Weekly News Sheet
The Parish of St Augustine's with St Luke's
Friday 18 September 2026



At St Augustine's with St Luke's: We welcome everyone to enrich their faith and share in the love of Jesus.

Sunday Services

St Augustine's Church

20 September

9.20am Prayers in Godly Play Room – all welcome

10.00am Morning Worship

Kids' club will run alongside the service in the Garden room

Live streaming of the service which can be found at
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCR70BiHHimXOLZpMSXV44IQ/stream

St Luke's Church

20 September ~ 5.30pm Holy Communion

Midweek Holy Communion

Wednesday 23 September ~ Noon Holy Communion

What is on the week beginning Monday 21 September

Monday		
Tuesday	9.30am	Morning Prayer in St Augustine's Chapel
Wednesday	9.30am 10am-11.45am 3pm – 4.30pm	Morning Prayer in St Augustine's Chapel ARK playgroup in St Augustine's Church Games Station in Garden Room
Thursday	9.30am 11.00am-2.00pm 1.30pm – 2.15pm 2.30pm – 4.00pm 7.45pm – 9.15pm	Morning Prayer in St Augustine's Chapel Welcome Space (Soup & Rolls at 1pm) Why Group in St Augustine's Chapel CAMEO – join us for tea, cake & chat Bell Ringing at St Luke's Church
Friday		
Saturday		
Sunday	5.00pm – 7.00pm	Youth Club in St Augustine's Church

Lectia Divina – Monday 28th September

Debs is holding the next Lectio Divina here at St Augustine's church on 28th September at 7.30pm. This is an opportunity to read a scripture passage in a prayerful way. We read, pray and contemplate what God might be saying to us through the scripture passage. If you would like more information, please see Debs.

Connect Groups are restarting in October

This term, we'll be exploring the Christian theme **"The truth will set you free"** through the lens of the thought-provoking and surprisingly relevant film *The Truman Show*.

There are three groups to choose from, meeting at our usual times:

- **Tuesday evenings at 7.30pm** - in person at St Augustine's
- **Wednesday evenings at 7.30pm** - on Zoom
- **Thursday mornings at 10am** - in person

There are five sessions. Groups will start in the week beginning 5 October and meet alternate weeks until the first week in December. The table below shows the dates when each group will be meeting.

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5
Tuesdays 7.30pm	6 October	20 October	3 November	17 November	1 December
Wednesdays 7.30pm	7 October	21 October	4 November	18 November	2 December
Thursdays 10am	8 October	22 October	5 November	19 November	3 December

Everyone is very welcome If you've never been to a Connect Group before, why not give it a try? It's a chance to explore faith, ask questions, share ideas and get to know others in a relaxed setting.

Ideally, please watch *The Truman Show* before the groups begin. You can watch it online or on a streaming platform, or join us for one of our church screenings:

- **Thursday 1 October at 10am**
- **Friday 2 October at 7pm**

We also have a small number of DVDs available to borrow - just ask Steve, Becky or Debs if you'd like one.

Come along, watch the film, and see where the conversation takes us!

Wood Art Sale – 4th October

Adrain will be selling his wood art in aid of church funds after Café Church.

Baby Loss Awareness Week - Making Miracles Big Knit

Rochester Cathedral will be holding their annual big knit for the charity Making Miracles to help raise awareness of baby loss.
Saturday 10 October 10am – 1pm at the Cathedral. You will need to bring your needles or hooks and help make a small pair of bootees. If you can't attend and would like to contribute at the back of church, there are patterns to use and if you hand them into the office we can forward them on. For the newer knitters/crocheters they do still need

the traditional squares 6"X6" that can be sewn into blankets. If you can attend, please RSVP to jodie@makingmiracles.org.uk
There is a poster at the back of church or you can find out more about it at either The Big Knit: Making Miracles — Rochester Cathedral or Making Miracles Registered Charity - Baby Trauma & Bereavement Care

Foodbank –

This week they are collecting:

Tinned Cold Meats	Desserts Long Life	Cereals
Sweets	Fruit Juice Long Life	Squash
Shaving Gel/Foam	Shampoo	Shower Gel
Laundry Sheets/Gel		

Please make sure all food is in date before you donate it and do not donate any chilled or frozen items as they do not have the correct storage for it.

Prayer Requests

Click for confidential prayer requests for yourself and others.

If you wish to sign up to our weekly newsletter, then please use the link https://mailchi.mp/b4f4319dd0df/parish-of-st-augustines-with-st-lukes

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The parish office is open every weekday morning between 10am – 1pm

Hall Bookings

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