

~ What's happening this August ~

SUNDAYS	9.30am	Elders meet for Prayer
	10.30am	Morning worship
6 th & 20 th	6.30pm	Youth and young people meet
MONDAYs	2.00pm	Craft Group meet for knitting / crochet / chat
	7.00pm	Bible Study (NOT 28 th)
TUESDAYs	11.00am	Chair Exercise (NOT 22 nd & 29 th)
	15 th 7.00pm	Elders' meet
WEDNESDAYs	9.30-10.30am	Praying for Eastgate Union Church
	10am - noon	Drop-in for Coffee & catch-up
THURSDAY		
3 rd	7.00pm	Prayer Course (final week)
SATURDAY		
2 nd September	2.00pm	Induction & Ordination Service

CHURCH ELDERS

Annie Espin	(Church Secretary)	07964 155159
Audrey Moore	(Treasurer)	01507 606706
Brian Moore		01507 606706
Chris Green		07808 565114
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David Neal		07413 597928
Jenny Wingfield		07743 774270
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Welcome to Eastgate Union Church, Louth



If you are visiting we hope you feel welcome.

*The worship songs are displayed on the screens.
Please ask if you'd prefer printed words.*

Tea and coffee are served in the hall after the service.

MONTHLY NEWS ~ AUGUST

Preachers and Bible readings

6 th	Seith Grierson Acts 4 : 13-22
13 th	Stephen Poulson (New Tribes Mission) Acts 4 : 23-37
20 th Communion	Chris Green Acts 5 : 1-11
27 th	Graham Reeves Acts 5 : 12-26

Provision of children's activities during services

Bible-based activities are provided for children of primary school age.

Parents with pre-school aged children are welcome to use the baptistry where the service is relayed.

BIBLE STUDIES

'Prayer Course: Unanswered Questions'. Final week 3rd August

Monday evening Bible Study is continuing through August except for 28th.

Thursday morning Bible Study is taking a break through August.

SOCIAL EVENT

These are not just for us to enjoy but to introduce friends / family who perhaps don't attend a church.

♣ SATURDAY 19TH AUGUST 2PM

Meet at Museum for 'guided tour'. £3. Sign-up list on hall notice board.

CAN YOU HELP?

We are in need of more people to assist the leaders of the children's group on a Sunday morning. No planning or preparation is needed, just be prepared to assist in any way appropriate on that morning.

If this is something you could do, please speak to Ali Gator or ring/message her on 07979 393362 to discuss.

Also anyone who feels they could lead a group, please speak to Ali.
Thank you.

FROM ANNIE, CHURCH SECRETARY - PERSONAL THANKS

When I took over as Secretary, we were soon into a Pastoral Vacancy. I would like to express my gratitude publicly to Chris Green who took on the role of Pulpit Secretary. I know you will all agree that he has been extremely organised and outstanding in this role. We have enjoyed a range of both inhouse and external preachers. Moving forward, with Jonathan as our New Minister, inhouse preachers will still preach; twice in September and thereafter on a monthly basis. This will be planned during the Elders meetings. Chris has now taken on the organisation of the large print song/hymn sheets. Again, as a church, we thank Heather for all her hard work as she completed this task weekly for many years.

Jonathan will share his mobile number from September. He was overwhelmed by the monetary gift from EGU and would like to convey his gratitude to you all.
Annie

SAVE THE DATE! SATURDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER 2PM ORDINATION AND INDUCTION SERVICE FOR JONATHAN

The service will be followed by an afternoon tea. Please check hall noticeboard where there's is a list of food required, if you would kindly add your name. Help also needed to serve tea/coffee, clear/wash up afterwards. Please speak to Cathy Fisher or Helen Wrench if you can help.

Prayers -

~ For Jonathan, Ewelina, Elijah, Ezekiel, Elisha - for all that moving and settling into a new home entails.

~ Give thanks and pray for our elders and all planning the services this month. Preparations for Jonathan's Ordination & Induction service.

~ Blessings on those with birthdays this month -

3rd Jenni Fogarty
8th Graham French
13th Linda White
29th Pat Robinson
30th Chris Green