

SPYCS - St Paul's Youth Club School Year 10 upwards

Sundays 8.00 pm - 9.30 pm (term time only)

SPYCS meets in the Church hall. Access is via the side entrance. Pool, Table tennis, basketball and Uni-hoc are on offer along with other games, there is a lounge for chilling out. The tuck shop is always popular! At 9.00pm we all get together for what has been named D.O.G. – a 5-10 minute open 'discussion on God' it is intended to simply look at Christian aspects of everyday life.

SPYCS is open to any young person in Year 10 and above whether they attend a church or not.

Toddlers Plus

Wednesday morning 10am-11.30am in the church hall.

We cater for children up to school age and their carers. At each session we have a variety of toys out for the children to play with and also a craft for them to enjoy. There are hot drinks for the carers and a drink and biscuit (or a healthy fruit option) for the children. At the end of every session we get into a circle for singing and also one of the ministry team comes in every few weeks to tell the children a story.

Babies Plus

Wednesday afternoon 1.30pm-2.45pm in the church hall.

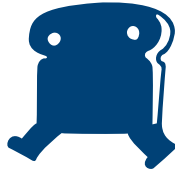
We cater for babies up to 18 months old and their carers. Each week we have a variety of toys out for the babies in a relaxed and calm environment. There are hot drinks for the carers and a drink and snack for the older babies. At the end of every session we get into a circle for singing which the babies love, especially clapping themselves at the end!

For more details about Toddlers & Babies Plus please contact Claire Harald via the website.



St. Paul's Church
Letchworth Garden City

Pixmore Way / Baldock Road
www.StPaulsLetchworth.co.uk



Sunday 10am

(Junior Church)



**Our Sunday Activities
have been re-launched
– there are new names
and a new group due to
increasing numbers**

Registration

All our Leaders and helpers are CRB cleared and we operate within the St Albans Diocese Best Operating Practice guidance to ensure the health and safety of children. In line with this ALL children and Young people need to be registered. Parents or carers will need to complete and sign a registration form, returning it to Clare Townsend or to the church office. Registration forms are available at the Church or website.

The groups re-join the church service at the end

Children and young people enter Church near the end of communion service (arrangements vary from group to group). One of the groups is then chosen to do a feedback slot to the congregation. Following the service refreshments are then served in the church hall.

Overlapping ages

Here at JC we really want the children and young people to engage with our church and enjoy it, experience has shown us that being able to meet up with our friends within groups is really important. We have a relaxed approach to moving children and young people up to the next group with the aim of keeping friends together.

PGT – Praise God Together

All age worship together in the Church on the first Sunday of the month – no groups

If you have any queries which group would best suit your child please contact Clare Townsend - Youth and Children's Worker via:
churchoffice@ntlworld.com



Lift-off 0 – 4 Year olds

Meet in the small room off the top hall. The activities are very relaxed and tailored to the particular children who attend - each week there is a theme and activities that relate to it.

Parents are very welcome to stay whilst their children get used to the leaders and their surroundings. Please note only parents attending the church service can use this facility. Parents may be required to return to the session if their child becomes unsettled. Parents are asked to collect their children from the room at about 10.55 to take them back in to church for the end of the service.



Infinity 4 – 7 Year olds

Meet in the main room in the Top hall. We enjoy simple Bible stories, songs and "making and doing" activities. The children return to parents in church at 10.55 for the end of the service. Children can attend this group with out parents attending church but we will require a completed registration form.

We would ask that parents stay initially if their child needs them



Encounter 7 – 10 Year olds

We meet in the room to the left of the stage. We will also use the hall for activities and games requiring more space. The programme of Bible teaching includes quizzes, games, drama and craft activities and children are always very welcome to bring a friend along. Children can attend this group with out parents attending church but we will require a completed registration form.



Distinctive 10 – 14 Year olds

Meet in the room to the right of the stage. The Bible teaching is approached in an informal and relaxed manner. DVD's, games, drama and art are all used to help illustrate points. The leaders aim to make this group as different from school as possible! We have several young people who attend both this group and iScape without parents attending church but we do ask that a registration form is completed.



iScape 14 – 18 Year olds

We meet in the room behind the back of the stage. Activities are similar to Distinctive, but the discussion is tailored to an older age group.