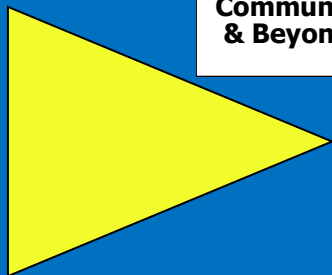


Welcome to our family

The Lantern Church is a vibrant, fun-loving, community church in the heart of Merley seeking to reach out to our local community & beyond! Our **VISION** is about ..

Loving God

Serving our
Community
& Beyond!



Loving Each Other

Our **VALUES** are to be a place of..

BELONGING - we seek to model reality, honesty & openness of relationship where each person can be themselves & accepted for who they are!

ENCOUNTER WITH JESUS - it's all about Jesus & wherever we meet - church, Life Group, out & about - we want to introduce others to Him

FUN-LOVING ATTITUDE - we don't take ourselves too seriously but take following God very seriously!



 CANFORD MAGNA CHURCHES

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The Lantern

Loving God, Loving Each Other,
Serving our Community & Beyond!

Prepare

Love

 fruit of the spirit

**Summer
Programme**
May - August 2018

Sunday Mornings...

9.15am & 11am

- May 6 **Preparation: David**
- May 13 **Preparation: Esther**
- May 20 **Preparation: Jesus in the Wilderness (Matt 4: 1-17)**
- May 27 **Preparation: Waiting for the Holy Spirit (Acts 2:1-13)**
- June 3 **Holiness: (1 Peter 1:1 - 2:12)**
- June 10 **Submission: (1 Peter 2:13 - 3:7)**
- June 17 **Suffering: (1 Peter 3:8 - 3:22)**
- June 24 **Stand Firm: (1 Peter 5:1-14)**
- July 1 **Joint Service - 10.30am at Canford School**
- July 8 **Love God**
- July 15 **Love Each Other**
- July 22 **Loving our Community & Beyond**
- July 29 **Love & Joy (All Age)**
- Aug 5 **Peace & Patience (All Age)**
- Aug 12 **Kindness & Goodness (All Age)**
- Aug 19 **Holiday Club Special (All Age)**

What's on this Summer...



FLOURISHING IN LATER LIFE

We will be using videos to help us think about the challenges of growing older with hope and dignity. Come and explore and learn together over 5 sessions. This is open to all - people with or without faith. Sessions will be held in the Hub on Monday afternoons starting at 2.30pm on the following dates: **April 16, 23 & 30 and on May 14 & 21.**



THY KINGDOM COME PRAYER

Join us for continuous prayer from 6am - 10pm on **Friday 18 & Saturday 19 May in the Lantern Hub.** As in previous years, there will be hour slots to sign up to.



ROYAL WEDDING STREET PARTY - Sat 19 May from 11.30am to 3.30pm. A fantastic opportunity to get together with our Community to celebrate the wedding of Prince Harry to Meghan Markle. Watch the ceremony

on the big screen. Bring your own picnic lunch and enjoy a Cream Tea and Refreshments from 2pm onwards.



MIKE TUFNELL'S INDUCTION SERVICE - Tuesday 3rd July at 7pm. Everyone is invited to come along to celebrate Mike's induction service. This is a free, but ticketed event due to limited capacity. Please sign-up via ChurchSuite or via the Office.



CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE

We have a wide variety of activities for children from 0 upwards & young people. Each activity is fully staffed with plenty of action, fun, laughter & opportunities to engage with Jesus. We also have an OFSTED registered pre-school based at our youth centre (the Pulse) in Canford village. More details can be

found on the website or email: kids@thelanternchurch.org.



YOUTH WORK

Jared and the team are running a wide variety of events for the youth this term. He is in the office most weekdays, and can be contacted on 01202 883309 / youth@thelanternchurch.org. Please

pick up a flyer for this term's Youth Programme.



YOUNG ADULTS

This term we have several events scheduled for our Young Adults Group (18-30's). We will be meeting every 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month to chill together and worship. If you would like to get involved contact Phil: 07722 160501/ worship@thelanternchurch.org

Midweek & Weekend Events

Meeting at The Lantern or around the Parish.....

May 5

May 6

May 11

May 13

May 13

May 14

May 14

May 17

May 18-20

May 18

May 19

May 20

May 21

May 21

June 2

June 3

June 9

June 10

June 11

June 15

June 16

June 18

June 22-24

June 25

July 1

July 3

July 7

July 8

July 9

July 14

July 15

July 16

July 20

July 28-3 Aug

Aug 2

Aug 14-17

Aug 18-22

Saturdays - 10-11.30am (Lantern)

Young Adults Pizza & Cinema Trip 1pm

Befriender's Get Together - 7pm (Hub)

Welcome Tea, 3.30-5pm (Hub)

FAB Lunch at the Bridge House - 1pm

Flourishing in Later Life, 2.30-4.30pm

Sub-Committee Meeting 7.30pm

Samaritan's Purse Speaker 10am (Hub)

Thy Kingdom Come prayer 9am-9pm

FAB - 7.30-9.30pm (Hub)

Royal Wedding Street Party 12-4.30pm

Young Adults Social - 1-3pm

Flourishing in Later Life, 2.30-4.30pm

Monthly Prayer Meeting - 7.30-8.30pm

Saturdays - 10-11.30am (Lantern)

Young Adults Picnic - 1-3.30pm

Song Writing Workshop - 7.30-9pm

The WAY Youth Worship Eve - 7.30pm

Sub-Committee Meeting 7.30pm

FAB Evening Walk

Romania Quiz - St B's - 7.30-9pm

Monthly Prayer Meeting - 7.30-8.30pm

The Gathering Men's Weekend Away

PCC Meeting 7.30pm (Hub)

**Joint Service - 10.30am, Canford Sch
Mike Tufnell's Induction 7pm (Lantern)**

Saturdays - 10-11.30am (Lantern)

Cricket afternoon at Canford School - 1pm

Sub-Committee Meeting 7.30pm

The Bible Course Promotional Eve - 7.30pm

FAB - Barbecue Event - 12.30pm

Monthly Prayer Meeting - 7.30 - 8.30pm

End of Term - Life Groups Finish

New Wine - Week 1

Shine Outing

Kids Holiday Club - 10-12.30pm

Soul Survivor



Holiday Club 2018 - TeamBuilders Holiday Club for Children in School Years R-6. Tuesday 14th August-Friday 17th August 10-12:30pm. Loads of help needed in a variety of ways, let Ruth know if you can help. Invite families along to this great opportunity for children to learn about what it means to be part of a team and what life is like on God's team!