

Sunday Club Report (APCM 2018)

Sunday club has seen a number of changes this year. In the autumn we said goodbye to leaders Nicola and Jo, who were thanked for their huge efforts in recent years. This was seen as an opportunity to review existing 'Sunday School' provision, with the hope of engaging both new and existing families into the church community.

A nominal 'leaders' group consisting of Ali, Daphne, Sarah and Zoe was formed, with a number of other parents offering support in sessions and services. Ali's significant efforts in communicating future plans and scheduling sessions and services have been a particular strength. Together with Daphne and Sarah she co-ordinated a particularly successful Mothering Sunday service which drew in participation from many families and received many positive comments from the wider congregation.

The children within Sunday Club are thriving on greater involvement in leading activities and feeding back on the activities and themes that they have been exploring. They are also benefitting hugely from greater involvement in services on the first and third Sundays of the month.

In summary, it has been an exciting and positive year for the younger members of the church community and we will seek to move forward and build upon these strengths in the coming year, with a particular focus on encouraging parents to join their children in exploring their faith together.

Zoe Bromwich on behalf of the Sunday Club leaders

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