

**UNITED BENEFICE OF LINGFIELD  
& DORMANSLAND  
LINGFIELD PARISH CHURCH**

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Notices for the week commencing Sunday June 16, 2024.



**Nigel - Happy Retirement.**

**LINGFIELD CHURCH SERVICES**

Sunday June 16 – Third Sunday after Trinity.

8.00am Morning Prayer *Leader Richard Holroyd*

10.00am Joint Benefice Choral Eucharist service at **St John**  
*Nigel's last service before retirement)*

5.00pm Informal service at St John

**Note.** There will **not be** a 10.00am service at Lingfield today.

Today Sunday June 16 – **Joint Benefice choral service** at St John, Dormansland, which will be **The Revd Nigel Hinton's** last service before retirement. It will be at 10.00am followed by a celebration in the Centenary Room. If you have not signed Nigel's card, please speak with Ray or Clive, the St John Churchwardens. Transport is being organised.



Tuesday September 24 – **Macmillan Coffee Morning** in the Miller Room from 9.00am to noon. The money raised will support Macmillan’s vital work. It helps fund their amazing Macmillan nurses, answer calls on the Support Line, gives financial support, and lots more. In due course please contact Sue Ellis 07507 213120 for donations of cakes and information.



**The Inclusive Church logo.**  
**We are a member of this organisation.**  
See our Mission Action Plan (MAP) Priority One goals on the Miller Room notice board.



This QR code will take you into our **St Peter & St Paul Parish Giving Account**. The advantage of using this one is it provides the option of either making a ‘One off Gift’ or joining as a regular giver. It also sorts out the Gift Aid for us.  
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## REGULAR WEEKLY EVENTS

Tuesdays – **‘Pop In’** 10.00am to 12 noon in the Miller Room. Join us for a coffee/tea and a chat.

Saturdays – **Community Hub**, 9.00 to 11.00am on the first Saturday (next July 6) in each month.

## OTHER INFORMATION, ALSO SEE NOTICE BOARD

**Church Fete** – Congratulations to the **Fete Organising Committee** and to everybody who contributed to the success of the whole day on Saturday June 8. It involved a lot of hard work by everybody. The weather was cool but fine, which attracted our many visitors. Thank you all for your considerable effort in making the day and result, so successful.

**Services at Lingfield and Dormansland post Sunday June 16** – Following Nigel’s retirement Ian is responsible for the difficult task of ensuring services continue at both churches with the appropriately qualified leadership. We have spreadsheet of suitable names covering up to Christmas 2024. It is on-going process in which the churchwardens are giving full support. Inevitably, due to the shortage of available priests, there may be some Sundays where a joint service is unavoidable, but ample notice and transport arrangements will be provided to ensure all who wish to do so, can attend. The first Joint Benefice 10.00am service will be at Lingfield on June 30 (5<sup>th</sup> Sunday). We will keep you advised. Thank you for your understanding.

**Upper Churchyard maintenance** – Lee our gardener for the area around the church is doing a marvellous job cutting the grass, strimming and weed killing. If you happen to see him, please speak and thank him for his efforts. We all appreciate a little praise now and again! He specially prepared the areas for the church fete, and it now looks well maintained, after some months of neglect.

**Your Safety, Fire Evacuation Procedure** - In the event of fire breaking out in the Church, please follow the instructions of the duty Side-persons: -

- A warning will be given by klaxon or loud voice, please exit the building immediately through the main door in the Miller Room, or the door down steep steps in the Turton Chapel. One or both may be used dependant on the safe route.

- Assist all those around you to leave safely and carefully, especially those whose mobility may be limited.

- Go up the path leading to the village, or to the library steps, and assemble there, not by the main doors - this will ensure all people stay clear of the access routes for the emergency services.

- Wait for instructions before re-assembly in the Church.

A detailed **Fire Evacuation Procedure Plan** has been placed in the blue **Rotas** file at the back of the church. Please read and raise any questions with the Churchwardens, Side-persons, or other duty staff members.

**Church Legacy Policy** - Over the centuries, generous church members have left gifts to their local churches in their wills. These gifts have often helped transform their parish's mission and telling of the unfolding Christian story. All these gifts have provided an ongoing opportunity to develop parish mission, as well as creating a lasting memorial for those who gave them. Leaving a gift in your will could make a real difference to the future life of your church.

**Prayer Requests** - Please pray for Zoe Smith, Brian Bell, Barbara Bell, Jenny Holroyd, Jenny Attwood, Jessica Townley, Vanessa Francis, Peter Rogerson, and all whose names have been placed on the prayer board.

**Rest in Peace** - We remember Maria Savvides, and all who have died recently. We recall Dee Celliers, and all whose anniversary falls at this time, including others known only to us.

Notices for inclusion in the pewsheets commencing Sunday June 23 should be emailed to Peter Beynon [plbeynon441@outlook.com](mailto:plbeynon441@outlook.com), or the Parish Office, not later than the preceding Thursday please.