

- **Our APCM** takes place on Sunday 7th April immediately after the morning Eucharist. Churchwardens and new members of the PCC will be elected at this meeting.

Come and vote!

The Annual Review 2018 – 2019 is available by email (contact the Parish Office) or - a limited number only - in print.

- **A pop-up Prayer Centre** will be open in town during Pentecost week 31st May – 8th June. This is a PACT initiative aimed at those unfamiliar with church-going.
- **A Deanery Day of Prayer** will take place on Saturday 6th July in Hawkey Parish Hall, to which all are very welcome. Further information from petersfieldprayerday@gmail.com
- **St. Peter's Holiday Club** will run for one week during July or August (as there will be no PACT club this year).

The Children's Committee is being restored in a new guise – it will be run by the young people themselves – a 'no brainer' really!

Defibrillator

Many will know that there is now a defibrillator in the old red telephone box outside the church. It's simple to use and instructions are provided, but training in its use is planned for our First Aiders and other members of the congregation who wish to take part.

New Blessing Services

We have been asked to offer a blessing service to a same-sex couple in a committed relationship, and look forward to doing so. The decision is at Will's discretion as our vicar, and he is fully supported by the PCC in this.

No legalities would be involved. (The Church of England does not conduct same-sex marriages or civil partnerships).

Petersfield Community Radio plans to put out its first podcast in June. The aim is for social gain, not profit. They hope to have a regular spot for voices from churches and other faith groups, and may possibly broadcast a whole church service. If you have any ideas please contact Josh Thomas on minister@petersfieldurc.com

The Parish Awayday

is now to be combined
with the Diocesan
Pentecost
"Thy Kingdom Come"
Beacon Event
at Porchester Castle
on Sunday 9th June from
1-4pm

*There are plans to have
another Parish Away day
later in the year*