

PARISH NEWS 19 May 2019 Fifth Sunday of Easter

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	
Acts 11.1-18	L
John 13.31-35	
Psalm 148	F
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Collect (prayer for the day)

Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ have overcome death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: grant that, as by your grace going before us you put into our minds good desires, so by your continual help we may bring them to good effect; through Jesus Christ our risen Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Community Prayer Week 7 Charities & Service Organisations

Royal British Legion
Rotary Club, Round Table, Lions Club
Local Charity Groups

The Alpha Course has been cancelled.

Thy Kingdom Come - Nine days of prayer from Ascension to Pentecost -

An hour of evening prayer, joining the nation to pray:

Thursday 30 May Ascension Day 7.30pm St Francis' Holy Communion

Friday 31 May 6.00pm St Bart's

Saturday 1 June 6.00pm St Francis'

Sunday 2 June 6.00pm St Francis' Evensong, 6.00pm St Wilfrid's

Monday 3 June 6.00pm St Bart's

Tuesday 4 June 6.00pm St Wilfrid's

Wednesday 5 June 6.00pm St Francis'

Thursday 6 June 6.00pm St Wilfrid's

Friday 7 June 6.00pm St Bart's

Saturday 8 June 6.00pm St Francis'

Sunday 9 June Pentecost 3.30pm Pentecost in the Park, Redhill Memorial Park - London Deanery Service.

Christianity Explored – St Francis' The course is to deepen our relationship with Christ and explore and draw closer through the gospel of Mark. The course sessions consist of a DVD followed by group discussions. Join us at St Francis' Church, 7.30-9.30pm. Wednesday 5 and 12 June, Thursday 20 June, Wednesday 26 June, Wednesday 3 July, Thursday 11 July and Wednesday 17 July.

Safeguarding Training Saturday 13 July 10.00am to 1.00pm at St Bart's. If you are in any way involved with children or adults who may be vulnerable you should attend this course. For those who have attended in the past, the training needs to be updated every three years. Please email parishoffice@horleyteamministry.org.uk or call 01293 782218 to register.

Surrey Churches Preservation Trust: We are grateful to the Trust for the promise of £500 towards the repair of the Lychgate. Most of the money they raise comes from the sponsored event "Ride & Stride"; a circular route for cyclists and walkers around Surrey churches. (Please see a letter from their chairman on your notice-boards.) Preference for grants is given to those churches who take part so please consider prayerfully whether we can raise a team from our three churches to take part in this year's event on Saturday 14 September.

Help needed for Parents & Toddler group The Good Seed at St Bart's, very popular group attended by large number of parents, grandparents and carers with children on Mondays 10.00 - 11.30am in term time. Marg Prentice leads the group supported by Thiru with help from Pat Legg, Lee Street Church. Staff team is small so illness among volunteers is difficult. A vital part of community outreach, it would be a shame to cancel a week. If you can be involved with this important initiative, please contact Marg. Thank you.

<u>Horley Foodbank</u> is as always grateful for donations; currently there is a need for tomato pasta sauce, breakfast cereal, tinned potatoes, UHT semi-skimmed milk, cat food, tin openers and toilet rolls.

<u>Diocesan Celebrations to mark 25 years since Women's Ordination to the</u> Priesthood

Here Am I - An exhibition of photography by Jim Grover 22 May to 2 June 11.00am to 6.00pm at gallery@oxo, Oxo Tower Wharf, Bargehouse Street, South Bank London SE1 9PH Admission free.

Inspired for the Future - Saturday 25 May A study morning of reflection and conversation with Dr Paula Gooder and Professor Esther Mombo 10.00am - 12.00pm at Southwark Cathedral followed by a special Eucharist 12.15pm to 1.30pm Admission free.

Open the Book Training - If you missed the training session there is a further opportunity at St Luke's Church, Church Road Reigate RH2 8AY on Monday 20 May 9.30am to 2.00pm. For information email kerryevans@openthebook.net.

Bible Readathon at Crawley United Reformed Church, Worth Park Avenue, Pound Hill, RH10 3DF on Saturday 1 June from 10.00 am until 3.00pm in aid of Bible Society.

For Sale

Bosch 34.R.13" Electric Mower 1300w 1 year old Parkside Reciprocating Saw 710w Please contact Michael Gardener if you would like to make an offer 07826 082601 - money will go to St Bart's Spire Fund.

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

22 May 10.00am St Francis'

No midweek Communion 29 May

5 June 11.00am St Wilfrid's

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

Sunday 26 May 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 Holy Communion at St Francis' Church, Balcombe Road 10:30am Morning Praise at St Bart's Church, Church Road

Thursday 30 May 2019 Ascension Day

7.30pm Holy Communion at St Francis' Church, Balcombe Road

Sunday 2 June 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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