



PARISH NEWS
24 March 2019
Third Sunday of Lent

WELCOME We extend a warm welcome to all friends and visitors who are joining us for worship today. Do join us for a cup of tea or coffee after the service. If you have just begun to worship with us, it would help us to get to know you if you would complete a welcome card with your details. Please ask a member of the church if you need any assistance.

TODAY'S READINGS

Isaiah 55.1-9

Luke 13.1-9

Psalm 63.1-9

COLLECT (prayer for the day)

Almighty God, whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain, and entered not into glory before he was crucified: mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross, may find it none other than the way of life and peace; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Community Prayer

Week 12

Disability

Supported Living Services

Respite

SeeAbility

Course on Receiving Communion before Confirmation - For young people age 9 to 10. Please contact the Parish Office if interested.

Electoral Roll - The Register of church members known as the Electoral Roll has to be completely revised before our annual church meetings in April. Please would every church member over age 16 complete a new form which are available in each church. Forms must be received back in each church by 24 March to give us time to produce the Electoral Roll in time for the Church meetings! Thank you.

St Francis' A simple Lent Soup Lunch with financial donations in aid of Bishop's Lent Call, to be held in the Burke Room Saturdays 12.30 -2.00pm on 30 March, 6 and 13 April. Saturday 23 March Baskerville's home 28 Grove Road, Horley, RH6 8EL.

Alpha An Alpha Course will start at St Bart's on Thursday 2 May at 7.00pm - If you would like to know more about the Christian faith come along, the evening includes food(!), a short talk and a chance to discuss your thoughts and questions. Please let Sue in the Parish Office know if you are interested.

St Bart's will be looking at their MAP (Mission Action Plan) on Saturday 23 March in St Bart's 10.00am - 1.00pm. All the congregation are welcome as we look at how the church can progress with their mission.

St Wilfrid's Church Workday will be on Saturday 30 Mar from 11.00am. We will spring clean the church as well as carry out work tidying up the outside. Please come even if you can only spare an hour.

St Bart's Annual District Church Meeting (ADCM) - This year's ADCM will be held on Sunday 7 April at 12 noon. The lists for nominations to the various committees are posted on the noticeboard on the far side of the church along with the minutes of last year's ADCM. Please consider prayerfully whether you could serve on one of these committees or nominate someone else to do so. Tea, coffee and cakes will be available as usual after the service. Please collect your refreshments and join the meeting to hear what is happening in the church. We look forward to seeing you there.

"Seder Meal" is returning this year! Thursday 18 April - If you would like to book for this popular and enjoyable evening of a three course meal which includes a traditional roast lamb dinner plus a starter and sweet, please let Ann know as she has to limit the numbers to 50. The cost will be £8 for adults and £4 for under 14 year olds. The evening will start at 7.30 pm and will include a special Communion Service which is conducted throughout the meal.

Lent Course

Week 3 - Wednesday 27 March 7.45pm at English Martyrs Catholic Church and Thurs 28 March 10.00am at Horley Baptist - 'Let Him Easter in Us' Personal discipleship in the light of the resurrection - Speaker Father Francis. Leaflets detailing the full Lent Course are available in each Church.

Deanery Events

Sacred Songs and Arias Saturday 23 March 7.30pm St John the Evangelist Redhill RH1 6QA www.stjohnsredhill.org.uk/upcoming-events 01737826721.

Taizé Lent Reflection Evening Tuesday 26 March 7.00pm St Ann's Church, Banstead, SM7 3AD catherine.martindale@abdiocese.org.uk

Reigate Deanery Quiet Day Saturday 13 April 10.00am to 4.00pm Wychcroft, South Park Lane, Bletchingley RH1 4NE christine.elliott1902@gmail.com

Horley Foodbank would be most grateful for donations of cream crackers, mayonnaise, hot chocolate which can be mixed with water, tins of sweet corn and small packets of sugar. As always the gifts are greatly appreciated.

St Bart's Children's Work - we still require more help. Please consider prayerfully whether you could work with our children on a Sunday morning once every few weeks. The programme is worked out in advance based upon excellent on-line teaching resources. Please speak to Rosemary or email rstone39@talktalk.net if you think you may be able to join the rota. Help will be available if you have never done this kind of thing before! This is a growing and vital part of our ministry. Thank you.

Help needed for our Parents & Toddler group (The Good Seed). We run a very popular group attended by a large number of parents, grandparents and carers with their children on a Monday between 10.00 - 11.30 am during term time. Marg Prentice leads the group supported by Thiru with valuable help from Pat Legg of Lee Street Church. The staff team is so small that illness among the volunteers, as has occurred recently, proves very difficult. This is a vital part of our community outreach and it would be a great shame if any week had to be cancelled. If you are willing to be involved with this very important initiative, please get in touch with Marg. Thank you.

Mums & Babes

Mondays 10.00am - 11.30am - St Bart's Church Good Seed

Tuesdays 10.00am - 11.30am - St Wilfrid's Church

Wednesdays 10.30am - 12.00noon - St Francis' Church

MID WEEK HOLY COMMUNION

No midweek Communion 27 March

No midweek Communion 3 April

10 April 11.00am St Wilfrid's

Compline 6.00pm on Thursdays at St Francis' Church, Balcombe Road

Sunday 31 March 2019

8.00am Traditional Holy Communion at St Bart's Church, Church Road

10.00am All Age Worship at St Wilfrid's Church, Horley Row

10.00am Mothering Sunday Family Service with Holy Communion
at St Francis' Church, Balcombe Road

10:30am Holy Communion at St Bart's Church, Church Road

Sunday 7 April 2019

8.00am Traditional Holy Communion at St Bart's Church, Church Road

10.00am Holy Communion at St Wilfrid's Church, Horley Row

10.00am Family Service at St Francis' Church, Balcombe Road

10:30am Morning Praise at St Bart's Church, Church Road

6.00pm Evensong at St Francis' Church, Balcombe Road

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