

Soul Survivor

Soul Survivor is an awesome week of worship, gigs, and great speakers. Week A is at Stafford Showground between 30th July and the 3rd August. If you have never been to Soul Survivor day passes are available on the gate at a cost of £25, why not try it for a day?

This year's hosts are Mike Pilva-chi, Andy Croft and Ali Martin, speakers include Graham Tomlin, Rich Wilson and Patrick Regan with music by 29th Chapter, LZ7 and Greenjade.

MSYN Big Weekend

MSYN's fundraising weekend took place over the 17th and 18th July. Young people took part in the Big Bike, the Big Hike and the Big Eat. Focus also gave out £5 to anyone who wanted one for young people to do a 'Parable of the Talents' fundraising event. There have been quizzes, cakes, car washes and bacon sarnies all to support the work of MSYN.

Regular

Toasties @ Doxey Church	Sundays	1200-1400
Confirmation @ Holy Trinity	Sundays	1600-1700
SNP @ St John's Littleworth	Sundays	1900-2030
FRIJ @ Signposts	Wednesdays	1230-1500
ReVerb @ Weston Road School	Wednesdays	1530-1700
YCUK @ St John's, Littleworth	Wednesdays	1900-2100
Lunch on Green @ St Mary's	Thursdays	1200-1300

- Soul Survivor 30/07—03/08 @ Stafford Showground
- Chennai Challenge 04/08-22/08 or 13/08-31/08/10
- Berkswich Summer Scheme 31/08-03/09/2010
- Confirmation Group Weekend Away 17-19/09
- Confirmation at Holy Trinity Berkswich in September

Events

Berkswich

This term I will have spent 15hrs per week in the parish of Berkswich. My time there was to provide extra support to the parish whilst the incumbent Peter Graysmith was away on sabbatical. I have been involved with two of the four schools in the parish, co-leading the confirmation group, co-ordinating the summer scheme and supporting the leaders of Junior Church. The summer scheme will take place between 31st August and the 3rd September.

Please pray for the summer scheme and the candidates for confirmation.

On Friday 16th July, volunteers from FRIJ at Signpost attended a training course to lead Princes Trust.

There are more than one million young people in the UK not in education, employment or training. The Prince's Trust focuses its efforts on those people who need our help the most.

We will be starting a Princes Trust course at FRIJ next term. We aim to support young people from Highfields who have been excluded or are at risk of exclusion from education.

Princes Trust

Stafford Cluster

From September to Christmas I will be spending my 15hrs per week within the Stafford Cluster. I will be doing spending some of my time 'hanging out' having lunch of the green outside the church, building relationships with young people with the long term possibility of creating a youth cafe. We will also be starting a cell group for the young people of the parish. I will also be working with Focus Into The Mix to lead a contemporary Christmas event in December. Watch this space.