for Arthur

We are continuing to collect 50p pieces which you find in your purses & pockets.

Please join us in completing our present challenge

Project Oasis has recently refurbished the rear entrance to our premises. The old toilet building has been demolished to make a more welcoming entrance. The existing gates have moved back and the

surface levelled to enable gentle slopes up to the Main Hall, Follett Hall and Living Room entrances. Part of the steps outside the Little Chapel have been

removed and a wheelchair lift installed to the right of the doors.

The new area has an outdoor seating area, a water feature and carefully planned landscaping we hope this has created a new quiet contemplative place in our Church. Lighting having been introduced to enable the area to be used in the evening when weather permits. We thank you for your patience over the past few months, and would love to hear your feedback.

Every little helps!

~: KEEP COOL :~

~: KEEP COLLECTING:~

Making Messy Ends Meet

We do not Charge for Messy Church but we do need to buy resources and supplies so if you are able a donation will be gratefully received to invest in our future sessions.





JOKE TIME

Q: Why did the banana go to the doctor?



A :Because it wasn't peeling well.

Please feel free to add to this Messy Matters if you have anything to share or add to the MESSY fun!

Please be sure to
update your details
on our register
each Month so we
can keep in touch if

Please feel free to talk to any of the helpers at a Messy

Session with ideas or concerns or just for a chat.

Between sessions and for any information please contact:

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Pauline: p.f.selley@gmail.com: Tel: 01737 841585

Chris: chriscurrie.dorkingurc@outlook.com Tel: 01306712295

ADULT Reminder

Messy

IS

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adults too!

We love it when you join in with the activities



Take a look at our new
Website & Facebook Page
Website

www.dorkingmessy@weebly.com

Facebook: Like us on

Dorking URC Messy Church

Twitter: @DorkingMessy

On face book you can sign up to let us know if you are coming.



Jesus Healed-Hidden Pictures

In this picture can you find 10 hidden items?

Banana, Balloon, Macaroni, Bone, Bow & Arrow, Horseshoe, 10c Coin, Peanut, Bell & Feather

