



### **Holiday at Home Week with a “Summer Holiday” theme – Mon 19<sup>th</sup> to Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2019**

This event is an annual favourite amongst many of our local residents and it's a great opportunity to make new friends and get to know others in the local community. Everyone is welcome.

This is a joint venture between Dorking United Reformed Church, St Paul's Church, Dorking Quakers and Dorking Christian Centre to provide a 'Holiday at Home' in Dorking for older people who may not otherwise get away. It will run in the week prior to the August Bank Holiday from Mon 19<sup>th</sup> to Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> August.

The theme this year is **“We are all going on a Summer Holiday”** and will offer an exciting program of entertainments and activities, meals and excursions. Most talks and activities are free and are based at the Dorking United Reformed Church in West Street. A two-course hot meal will be available every day at the Christian Centre. (Booking required).

The main hall at the United Reformed Church in West Street will be the 'hotel lobby' for the week with comfy chairs, games and jigsaws, newspapers and refreshments. There will be talks, a quiz, activities and films. Everything from a talk on saucy postcards to the classic film from the 1960's, starring Cliff Richard. The week will conclude with a musical entertainment with music from the 1960's and 70's from a well known local group, *“The Courgettes featuring the Zucchini Sisters”*.

There are three exciting excursions available (booking required)

- A full day trip to the D-Day Museum at Southsea. It tells the story of the Battle of Normandy using the personal possessions and words of those who took part. It also includes entry to see the Overlord Embroideries, featuring extraordinary hand stitched applique panels by The Royal School of Embroidery.
- A half day trip by mini bus to Leith Hill Place including a tour of the house, a talk by a member of staff and cream tea.
- For the less mobile, we have a half day luxury coach trip through the Surrey Hills with our regular guide Bronwen Mills. This year we will be “Going Out East” through Buckland, Reigate and beyond.

Programmes and booking forms will be available from the end of June at Dorking URC, The Christian Centre and at other participating organisations.

For further details please contact the Christian Centre 01306 886830, Mon- Fri 9.00am -2.30pm. Alternatively Chris Currie, Dorking URC 0777 159 6654 [chris.currie.dorkingurc@outlook.com](mailto:chris.currie.dorkingurc@outlook.com)