



### Connect with others, Connect with God.

Sign up for the Summer Term of Connect Groups is now open. Go to: [kingschurchlewes.org/connectgroups](http://kingschurchlewes.org/connectgroups) to find out more and sign up. Alternatively, go to our Sunday Information Point or contact the Church Office Tues-Fri 9am-5pm.

The groups on offer this term (starting the week of 23rd April) are:

- Connect Online (Jamie Ward)** - Weekly on Various Days via Google hangouts
- Mums' Daytime (Charlotte Ward)** - Weekly on Monday at 10:30am at King's
- Core Group (John & Liz)** - Weekly on Tuesday at 8:00pm in Cliffe, Lewes
- Core Group (Bob & Christine)** - Weekly on Wednesday at 9:30am at King's
- Core Group (Jamie & Liz)** - Weekly on Wednesday at 8:00pm in Ringmer
- Core Group (Jeff & Cat)** - Weekly on Wednesday at 7:45pm in Winterbourne
- Core Group (Mike & Sally)** - Weekly on Wednesday at 7:45pm in Ringmer
- Core Group (Ron & Lis)** - Weekly on Wednesday at 7:30pm in Winterbourne
- Grow in Spiritual Gifts (Steve & Ruth)** - Weekly on Wed at 7pm in Hassocks
- Core Group (Francis & Jo)** - Weekly on Thursday at 7:45pm in Ringmer
- Marriage Course (Al & Harriet)** - Weekly on Thursday at 7:00pm at King's

### Future Dates

- 16<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> April** **Prayer Week**
- Sun 22<sup>nd</sup> April** **New Preaching Series: Philippians – Better Together**
- Sat 12<sup>th</sup> May** **9.30am-3pm Exploring Membership Day**  
[kingschurchlewes.org/emd](http://kingschurchlewes.org/emd)
- Wed 16<sup>th</sup> May** **7.45pm Monthly Prayer Evening**
- Fri 18<sup>th</sup> May** **8pm Joint Prayer Evening with Lewes Churches**  
(Trinity Church, St John's, Abinger Place)

Contact the Church Office or see ChurchSuite for more information.

# CONNECT SHEET

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April

## CONNECT WITH THE MESSAGE

### Welcome to King's Church!

Here are some follow-up questions to help you get the most out of today's Bible Message.



### Church Unity Matters (Ephesians 4:1-6)

- 1) What was the most helpful, encouraging or challenging part of Sunday's message for you?
  
- 2) What experience have you had of the positives of church unity or the negatives of church disunity?
  
- 3) How does remembering that we have one God and one Gospel help us to be united as a church?

4) How does remembering that we have one God and one Gospel help us to be united with Christians from other churches?

5) How can you better live out the unity of the Spirit with your Christian brothers and sisters? Are there any situations you need put right or attitudes you need to change?

6) What could you be part of changing at King's that would make us a better 'show-home' for the kingdom of God to the people of Lewes & beyond?

#### PRAY

- thank God for uniting you with himself through Jesus & the work of the Spirit.
- pray for visible unity to continue and grow at King's and for your part in keeping the unity of the Spirit.
- pray that we would be an effective 'City on a Hill' and an attractive 'show-home' for the Gospel.

### Taking It Further

#### Read John 17:20-26

*Jesus is praying for his 12 disciples and also for future disciples (including us).*

1) How does Jesus talk about unity? Who is united (or one) with whom?

2) What effect will the unity of Christians have on the world?  
How do you think this works in practice?

3) How could you pray for yourself, our church & the wider church from this?

## CONNECT IN PRAYER

### Lewes Churches

- Pray for all the Lewes churches to be strengthened and encouraged as we reach out together with the love and message of Jesus in our different styles and neighbourhoods.
- Pray for **Trinity Church** as they prepare to open their café next month at the Trinity Centre (St John sub Castro) with a vision to serve the community and people in need.
- Pray for **Eastgate Baptist** who are preparing for a new minister to join them in the coming months.
- Pray for the **4 days of Continuous Prayer hosted by Trinity Church**, 16<sup>th</sup> -20<sup>th</sup> May with evening prayer sessions and prayer slots 24hrs a day. They are inviting us to be part of it. Details coming soon!

## CONNECT WITH CHURCH LIFE



### Prayer Week

**Mon 16<sup>th</sup> to Sat 21<sup>st</sup> April**

Our Summer Term starts with a Prayer Week focussed on being united together as a church in our love for Jesus, love for each other and love the lost as we work together to reach out with the glorious hope of the Gospel.

**See the Flyers or ChurchSuite.**

### Marriage Course

**Starts 7pm Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May**

Seven Thursday Evenings (plus a social) to help couples strengthen their relationship.

[kingschurchlewes.org/marriagecourse](http://kingschurchlewes.org/marriagecourse)

The marriage course is one of our Connect Groups but open to anyone.

