



Stavanger Congregation Anglican Chaplaincy of Norway June 2018

We are an international congregation with people from many different Christian traditions and denominations. We seek to be a caring community that offers spiritual and practical support as well as opportunities for personal growth. You are warmly welcome to any of our services and events.

Dear Friends,

May has been such an amazing month with glorious weather and a successful settling in to our new worship life at NMS.

At our AGM it was clear that the favourite option for our summer services was to worship together with NSBC and SIC at St Petrie Kirke at 11.00 each Sunday for the 6 weeks from 1st July until 5th August. We shall, hopefully, be confirming this shortly.

There will be VBS again this summer 6-10th August

Wherever you are at home, on Holiday or moving on to a new adventure, may you have a peaceful and blessed summer.

Revd. Peter Hogarth

Diary for June

All services are held at Det Norske Misjonsselskap (NMS), Misjonsmarka 1, 4024 Stavanger, unless otherwise stated.

June 3rd	10.30	Café Church + Baptism Revd. Peter Hogarth
10th	10.30	Holy Communion with Children's & Youth Church Revd. Peter Hogarth
17th	18.30	Family Communion Revd. Peter Hogarth
24th	13.00	Holy Communion with Children's & Youth Church Revd. Peter Hogarth
1st July	10.30	Summer Communion service Revd. Peter Hogarth

**Bethel Ladies
Connect Event**
Afternoon Tea @ Victoria
Hotel, Stavanger
Saturday 16th June

Bethel @ NMS each Sunday
10.00 – 10:30am Coffee &
Refreshments
10:30am Worship service will
begin

The main door will be locked at 10.30 at the start of the service. Please phone 48604061 if you arrive later than 10.30, the person on welcome duty will let you into the building.

Prayer Points

- o- Blessings for our community this summer.
- o- Youth and Children's work especially VBS.
- o- Openness to how God wants us to show our faith this summer.

Women's Connect Group Study & Fellowship

Join us for **Afternoon Tea at the Victoria Hotel** in Stavanger on Saturday 16th June. If you would like come please let Cheryl know by Friday 8th June as we need to book in advance. The cost will be 285 nok per person.

CHILDREN'S & YOUTH CHURCH

Children's Church activities generally take place on the 2nd & 4th Sundays during the morning services

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

Pathfinder and CYFA activities will be notified to the groups during the month.

BIBLE STORY CLUB

The Bible Story Club is held at BISS (British International School of Stavanger) on Thursdays 15.15–16.00, during term time. Contact Denise Johnson

CONGRATULATIONS!



June Birthdays

5th Jarne Todd-Gilje & Pastor Pete
7th Nikechi Iro-Ukpai & Alex Hogarth
9th Tonye Briggs

Make sure you write your Birthday in the book so we can sing you *Happy Birthday!*

UK Military Chaplaincy at NATO

Chaplain Hogarth visits the JWC NATO base at Jättå on Thursday each week, usually to include the Bible study group at 11.00.

If you need assistance or would like to speak with the chaplain, please phone or leave a message for Peter at the UK Support Unit office.

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Sun, 3rd	Café Church
Leading : Welcome/Clear Up: Reader: Intercessions: Music: Coffee:	Revd. Peter Hogarth Juliet Chukwuma Revd. Peter Hogarth Music Group Cheryl Hogarth
Sun, 10th	Holy Communion with Children's & Youth Church
Leading : Welcome/Clear Up: Reader: Intercessions: Communion Cup: Music: Coffee:	Revd. Peter Hogarth Sarah Denuiel Rumi Achije Peter Hogarth Rumi Achije Caroline Townsend Rowena Naile
Sun, 17th	Family Communion
Leading : Welcome/Clear Up: Reader: Intercessions: Communion Cup: Music: Coffee:	Revd. Peter Hogarth Rowena Naile Juliet Chukwuma Rumi Achije Ijeoma Iro-Ukpai Veronica Nagel-Alne Jean Peacock
Sun, 24th	Holy Communion with Children's & Youth Church
Leading : Welcome/Clear Up: Reader: Intercessions: Communion Cup: Music: Coffee:	Revd. Peter Hogarth Jean Peacock Sarah Denuiel Juliet Chukwuma Cheryl Hogarth Tony Mudra Caroline Townsend
Sun, 1st July	Summer Family Communion
Leading :	Revd. Peter Hogarth

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Bethel Community need volunteers Can YOU help?

We need help in the following areas:
Children's Church (both leaders & helpers)
Worship Group Singers & Instrumentalists;
Welcome/Clear Up
PA & Sound System
Intercessions & Prayers

If you feel that you are able to help in any of these areas please speak to Pastor Peter.

Giving

Bethel congregation members often ask how they can help us work in our community. You can financially support the work of our church in many ways:

- ✓ **Donating in the Sunday** collection basket.
- ✓ **Registering as a member**, which means that the state and kommune give us money. The government gives the chaplaincy approximately 800 NOK per person, per year. The payment is made for anyone with a personnummer, whether adult or child. **Membership forms are available at the back of the church.**
- ✓ **Giving tax efficiently** by donating directly to the main chaplaincy account in Oslo (account number 7029 05 14973). If you complete your personnummer on the form and donate annually 500-20,000 NOK, you will receive a tax rebate.
- ✓ **Giving directly** through your bank to Stavanger Bethel Congregation (account number: 3201 08 90631). If you intend to give regularly to this account, please let our treasurer, Rumi Achije know at talk2rumi@yahoo.com.

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If you have suggestions or anything you wish to discuss, please contact Rev. Peter Hogarth or one of the Stavanger Committee.

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Readings for June

3rd June 1st after Trinity

Deuteronomy 5:12-15

2 Corinthians 4:5-12

Mark 2:23-3:6

10th 2nd Sunday after Trinity

Genesis 3:8-15

2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

Mark 3:20-end

17th 3rd Sunday after Trinity

Ezekiel 17:22-end

2 Corinthians 5:6-10, 14-17

Mark 4:26-34

24th 4th Sunday after Trinity

Job 38:1-11

2 Corinthians 6:1-13

Mark 4:35-end

1st July 5th Sunday after Trinity

Lamentations 3:23-33

2 Corinthians 8:7-end

Mark 5:21-end

Deadline for the July 2018 newsletter

21st June

Please submit items/information to:

Pastor Peter: revpastorpete@yahoo.co.uk