

# Church news

Worship, prayer, church family news and dates for your diary.

## Services In September

SERMON SERIES: Counter Cultural Christianity – The Sermon on The Mount

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| 20 Sept | 10.30am | Café Church - Staying Distinctive - Matthew 5:13-16            |
|         | 4.00pm  | Kids & Families Fun Time                                       |
| 27 Sept |         | HARVEST – Please see more details below                        |
|         | 9.00am  | Holy Communion - What Law are you living by? - Matthew 5:17-20 |
|         | 10.30am | Morning Worship - followed by Bring & Share lunch              |

## Prayer Ministry

Prayer Ministry is available between 10.00 and 10.30am, and again at the end of the 10.30am service. If you would like prayer, our team members wear badges; a warden or a member of the welcome team at the door can help you find someone.

## Introducing Andrew Elliott and Ella Morley

Andrew our new Parish Administrator, started on Tuesday 15 Sept. Jon will formally introduce Andrew together with Ella, our new Youth Worker, during the service on Sunday 20 Sept.

## Harvest Sunday Bring & Share Meal: Sunday 27 Sept

After our 10.30am service, we'll be sharing a Bring & Share meal together. We hope as many people as possible can stay and enjoy some time of fellowship, and perhaps get to know someone you haven't had the chance to chat with before.

We'll also be collecting donations for a local Food Bank on Sunday 27th, so please bring along any items you'd like to contribute.



# Coming up for your diary

## Men's Breakfast Reminder: Saturday 03 October

**Location:** Holy Trinity

**Time:** 08:00

A reminder that our next Men's Breakfast is coming up soon.

Our speaker will be former police officer Dave Slinger, who has recently become a Christian. You can also [watch Dave's testimony on [YouTube >>](#)

If you'd like to come along, please sign up by email or add your name to the sheet on the table near the door. It would be great to see you there.  
Or email Ian: [ianbairdsmith@gmail.com](mailto:ianbairdsmith@gmail.com)



## Eco Church News: 01 September – 04 October

The Season of Creation is a time to celebrate God as the Creator and Sustainer of all life. During this part of the church year, many churches also celebrate Harvest, giving thanks to God for His provision through the land and the food it produces.

You can explore more [Season of Creation resources online >>](https://arocha.org.uk/what-we-do/season-of-creation/)  
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## Funeral Service for Steve Mulholland – Monday 05 October

**Location:** Holy Trinity

**Time:** 11am

The funeral service for Steve Mulholland will be here at Holy Trinity.

## Ladies Group: Thursday 08 October

**Location:** Holy Trinity

**Time:** 2pm

**Julia Dunn:** What Is Music Therapy?

Bring & Buy (Proceeds to CPAS)



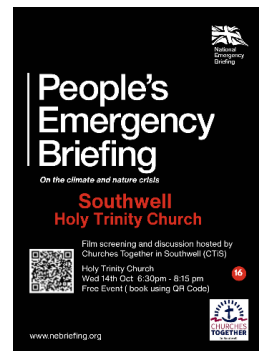
## People's Emergency Briefing: Wednesday 14 October

**Location:** Holy Trinity

**Time:** 6.30-8.15pm

Join us for a special community screening exploring what is happening to our climate and natural world, what this could mean for everyday life here in the UK and in our local area, and what practical steps we can take to reduce the impact and help build stronger, more resilient communities.

The evening will include a 50-minute film featuring nine leading UK scientists and experts, followed by time for discussion and conversation together.



## Tearfund Big Quiz Night: Saturday 14 Nov

**Location:** Holy Trinity

**Time:** 6.00pm

The Tearfund Big Quiz is back! It's a great chance to get together for an evening of fun, friendly competition and fellowship, while raising money for Tearfund's **Transforming Communities Programme**.

The programme works through local churches in some of the world's poorest communities, helping people build brighter, more sustainable futures through projects such as farming, clean water and community development.

It may still feel a little way off, but why not pop the date in your diary now and start thinking about your team? You could gather together people from your Home Group, neighbours, friends, family — or anyone else who fancies joining in.

It's a relaxed, family-friendly evening and everyone is very welcome, whether you're a quiz expert or just coming along for the fun.

No charge · donations to Tearfund · light supper provided.

The logo for Tearfund, featuring the word 'tearfund' in white lowercase letters on a blue rectangular background.

# Stories

## Deep Peace | Dave's Living Hope Story

People have asked us to share Dave's testimony. We hope to have the full video available soon, but for now you can watch this short video from the Diocese.

"I was overwhelmed with love and joy — it was bursting out of me."

For years, Dave had rejected the idea of faith and God. As a police officer, the pressures of the job gradually took their toll, and he struggled with anxiety and PTSD for many years. Then, last year, some family friends invited him to Alpha at his wife's church — and, to everyone's surprise, Dave said yes.

During one of the sessions, his friends offered to pray for him. In that moment, something changed. Dave describes being overwhelmed by a deep sense of peace, love and joy. Since then, he says he has experienced healing from his PTSD and has seen his life transformed. Sometimes, all it takes is an invitation — and being willing to say yes to something you never thought you would.



<https://youtu.be/O2eFBV2kUUU>

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