

**KINGSFEST**  
 ★ CHURCH WEEKEND AWAY ★  
 FOR CAMPERS & DAY VISITORS  
**AUGUST | HADLOW**  
**26-27 ★ 2017 | DOWN**  
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**Kingsfest Church Weekend**

Sat 26<sup>th</sup> - Sun 27<sup>th</sup> August

Come as a day visitor (Sat & Sun) or camp (Fri-Mon). Full programme of activities. Lunch and evening meal included on Saturday and Sunday. More info and booking details at: [kingchurchlewes.org/kingsfest](http://kingchurchlewes.org/kingsfest) book in by 31st July.



**Stoolball vs The Lewes Arms**

6pm Wed 30<sup>th</sup> August

The Paddock, Paddock Rd, Lewes  
 A fun evening for all abilities, going on to the Elephant & Castle pub afterwards. Free food for players! More details from Al Pickering Sign-up to play on ChurchSuite.

**Diary Dates**

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| 31/7- 6/8                               | Youth at the New Day Festival  |
| 26-27 <sup>th</sup> Aug                 | Kingsfest Church Weekend Away (see inside)                                 |
| Sun 27 <sup>th</sup> Aug                | 10am Sunday Worship at Kingsfest with Glen Scrivener (NO MEETING IN LEWES) |
| Wed 30 <sup>th</sup> Aug                | 6pm Stoolball vs Lewes Arms (see inside)                                   |
| 10 <sup>th</sup> -16 <sup>th</sup> Sept | Church Prayer Week<br>Details coming soon!                                 |
| Sun 17 <sup>th</sup> Sept               | 2pm Church Walk followed by BBQ<br>from Steve & Ruth's in Hassocks         |
| Sun 24 <sup>th</sup> Sept               | 7.30pm Team Leaders' Meeting at King's                                     |

*All Events at King's Church Lewes unless stated otherwise.  
 Sign up or find out more about all events on ChurchSuite  
 or through the Office.*

**CONNECT SHEET**

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> July

**CONNECT WITH THE MESSAGE**

Knowing Because God Loves

1 John 4:7-21

1) Jack referenced a lot of 'sappy' romantic films. But what's your favourite film?



Read 1 John 4:7-21

2) What did you find most encouraging or challenging from the message on Sunday?

3) A lot of what is said in this part of the book of 1 John is a repeat of what he has stated in chapter 3. Why do you think he repeats the theme of love?

Read 1 John 4:19-21

4) Why should Christians have a life characterised by love?

**Read John 13:34-35**

5) Why is it so important that we love our brothers & sisters in Christ?

6) How could you practically demonstrate love to your brothers & sisters?

**Read Hebrews 9:11-15**

7) How does this picture explain Jesus as our sacrifice of atonement from 1 John 4:10?

8) How does Jesus being our sacrifice of atonement make us live a life of fearlessness, mentioned in 1 John 4:13?

9) What practical things do you do to help stoke the coals of your affections for God?

10) Spend some time worshiping God: Thank him for a love that sent Jesus to us. Thank him for a love which sacrifices for us, and thank him for sending his Spirit to stay with us.

## CONNECT IN PRAYER

### Kingsfest

- Pray Kingsfest would be a great success, with good numbers attending.
- Pray that the time we spend together would strengthen us as a church.
- Pray for the team planning Kingsfest, including Charlotte W, Al & Harriet
- Pray for good weather!
- Pray for all of the practical arrangements and for safety.

### Personal Witness & People Turning to Jesus

- Pray for some particular people you are in contact with to come to know Jesus. Pray for your neighbours, where you live. If you don't know their names, try to find out.
- Pray for opportunities to show love and kindness to them.
- Pray for opportunities to share something of the hope you have in Jesus (1 Peter 3:15). Pray they might ask you something meaningful.
- Pray for God to open hearts to him and spiritually blind eyes.

## CONNECT WITH CHURCH LIFE



### Prayer Week

**Sun 10<sup>th</sup> to Sat 16th September**

We're going to kick off the autumn term with variety of opportunities to draw near to God, demonstrate our dependence on him, and ask him to change situations and lives. More details coming soon.

### CAP Money Course

**Starts Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct 7.45pm**

A free, practical course over 3 evenings to help you get in control of your finances. For more info and to book a free place go to: [kingschurchlewes.org/capmoney](https://kingschurchlewes.org/capmoney) or contact the Church Office.

