



PARISH NEWS

23 February 2020

Sunday Next Before 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.

Licensing of Tim Hill as Pioneer Youth, Family & Schools Worker
6.00pm at St Bart's Church
All are welcome

TODAY'S READINGS

2 Peter 1.16-21

Matthew 17.1-9

Psalm 2

Collect (prayer for the day)

Almighty Father, whose Son was revealed in majesty before he suffered death upon the cross; give us grace to perceive his glory, that we may be strengthened to suffer with him and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Community Prayer - Week 8 Health

Doctors

Community Nurses, Health Visitors etc

Ambulance Service

Dentists

Beechcroft

St John's Ambulance

Stephanie would like to thank everyone for their prayers, cards, flowers and the kindness shown.

Pioneering Family and Youth Minister - We are looking forward to Tim Hill, our Pioneering Family and Youth Minister, taking up this post at the beginning of March. Tim's Licensing is on Sunday 23 February 6.00pm at St Bart's - all are welcome to come along to support Tim. Refreshments will follow the Service - if you are able to provide some cake please let the Churchwardens know. Tim is looking forward to this opportunity to build up relationships in the areas where he is to minister. Please hold Tim in your prayers.

The Funeral of Sharana Gould, a long-time member of St Bart's congregation, will take place on Wednesday 4 March 11.30am at St Bart's.

TryPraying - will be launched on the first Sunday in March. Watch out for the booklet which needs to be passed on once you've used it. The idea is that you read the booklet, pray and physically hand it on to someone else, or leave it on a bus or train seat.

Archdeacon of Reigate, The Venerable Moira Astin Pre Lent Talk at St Wilfrid's Church Friday 28 February 7.30pm - The theme is 'Christianity and when it came to Britain' - After Moira's sabbatical she intends to share her experiences and the knowledge she has gained on this subject theme.

Lent Course 2020 The Lord's Prayer -

Wednesday evenings 7.45 - 9.30pm -

Weds 4 March - Horley Baptist Church

Weds 11 March - Horley Methodist Church

Weds 18 March - English Martyrs Catholic Church

Weds 25 March - Lee Street Church

Weds 1 April - St Bart's Church

Thursday Mornings 10.15am - 12.00noon all at Horley Baptist Church

Ascot Lent Home Group Wednesday 4 March for 5 weeks 7.45pm to 9.00pm. Please speak to Penny Lohead.

Bishop's Lent Call Soup Lunches at St Francis Saturday 7 March and each Saturday for 4 weeks 12.30pm – 2.00pm, our final Soup Lunch will be on Palm Sunday.

World Day of Prayer Friday 6 March - 2.00pm at English Martyrs Catholic Church

Growing in Faith parents' group - The new fellowship group bringing together parents is now meeting regularly, sharing our faith, praying and looking at the Bible together. There is plenty of room for more members. We meet every 1st and 3rd Tuesday 10.30am to 12.00noon. You are welcome to bring your children. For more information please contact Anna Coe on 07855 346987 or annacoe244@gmail.com.

Lee Street Playgroup are recruiting for a Manager, 30 hours a week. If interested please email leestreetchurchplaygroup@hotmail.com or telephone 01293784294.

Trinity Oaks CofE, the Diocesan School, are seeking to appoint a new head teacher. Over the coming months please pray for the school staff and pupils during this transition period. Pray that the school governors have a clear vision from the Lord for this new chapter in the school's life.

Horley Baptist Church are hosting a 'Whole Life Worship' day on Saturday 7 March 10.00am registration/drinks, 10:30am start, 4.00pm finish. Please bring a packed lunch with you. Everyone who has a role within Sunday Worship is invited. That includes musicians, "welcomers", PA & AV teams, worship leaders, singers and anyone else involved or who would like to be involved. More information about the day can be found here: <https://engageworship.org/whole-life-worship> "We're really excited about the day and about finding out what God has in store for us and hope that you are able to join us". The cost is £20 per person and you can book your place on the following link: <http://bit.ly/2sMrAtd> Hope to see you there!

Tim Hill and Neil Robinson ministry to the people of Kyrgyzstan - In 2018 Tim and Neil travelled to Kyrgyzstan taking a portable Surgical Microscope and other medical equipment, to help improve the lives for the people. This year Tim and Neil are looking to take three Posterior Paediatric Walkers and three Children's wheelchairs. If you wish to contribute by cash or cheque (payable to 'Horley Baptist Church'), please put in an envelope marked KYRGYZSTAN and hand to Les or Mandy.

Horley Foodbank - The Foodbank is in need of tinned sweetcorn, tinned potatoes, instant hot chocolate and curry sauce. Thank you for all your donations.

Thank you to everyone who supported Saturday's Foodbank coffee morning. We are pleased to say that we raised £335, from Diane.

Winter Night Shelter - Horley Team Ministry are hosting Winter Night Shelter again at St Wilfrid's on Friday nights until 20 March. For further information see www.rhtes.org or contact Jon Digby – jon@digtheturtle.com (Venue Coordinator).

Lily Trust - drop off centre 3rd Wednesday each month **10.00am to 12.00noon St Francis** Balcombe Road, Horley - A volunteer driver collects the items and delivers to Lily Trust the same day. Items needed are - face cloths, deodorant, matching shampoo and conditioners, maternity disposable briefs, maternity pads, breast pads, nappies (new born and size 1). Thank you for your donations.

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

SERVICES

Mid Week Holy Communion

4 March 11.00am St Wilfrid's

No midweek Communion 11 March

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

Wednesday 26 February 2020 Ash Wednesday

11.00am at St Wilfrid's Church, Horley Row

7.30pm at St Francis' Church, Balcombe Road

Sunday 1 March 2020

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

Sunday 8 March 2020

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

10.00am Morning Praise at St Wilfrid's Church, Horley Row

10.00am Holy Communion at St Francis' Church, Balcombe Road

10:30am Family Service at St Bart's Church, Church Road

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