

## Diocesan Day of Celebration - Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> July

### Provisional Programme:



In the City of Rochester as part of the Diocese's 1400<sup>th</sup> Commemoration.

**10am: A welcome** in the Cathedral with the Band of the Chatham Corps of the Salvation Army.

**In the Cathedral** – Music presentations every half hour by Choirs (Including choirs from Estonia & Zimbabwe) & Instrumentalists.

**11am &**

**12 noon:** **'Seated' Cathedral Tours** – 'Pilgrims to this place.  
**40 minute Lectures** in the King's School hall by major speakers i.e.: Bishop Michael Turnbull & Lord Patrick Mayhew.  
**45 Discussions/Seminars** in the King's School.

**11.30am:** **in The Paddocks** – Diocesan XI vs. King's XI 25-over-a-side Cricket Match with guest Celebrity players.

**Children & Youth activities** all day in the Castle Grounds, Cathedral Crypt, and a "Noah's Ark bouncy castle".

**Royal Engineers Band** displays & interactive events.

**Mission agencies** displays & 'overseas tastes' in the Moat.

**Guildhall Exhibition.**

**Dickens'** presentations & readings in Eastgate House.

**Music & drama** programmes in the Information Centre Auditorium.

**Visits to Restoration House.**

**Street Carnival** with Morris dancing & the Pickwick Club.

**Guided Tours** of Rochester & trips on the 'Kingswear Castle' Paddle steamer.

✳ A rolling program of outdoor music by young people's groups ✳

**5.15pm:** a concluding act of **Worship & Celebration** in the castle grounds & the **release of 1400 balloons!**

*Coaches pick up their passengers at 6.30pm.*

**Please sign the list at the back of church  
if you wish to travel on the coach from BPC.  
Return tickets are £8.50 per person.**