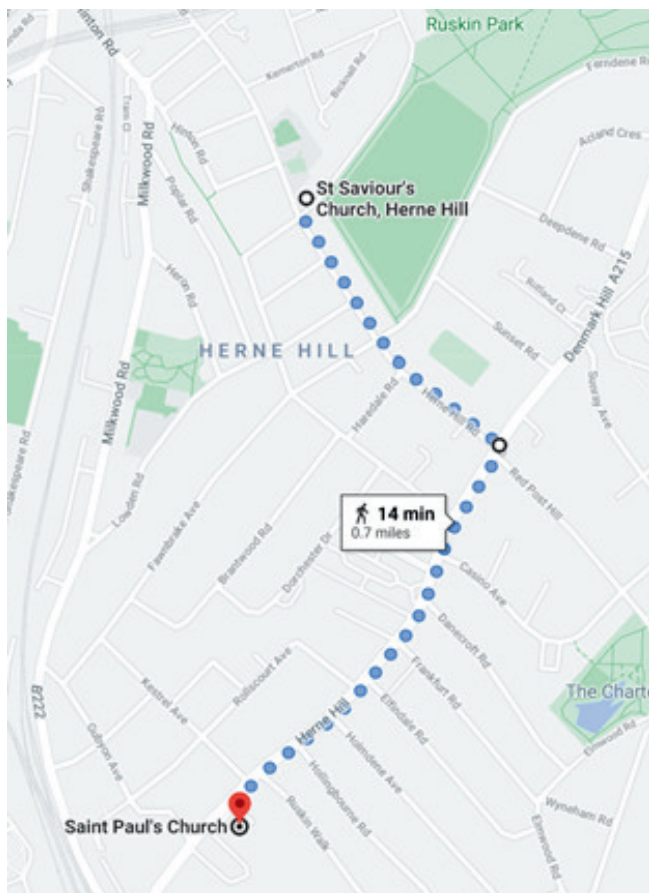


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OUR CHURCH BUILDINGS

Access the parish website via:



or visit www.hernehillparish.org.uk

Follow us on social media!



Facebook: @ParishOfHerneHill



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If you need to meet with any member of staff please get in touch and make an appointment.

As a Parish we are linked with
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link to the school website.

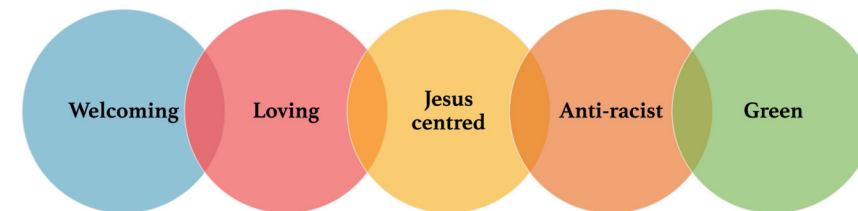


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SEPTEMBER NEWS 2025

In God's strength we strive to be



All welcome, no exceptions, come as you are.

Welcome to the Parish of Herne Hill!

We are two churches, St Paul's & St Saviour's, with multiple congregations. Together we aim, **in God's strength, to bring Jesus to the centre of our lives and the heart of our community.**

Both churches work in close co-operation with the Parish's school, St Saviour's Primary.

Our Sunday services are:

- **8am** BCP service at St Paul's - a traditional, said Holy Communion
- **9.30am** service at St Saviour's - with worship band, and groups for children on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Sundays in term time, as well as crèche facilities
- **11.15am** service at St Paul's - with choir and organ, and groups for children on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Sundays in term time, as well as crèche facilities
- **The Five** service, **5pm** at St Paul's - informal evening service with food, music, & discussion.
- **Messy Church** 2nd Sunday of each month, **3pm** at St Saviour's Church for sensory arts & crafts, games, singing, Bible stories and refreshments for all families. This ministry is suitable for Primary School aged children.



Rev Ben Goodyear



The Bible Course



Explore God's story one step at a time

Starting Wednesday 1st October

8pm @ St Paul's Church

Join us for The Bible Course, which will run for 8 sessions. It is for anyone wanting to navigate and apply the whole Bible to life. It includes video teaching, discussions, a reading plan and extra content. It gives you a great overview of the Bible and how it all fits together. To register please book on [Eventbrite](https://eventbrite.co.uk/a/parish-of-herne-hill-28728335445) or contact Adrian Parkhouse, Ben Goodyear, or Ben Hughes. For details and a link to book, visit our website:

<https://hernehillparish.org.uk/the-bible-course/>

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FOLK ORCHESTRA

HERNE HILL

CEILIDH



Saturday 20th September ~ Saturday 18th October ~ Saturday 15th November

Bring your friends along to **ceilidh dance** together!
Music provided by the South East London Folk Orchestra.
We will have a **caller** who tells you what to do in every dance. Come and enjoy this fantastic **community** event.
Bring Your Own Drinks!

St Paul's Church Hall, Herne Hill, SE24 9LY

Doors: 7:15pm **Dancing:** 7:30pm until 10pm

Advance tickets only. All tickets £10. Buy **here**:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/a/parish-of-herne-hill-28728335445>



WHAT'S ON

SERVICES IN SEPTEMBER

At St Paul's every Sunday at 8am
there is a service of Holy Communion
using the Book of Common Prayer

St Saviour's @ 9:30am

St Paul's @ 11:15am

7th HC Hope when it hurts
Lamentations 2:11-12; 3:19-26;
Matthew 26:36-46
Preacher: Gill Tayleur

14th MW Hope when it hurts
Job 2:9-11; James 5:10-11
Preacher: Ben Goodyear

14th Messy Church
3pm @ St Saviour's



17th A Hymn at Lunchtime
(Weds) 2pm @ St Paul's

21st HC Hope when it hurts
Psalm 42 & 43; Matthew 27:46-50
Preacher: Ben Hughes

28th WT Don't worry, trust God
Galatians 6:11-18; Matthew 6:24-34
Preacher: Anne Clarke
Joint service @ 11.15am @ St Paul's
No 9.30am or 5pm services

'The Five' every Sunday

Informal evening service @ 5pm @ St Paul's

HC – Holy Communion MW – Morning Worship
WT – Worship Together TFC – Together for Communion

WEEKLY EVENTS

Zoom prayers (link on website):
Tuesday 8am-8.30am

Parish Playgroup (term time only):
Tuesday 10-11.30am @ St Paul's

Tuesday Small Group (Bible study & chat):
Tuesday 2.30-4pm @ St Paul's

Psalms & Stretches (£10 donation/class rec.):
Wednesday 7pm @ St Saviour's

Hope Cafe & Open Church:
Thursday 9am-4pm @ St Paul's

Thursday Bible Study (term time only):
Thursday 12.30-1.30pm @ St Paul's

YFC Youth (school years 6+, term time only):
Thursday 6.30-8pm @ St Paul's

Milkwood Kick (age 8yrs+, term time only):
Saturday 10-11.30am @ Ruskin Park

Children, Youth and Family activities

Children's church is back at our 9.30am and 11.15am services on *September 7th*.
YFC (our youth group for school years 6+) restarts on *Thursday 11th September*, and YFC+ returns on *Tuesday 23rd September*.

Do it Fair this Fairtrade Fortnight

Fairtrade Fortnight is taking place from 22 *September* – 5 *October*, asking us to **Do it Fair**. One way of *doing it fair* is to remember the LOAF principles when buying food:

- Locally produced
- Organically grown
- Animal friendly
- Fairly traded



On *Sunday 21st September*, there will be a **Fairtrade stall** after the 11.15am service at St Paul's. Come buy gifts, cards, household goods and foods which benefit communities around the world. In addition, at Bread of Life Fair Trade Centre, Christ Church, 263 Barry Road, SE22 0JT on *Sat 27th Sept*, **Fair trade breakfasts** will be on sale 9.30am-12 midday. Adult breakfast £5, Children under 12 £4. There will also be a variety of stalls, a range of fair trade food & gifts and cakes on sale till 1pm.

Parish Weekend Away - Sunday 28th September
There will only be services at 8am and 11.15am at St Paul's and no services at St Saviour's due to the Parish Weekend Away to High Leigh. We are now fully booked for the weekend away but if you wish to be on a waiting list please speak to Gill or Winnie.

Harvest Sunday - 5th October

At our services we will be collecting harvest donations for the Southwark Day Centre for Asylum Seekers. Gifts of dry and tinned food (well within use-by date, please) and toiletries for adults and babies will be gratefully received.

A Hymn at Lunchtime

On the third Wednesday of every month, at 2pm, we have a short 20 minute service in which we sing a well-known hymn and hear how and why it was written, at St Paul's Church. This month we meet on *Wednesday 17th September*. Find out more from Gill gill@hernehillparish.org.uk 07546 539737

Our Diocesan **Black History Month Thanksgiving Service** - a celebration of identity and belonging - will take place at Southwark Cathedral on *Saturday 4th October*, 10:30am - 1:30pm. All are welcome!

[Register for your free ticket here](#) or use the QR code.



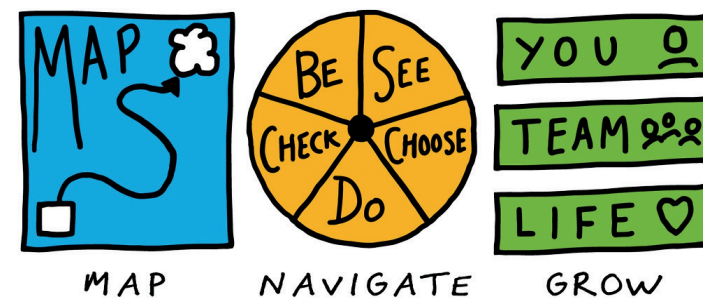
Watch our online service every week
On our **YouTube** channel:
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCacBXmpZ2_eCq3hl9uX8sJQ

Psalms & Stretches



'Psalms & Stretches' returns on *Wednesdays*, 7-8pm at St Saviour's, from the *3rd September*. If you want to join the 'Psalms & Stretches' Whatsapp group, use this link:
<https://chat.whatsapp.com/KCVUIS2iy3qJ4fwateWf5> or email info@psalmsandstretches.com

Lead like Jesus - starting *Monday 6th October*
7.30-9pm at St Paul's in the Welcome Space



Andy Blacknell will be leading one session per month on the first Monday of each month at St Paul's based on his book 'LEAD' co-authored with John Greenway from City Hope church in Bermondsey and Andy Coombe of St Peter's Brockley (<https://www.worldofbooks.com/en-gb/products/lead-50-models-for-success-in-work-and-life-book-john-greenway-9780857087911>). The first three sessions will focus on vision and strategy. Participants should come prepared to develop their own Leader's Map for a context (work, voluntary role, home/family) in which they are working and leading. You don't need to have read the book or be "the leader" to come along. Please sign up here: <https://hernehillparish.churchsuite.com/events/l41cww5w> or email andy@hernehillparish.org.uk

Herne Hill Music Festival Evensong

Please mark your diaries and join us at St Paul's Church on *Sunday 12th October* for a service of **Festival Evensong** at 6.00pm, presented by our own team of singers and clergy, and some additional friends. The service will last c.60 mins. and, as well as the liturgical music, will include a short talk. Come and swell the **congregation**. And additionally, if choral singing is your experience, please join in and swell and strengthen the numbers in our **choir**. Choral recruits will be invited to rehearse with Noël on the two preceding Friday evenings (*3rd & 10th October*) to the service. If you're interested in singing in the Festival Choir, please email noel@hernehillparish.org.uk



Parish Giving Scheme



It costs almost £6,000 per week to run all that the Parish of Herne Hill offers. In order for us to finance God's work in Herne Hill, you can help by giving regularly in a planned way through our Parish Giving Scheme (PGS). You can sign up via phone, by calling 0333 002 1271.

You will need your personal bank account details and the PGS code for the Parish of Herne Hill: 370637043.

You can also sign up online:
<https://www.parishgiving.org.uk/donors/find-your-parish/parish-of-herne-hill-london/>



Giving electronically

To give a one-off donation to the parish please use the QR code:



Christians Against Poverty

News from Beckee, our Community and CAP worker.



CAP Job Club

Join us for our next Job Club this autumn. This 4-week course will focus on discovering your strengths, overcoming obstacles, CV work, and interview techniques. For more details contact Beckee, rebeccalewis@capuk.org / 07593 580184 Starts *Monday 15th September*, 10am-2pm @ St Paul's Church. You will gain the most out of the course if you attend all four weeks.

CAP free debt help number is
0800 328 0006

St Saviour's CofE Primary School

In the coming months there will be a couple of vacancies for governors at our church school. We are looking for people who will uphold the Christian values of the school and who would like to support the school in being a place where every child can flourish and be the best they can be. We are also keen to broaden the diversity of the board, to make it representative of the community the school serves. If you are interested and would like to find out more, please speak to Ben Goodyear in the first instance.

Are you new to the parish?

Welcome!

We would love to get to know you better.
Please scan the QR code and fill out our connect form if you would like to hear from us.



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