



Friends of Cornerstone Newsletter January 2019

Dear Friends

A happy and blessed New Year to you all.

After a busy and enjoyable Christmas and a welcome break for our hard-working staff, we are now well into 2019, with all its unknowns for our country. Here however we continue to be a haven for the community. Thank you for your support in prayer, finance and in person. We depend on them all!

Staffing

We are very excited to announce that we have a new Kitchen Manager starting on 28th January. Diana was the manager of The Huddle in Stanford in the Vale until very recently. We are still advertising for a part-time Saturday cook. If you know an experienced cook or someone at Catering College with Saturdays free, do point them my way. But above all please keep praying **Concert!**

I was delighted when Julie Steventon offered to launch her new worship album at a concert for Cornerstone. Anyone who has had the joy of hearing Julie lead worship either at Vale Elim or at joint services will know that it will be a special occasion. It's at the Wantage Baptist Church. Do come and support Julie, hear some of her story and her own new worship songs – and buy her album. Saturday 26th at 7.30 pm.

Bargains!

As well as our wide selection of books and cards, we have some calendars and diaries still available. These are **all half price**. I am sure the diaries make brilliant notebooks and journals, and the calendars are, well, just beautiful.



Make and Bake

After the Christmas break Make & Bake started again last Friday (9.30 – 11 am). It's a great time for pre-school children and their parents to come together for a creative morning.

Community involvement

I'm pleased that Sovereign Housing are using Cornerstone as a venue for their consultation to ask residents about what our community needs – Wednesday 23 January 5 – 7 pm. We're promised tea and cakes..

End of the month special

Wednesday 30th Ham & Leek Pie with seasonal vegetables 12.30pm. Don't forget to book in advance!

Prayer

The next monthly Prayer Breakfast will be on Saturday 9th February at 8.30 am. I hope you'll be able to come.

God Bless,

Sarah Shewring

