

DAGNALL STREET BAPTIST CHURCH
AND
CROSS STREET CENTRE ST ALBANS



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MAGAZINE

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***'Whatever sows generously
will also reap generously'***

***FREE CHURCH SERVICES
St Albans Cathedral***

This service is celebrated monthly on the first Wednesday of every month at 11am with our Free Church Chaplain and other ministers.

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More details in the magazine

JUNE SERVICES

7 th June	Holy Communion led by Rev Mark Welch
14 th June	All Age Family Worship
21 st June	Morning Worship led by Rev Mark Welch
28 th June	Morning Worship led by Rev Mark Welch



Dear Friends

We've just celebrated the Christian Festival of Pentecost. This is the moment in the Church year when both reflect on what happened and ask ourselves what it means for us.

The Bible begins with a couple of stories that teach us the important truth that God intended to share His very nature with humanity.

One of the stories in Genesis uses the language of humanity being made in God's image. We are then told another story whose message is that humanity chose to turn away from God and lost their close relationship with him, so in a long-term plan to rebuild the kind of world and people he had envisaged, God called a particular nation with the aim that they would model social justice as worship so the world would be attracted to that and transformed but that didn't work out either, the story of Israel is like a longer version of the story of the fall of humanity.

So God stepped into human history by becoming a human being and was born in Bethlehem, lived among us full of grace and truth, reaching out to those despised by the religious establishment and believed to be sinful, and healing their diseases. Jesus even healed hated Romans.

Being God, Jesus showed us God's very nature and having lived a perfect life, he carried the sins of all humanity on the cross, buried them in the tomb, and was raised from the dead. After teaching his disciples for 40 days, he ascended into heaven from where he sent the Holy Spirit on the church.

The sending of the Holy Spirit is all about God sharing his nature with those who put their faith in Jesus. It's part of God's way of reversing the fall of humanity. We don't suddenly become perfect, but the life of God is breathed into us in a life-changing way as we seek to follow

George Frideric Handel

Jesus teaching and live together in community. There's only one way to find out what that feels like. Join a Church, follow Jesus, and open your life to the transforming power of God living within you.

Best Wishes

Mark





PASTORAL TEAM

The members of the Pastoral Team are always happy to make appointments to visit, talk or pray with you. This can take place in your home, at Cross Street or at our homes at your convenience and at mutually convenient times.

Martin Taylor (07787 555730), Marjorie Jones (01727 422930), Jill Potter (07779 797928), Liz Blight (07884 431051) and Alison Ashmore (01727 867335), are active members of the Pastoral Team.

The team hope you will notify them of anybody who you think may be ill, lonely or who needs help.

Mark Welch



PASTORAL NEWS

The drier spell we suffered last month does remind us, again, how precious water is and some of us were quite grateful for the showery spell recently, even if it did turn rather chilly. Compared with other places we have had less rain as my newly seeded lawn keeps reminding me. We do not to think and pray about our water consumption and preservation.

Again, by and large, we seem to have kept a fairly healthy church congregation and friends, but there are those who need our ongoing prayers who are suddenly unwell or in hospital.

Val Urban is now home from hospital but still needs to visit for appointments. Jane Swain has had a fall and suffered a broken nose.

We need ongoing prayers for the following people:

Elizabeth and Bill Allen, Jack and Brenda Passmore, John Peters, Krisztina Schreiner, Olly Branch and family, Tom, Velma and family, Ruth Sayers, Jennie Johnson and Jan and her family.

Psalm 8
O Lord, our Lord
How majestic is your name in all the earth...

When I consider your heavens,
The work of your fingers
The moon and the stars which you have set in place
What is man that Thou art mindful of him.
The son of man that you care for him?

Marjorie Jones

I've written a short poem about ink. It's meant to be a bit of fun and was inspired in part by a stall I saw at the Hatfield living craft fair where they had pens and ink for all types of artwork – everything from modern ballpoints to quill pens. Some appeared to be more practical than others.

The poem can be enjoyed on its own terms but the pens in the poem are meant to represent humanity – diverse and very different in style yet all being enlivened and invigorated by the ink passing through them, which could be seen as the work of the Holy Spirit. It's only with God's leading that the pens can make a mark on the world.

JOTTINGS



A writing pen's the hero of the modern age

It's having a renaissance and taking centre stage

There's ballpoints just for jottings, and fountain pens so grand

Each with a silver inlay, and sitting on a stand

But whilst they look impressive, whatever you may think

You'll find that they are pointless if there isn't any ink

And ink is very versatile, a liquid or a paste

It needs a solvent carrier, or could be water based

Some have a secret recipe, and binders such as gum

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A range of vibrant colours, from black or brown to plum

Embellish with a midnight blue, or cherry blossom Pink

Your options will be endless when you have the perfect ink

Wherever you are going, don't leave your pen behind

There's no expensive updates or batteries to find

It's homeliness will help you to always give your best

Enhancing creativity, however it's expressed
And if your pen is running dry it only has to drink

Its fill and be revitalised with the finest ink

It's said the sword is mighty and whilst that may be true

It's really not invincible if that's your point of view

But if you have a roller ball, a dip pen or a quill

You'll find you have an instrument that is much stronger still

It has such great potential, but only works in sync
With your writing paper and , of course, your ink!

Megan Thompson 2026





Birthday scheme



Be a blessing on
your birthday.
Transform a life.

Join your church's Birthday Scheme today to change lives with BMS World Mission. Go to www.bmsworldmission.org/birthday to find out how your birthday can make a difference.

Your Birthday Scheme Co-ordinator is:

LINDA WILLIAMS

Photo: Each year, gifts to the Birthday Scheme save lives at Guinebor II Hospital in Chad.
The Baptist Missionary Society: registered in England and Wales as a charity number 1174364 and a company limited by guarantee number 10849689.



23rd - Gemma Winpenny and Flo Mintern
25th - Toby Vokuhl, Church partner in Nepal
28th - Ella Vokuhl, age 16
30th - Colin Owen

You, crucifixion, are here!
You, resurrection, are here!
You, ascension, are here!
You, spirit medicine of life, are here!
Hail, hail! May happiness come!

An ancient African prayer, to celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit, found in 365 ways to make a difference, a Christian Aid book.

Happy Birthday to all who have a birthday this summer month.

Linda Williams

DAGNALL STREET BAPTIST CHURCH ST ALBANS, AL3 5EE



ALL AGE FAMILY WORSHIP

Come and join us on

**Sunday, 14th June
10.30 am**

**All are welcome to any of our services and activities
Do just come along, we would love to see you
There are activities, crafts and games for
children at all our
services**



**Our Cross Street Café is open for everyone
Wednesday – Saturday, 10am – 2pm**

Serving a range of drinks, meals and delicious cakes

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**ST. ALBANS
CATHEDRAL**

**You are invited to attend a
Free Church Service in the Lady Chapel
on the following Wednesdays at 11.00am:**

1st April 2026

The Reverend Kevin Walton

Canon Chancellor, St Albans Cathedral.

**NB: this service will precede a service of burial of the
ashes of the Revd Peter Hudson**

6th May 2026

The Reverend Ian Green

Minister of Amersham Free Church.

3rd June 2026

The Very Reverend Jo Kelly-Moore

Dean, St Albans Cathedral.

Free Church Ecumenical Chaplain: Reverend Simon Carver,
Email: simoncarver@btinternet.com

DAGNALL STREET BAPTIST CHURCH ST ALBANS, AL3 5EE



TODDLERS

Wednesday mornings at 9.45 am

(Maximum limit of 30 Adults)

£2 donation per family; Refreshments provided

**Meeting every Wednesday during term-time
in the Lower Hall**

Entrance via the church car park

**All are welcome to any of our services and activities.
Please come along and join us**



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ST ALBANS, AL3 5EE



Who Let the Dads Out (WLTDO)

Meets on the Second Saturday of each month

**£2 donation per family; Refreshments provided
For Dads, Grandads, Uncles etc..**

Taking place in the Lower Hall
Entrance via the church car park

THE NEXT MEETING WILL BE ON
Saturday, 13th June
10-11.15am

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MANIPUR SUMMER BARBECUE
SATURDAY
4th JULY



Our SUMMER BARBECUE will be held on
SATURDAY, 4th JULY
12 noon to 3pm

12 Worcester Road, Hatfield
AL10 0DX

***Donations to be given to the Emmanuel School,
Manipur***

Everyone welcome, whatever the weather!



Muriel & Kai

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BUTTERFLY AWARENESS DAY 6th JUNE



About the Butterfly

Butterflies are beautiful, flying insects with large wings, and make up the order of insects called Lepidoptera along with moths. There are several differences between butterflies and moths. Butterflies usually have clubbed antennae, in comparison to moths which have fuzzy or feathery antennae. Butterflies are usually active during the daytime while most moths are active at night.

Adult butterflies feed on various liquids and drink through a tube-like tongue called a proboscis. Most butterflies prefer flower nectar, but others may feed on other liquids such as those found in rotting fruit.

Perhaps the most fascinating thing about butterflies is how they change from a caterpillar into a butterfly. This process is called metamorphosis. A butterfly begins life as an egg, which hatches into a [caterpillar](#). Caterpillars eat and eat (like in the famous story *The Very Hungry Caterpillar!*), then form a pupa (or chrysalis). Metamorphosis happens inside the pupa, this is where the caterpillar has an incredible transformation ready to emerge as a beautiful butterfly!

There are thought to be about 24,000 species of butterflies spread throughout almost the entire world (except for the continent of Antarctica). Many species migrate to avoid adverse conditions, and certain species such as the Monarch migrate thousands of miles.

Most butterflies protect themselves from predators by using camouflage, and some blend into their environment so well that it is almost impossible to spot them when they are resting on a branch or foliage.

Some Interesting Facts

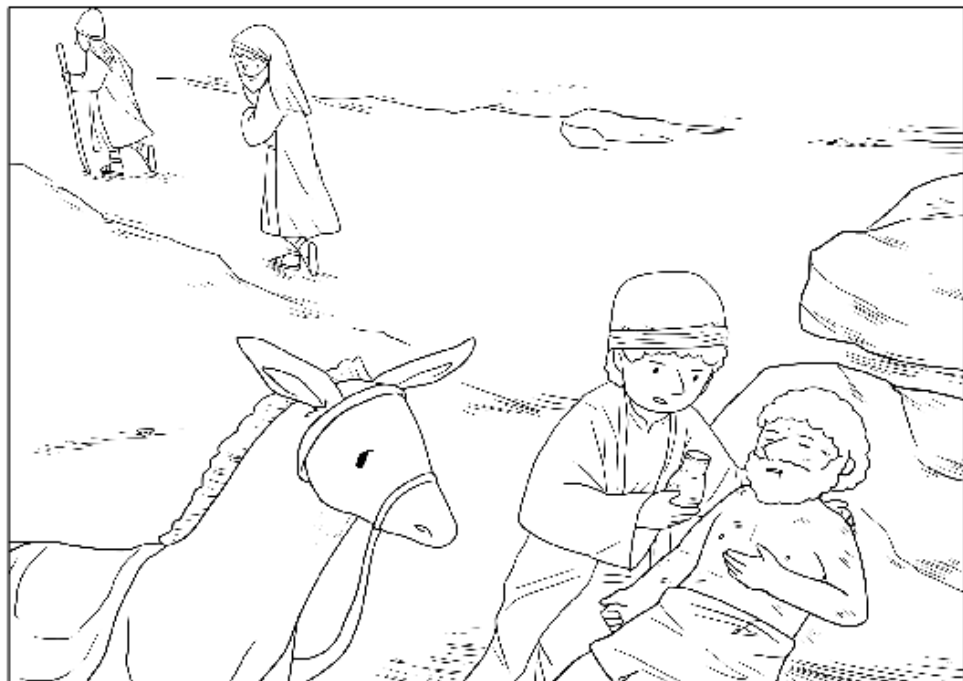
- Butterflies taste with their feet, which have receptors to help them find plants and locate food.
- Some butterflies such as the Monarch eat poisonous plants as caterpillars and become poisonous themselves as adult butterflies, and birds learn quickly not to eat them!
- The Queen Alexandra Birdwing is the largest living butterfly, with a wingspan that stretches almost a foot across and is only found in the rain forests of New Guinea.



Name:

Date:

The Good Samaritan



The Good Samaritan is a parable. Can you explain what a parable is?

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Why do you think Jesus used parables to answer questions?

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Tell the story of the Good Samaritan in your own words.

It is not always easy to be a Good Samaritan. Can you think of three examples at school or at home when it might be easier to ignore someone who needs help, like the first two men in the story?

SAVE

OUR OCEANS





BAPTISTS *Baptist Union Prayer Diary* **TOGETHER** *June 2026*

7 June: Today is Environment Sunday. The Baptist Union Environment Network encourages us all to recognise the goodness of God's creation, share in God's mission to care for it and to work for justice for creation and for people impacted by environmental change. Why not respond practically by joining Arocha's 'Churches Count for Nature' this week?

[www.arocha.org.uk/what-we-do/churches-count-on-](http://www.arocha.org.uk/what-we-do/churches-count-on-nature)

[nature](http://www.arocha.org.uk/what-we-do/churches-count-on-nature)

www.baptist.org.uk/BUEN

14 June: Refugee Week starts tomorrow. This year the theme is 'Courage'. At a time when some seek to divide and blame, Refugee Week 2026 calls us to come together and share the courage to welcome, to stand for what we believe in, and to celebrate culture and community - to be joyful, imagine new possibilities, dream, heal, and connect.

www.refugeeweek.org

www.jpit.uk/issues/asylum-and-migration

21 June: Please pray for the staff of the Baptist Union of Great Britain. Based at Baptist House in Didcot, the three Specialist Teams; plus the General Secretary Team; provide help and support for churches and ministers throughout our Baptist family.

www.baptist.org.uk/specialistteams

28 June: Please pray for the North Western Baptist Association as they seek to share God's love together across the Baptist communities in Merseyside, Greater Manchester, Lancashire, Cheshire, and parts of Cumbria and North Wales. www.nwba.org.uk

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CHURCH IN THE CAFE



Arrangements for our fourth Sunday in the month fellowship meetings at 4pm in the Cross Street Centre for the next 2 months are as follows:

- 28th June We will be welcoming our friends David and Vera Pineiro from YWAM who will be back from their recent Furlough trip to South America, where they have been visiting family, friends and church supporters. They will be sharing about their ministry at YWAM in Harpenden and updating us on their recent Furlough trip.
- 26th July Plans are afoot and details will be confirmed in the next magazine, but please make a date in your diary and come along if you are able.

Everyone is very welcome to these informal gatherings in our Cross Street Centre as we meet together over tea and cake.

To help us plan for the Autumn session, your feedback would be most welcome, including suggestions for speakers who we might invite, and views on the format and timing of these meetings.

Please contact Mark or me or speak to one of the Deacons.

Chris



BMS WORLD MISSION

A reminder that you can sign up on the BMS World Mission website to receive two of their most popular resources completely free every 4 months. Engage is the BMS magazine full of in-depth stories from the frontline of Mission and the Prayer Guide has daily prayer points and bible verses to inform and focus our daily devotions as we support and partner with the world-wide BMS team. (Go to BMS World Mission Publications).

A recent prayer focus has been on Rwanda, Africa's fourth smallest country, and one of its most densely populated with a population of approximately 14 million and a median age of 21.

A predominantly Christian country, The Association des Églises Baptistes au Rwanda (AEBR) is the umbrella body of the Baptist churches in Rwanda. They are a BMS World Mission partner organisation comprising 296 churches. However, only 53 of them are currently operating as the remainder cannot meet new legal requirements. We are asked to pray for the churches that have been shut down until they meet the requirements.

Chris Penn



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Scrabble Club



DSBC Scrabble Club is on the ***first and third*** Tuesday of the month from ***14:30 to 16:30***.

Tuesday 2nd and 16th June

All are welcome.

So come along to the Cross Street Centre and give it a try.

Speak to me for further information.

Colin Owen

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FOODBANK

Can you add one extra thing to your weekly shop?

There is even more need for food bank donations in the St Albans area. All DSBC food donations are now sent to the St Albans and District Foodbank run by the Trussel Trust Charity whose depot is in Redbourn, who also collect from the Foodbank baskets placed in many of the local supermarkets and the Town Hall and the Verulamium museums.

You can now access the shopping list needs on a free app called 'Bank the food', however, it seems that the most urgent needs are:

LONG LIFE JUICE
LONG LIFE MILK
MULTI SURFACE CLEANER
LUNCH BOX SNACKS
TINNED CUSTARD
TUNNED FRUIT
TINNED MEAT

If you want to see the full list but cannot get the app speak to me.

If we just add one item to our shopping list we can bring it with us on a Sunday and I can ensure it is taken to a collection point.

Many thanks

Diane





FREDDIE, THE FRIGHTENED FISH

Once upon a time there lived a fish called Freddie. He lived in a large lake. He was frightened that the big fish, who also lived in the lake, would chase him and eat him.

He was very small and felt that he couldn't escape from them. He was also very brightly coloured, so he could be seen easily by the big fishes. He was turquoise and bright red. What could he do?

He decided that if he grew a shell, the fish wouldn't see him and if they did, they wouldn't be able to bite him. But there was a problem. It was very heavy and he couldn't move to go and find his food. It had to go and it did. What could he do?

He thought that if he had big teeth, he could bite the fish. Teeth began to grow.

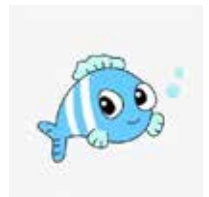
But there was a problem. His teeth kept on growing. He couldn't open his mouth to eat his food. They had to go and they did. What could he do?

He decided that if his fins grew bigger, he would be able to swim away from the fish quicker. His fins grew. But there was a problem. When he swam, they made him very tired. They had to go and they did. What could he do?

He wondered if he went among the greenery in the lake and he lost his bright scales and became quite ordinary, the fish wouldn't see him and he would be safe. And do you know, this worked. Freddie was happy. The end.

Older readers might wonder how I made up this story. The day when I fell recently, I was shattered and went to bed early but I couldn't sleep and this story just came into my mind. It's never happened before and probably will never happen again!

Linda Williams



Name: _____


Date: _____

UNLESS SOMEONE
LIKE YOU
CARES A WHOLE
AWFUL LOT,
NOTHING
IS GOING TO GET
BETTER,
IT'S NOT.

-DR-SEUSS,

THE LORAX





Thank you all for your cards, messages of condolence and support following John's death in April. It was a terrible shock—so unexpected, and quite hard to come to terms with the fact the he is just 'not there'. So your ongoing care and concern are very much needed and appreciated.

Thank you!

Love Jan xx



*He never looked for praises
He was never one to boast
He just went on quietly working
For the ones he loved the most.*

*His dreams were seldom spoken
His wants were very few
And most of the time his worries
Went unspoken too.*

*He was there.... A firm foundation
Through all our storms of life
A sturdy hand to hold on to
In times of stress and strife.*

*A true friend we could turn to
When times were good or bad
One of our greatest blessings
The man that we called Dad.*

Hannah read this at her dad's funeral service.

It is also for Father Day on 21st June

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GOING, GOING

I thought it would last my time –
The sense that, beyond the town,
There would always be fields and farms,
Where the village louts could climb
Such trees as were not cut down;
I knew there'd be false alarms

In the papers about old streets
And split level shopping, but some
Have always been left so far;
And when the old part retreats
As the bleak high-risers come
We can always escape in the car.

Things are tougher than we are, just
As earth will always respond
However we mess it about;
Chuck filth in the sea, if you must:
The tides will be clean beyond.
– But what do I feel now? Doubt?

Or age, simply? The crowd
Is young in the M1 cafe;
Their kids are screaming for more –
More houses, more parking allowed,
More caravan sites, more pay.
On the Business Page, a score

Of spectacled grins approve
Some takeover bid that entails
Five per cent profit (and ten
Per cent more in the estuaries): move
Your works to the unspoilt dales
(Grey area grants)! And when

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You try to get near the sea
In summer . . .
It seems, just now,
To be happening so very fast;
Despite all the land left free
For the first time I feel somehow
That it isn't going to last,

That before I snuff it, the whole
Boiling will be bricked in
Except for the tourist parts –
First slum of Europe: a role
It won't be hard to win,
With a cast of crooks and tarts.

And that will be England gone,
The shadows, the meadows, the lanes,
The guildhalls, the carved choirs.
There'll be books; it will linger on
In galleries; but all that remains
For us will be concrete and tyres.

Most things are never meant.
This won't be, most likely; but greeds
And garbage are too thick-strewn
To be swept up now, or invent
Excuses that make them all needs.
I just think it will happen, soon.

Philip Larkin



ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES



Let's remind ourselves of the items we can undertake as a church.

Food Bank

A list of items we can give to support this are listed in the church magazine.

Any items can be taken to the Town Hall (11am to 5pm, please check times)

TWAM -Tools with A Mission.

Any items of hand and machine tools to support people in overseas countries to help them be self-sufficient. Any tool items can be taken to Marshalswick Baptist Free Church, Sherwood Ave. St Albans, on any Thursday afternoon.

TWAM leaflets are in the leaflet rack in the Centre, or if you require further details contact me.

Emmaus; who recycle old furniture as well as supporting people who are homeless.

Used Postage Stamps for local charity. Please leave in the box on the link table

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Due to circumstances, I will no longer be attending Car Boot sales, so any items can be taken to your local Charity shop of choice.

We can all play our part with environmental issues in protecting God's planet.

Recycling you can undertake at home:

Recycle Paper - Cardboard Tin – Glass and Plastic with the council waste collection.

Recycle food waste and plants in a compost bin, if you can.

Many thanks in anticipation

Trevor Oakley



Table Tennis – Snooker – Pool and other Indoor Games



Every Monday at;
Dagnall Street Baptist Church, St. Albans
In the Lower Hall from 10.30am till 12.30pm

*Come along and join us for a time of
Fun and Fellowship*

All are Welcome

Contact: Trevor Oakley



PHOTOGRAPHY

You may have noticed bright yellow signs placed in areas of the church and Cross St café. These are a reminder to us all that any photos taken on our premises are for personal use only and **must not** to be shared on social media or in any form of publicity, **un-**
less permission has been granted by those being photographed, or in the case of children, by their parents or carers.

There are consent forms available if needed.

For further information please contact:

LINDA ROBERTS on 01727 858869 or FRANK IDDIOLS on 07939 287785 (both responsible for Safeguarding) or CHRIS PENN on 07770 334339 (Church Secretary)

Thank you.

FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR THE CHURCH

As we all know our household bills are rising and the cost of heating and lighting the church is no different to the energy costs at home. Our church relies on raising its own income. Some of this comes from hiring out our rooms, but the majority comes from congregational giving. There are various ways in which this can be done. There is a plate by the door of the church for cash and offering envelopes.

We now also have a contactless offering device which accepts card or phone payments of specific amounts and this is also by the main church doors on Sundays. These donations are completely anonymous.



We are happy to receive bank transfers and standing orders and the details are below:

Deacons of Dagnall Street Baptist Church
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If you decide to make an offering in this way, it is helpful if you are able to email our Finance Manager, Liz Blight, lizblight@gmail.com, so that she can connect up the entry on our bank statement.

Thank you for your generosity!

The Deacons



'Share St Albans' is a 'library of things' where we lend DIY, garden, kitchen, party items or something for your home. Set up for St Albans and district to borrow not buy. Whether you want to loan a gazebo or DIY equipment we are here to share and reduce our collective environmental footprint and have a collaborative community.

By borrowing something for a small fee you can save yourself money, save on space needed for storage and help to save the planet.

Locations:

The Green House, 46 London Road, AL1 1NG
Sandridge Parish Council Car Park, The Ridgeway AL4 9TU

Please log onto the site to see opening times at these locations



I, The Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard my people cry;
All who dwell in dark and sin
My hand will save.
I, who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright.
I will speak My word to them.
Whom shall I send.

*Here I am, Lord.
Is it I, Lord?
I have heard You calling in the night.
I will go, Lord,
If You lead me;
I will hold Your people in my heart.*

I, the Lord of snow and rain,
I have borne my people's pain;
I have wept for love of them -
They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone,
Give them hearts for love alone;
I will speak My word to them.
Whom shall I send?

I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them -
My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide
Till their hearts are satisfied;
I will give My life to them.
Whom shall I send?

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**THE NEXT DATE FOR COPY WILL BE FOR
THE DOUBLE EDITION JULY/AUGUST
ON THURSDAY 18th JUNE**

Mark has now been with us a year, his induction service was on the 21st June last year. I seem to remember it was quite warm around that time too, because we were concerned about getting the sandwiches into the lower hall without baking them!! It doesn't feel like a year. I hope it has been enjoyable for Mark and Sarah and they are now settled into our little community called Dagnall Street.

While I am putting this magazine together I am quietly melting! It's very warm! Where's the gentle run in to warm sunny days. A week last Thursday we had hailstones, sleet and snow. And just a week ago we had a frost!

'Ne're cast a clout 'till May is out' has gone out the window. My clout was cast last week! When I facetimed my family in Sydney on Sunday, I was sweating hot, as I had just whipped the cream for the Pavlova for the fellowship lunch, they were chilly and it was raining! What's happened to the world. It's all the wrong way round.

I need to crack on with the garden as I am a bit behind. I have tidied and I have made some really good leaf mulch this year. I usually tie the leaves up in black bin bags and put a few slashes in the side. The mulch has been a bit dry in the past years. This year I left the tops open to the elements and it has turned out really well, it looks nice and it smells nice.

The hospice garden is looking fabulous and the gardeners have planted a lot more vegetables this year. Water, Water, Water!

Glynis
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What, When and Where June 2026

The church is open for services at 10.30am each Sunday. There are activities, games and crafts for children during every service on a Sunday.

After service coffee is served in the Cross Street Centre.

All Age Family Service 14th June, 10.30am

Church in the Café, 28th June, David and Vera Pineiro, YWAM, talking about their Ministry and recent trip to Brazil and Argentina.

Tea Chat and Prayer to be announced.

Scrabble Club is held on the first and third Tuesday of each month, 2nd and 16th June, 2.30-4.30pm.

Toddlers is held every Wednesday during school term time from 9.45—11.15am.

Who Let the Dad's Out . Meetings are held on the second Saturday of each month. The next meeting will be on Saturday, 13th June, 10-11.15am.

Monday table tennis/games club is held in the Lower Hall from 10.30am

The fourth Tuesday of each month the Prayer and Share Group meet in the Cross Street Centre at 7.30pm.

First Saturday of the month Prayer Hour at 10am in Cross Street.

The Cross Street Café opens weekly from Wednesday to Saturday, 10am to 2pm.

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<https://www.dsbc.org.uk/>