

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

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Notices for the week commencing Sunday March 3, 2024.

**LINGFIELD CHURCH SERVICES**

Sunday March 3 – Third Sunday of Lent.

8.00am Said Eucharist *Celebrant the Rev Ian Whitley*

10.00am Sung Eucharist with Little Ps Sunday Club

*Celebrant the Rev Ian Whitley*

*Hymns* – **595** (Be thou my vision.) **664** (How sweet the name.)

**669** (I heard the voice.) **139** (Ah, holy Jesu.) **682** (In the cross of Christ.)

*Readings:* Exodus 20: 1-17 (77) 1 Corinthians 1: 18-25 (1144)  
John 2: 13-22 (1065)

5.00pm Informal service at St John

The organ voluntaries for this Sunday are: -

(Prelude)

O Lamm Gottes, unschuldig (choral) - BWV deest: Johann Sebastian Bach

Wir danken dir, Herr Jesu Christ, daß du für uns gestorben bist - BWV623: Johann Sebastian Bach

Ach Gott und Herr - BWV714: Johann Sebastian Bach

O Mensch, beweine deine Sünde groß - BWV622: Johann Sebastian Bach

(Postlude)

“Giant” Fuga in D minor (Wir glauben all an einen) - BWV680: Johann Sebastian Bach

First three Sundays of each month – **Informal service** at St John at 5.00pm.



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.

Please try with your mobile phone QR reader app.

Monday March 4 - **Kevin Scully** is leading a **Quiet Morning at Edenbridge Church** with the title, *Time In The Wilderness*. It is open to all. If you would like to come, please email [revkevwrites@outlook.com](mailto:revkevwrites@outlook.com) so he can alert the soup maker! It is free but attendees may want to consider a small donation for the soup lunch!

### MID WEEK SERVICES

10.00am Wednesday (March 6) Holy Communion at St John  
On Zoom  
9.00am Monday to Thursday Morning Prayer  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81989590555?pwd=MUNnb0NwaUpUbHBiMnQzVm9wd0Q4UT09>. Passcode 149674  
8.00pm Wednesday Compline, see weekly email  
from the Parish Office for the Zoom link

Saturday March 9 - **Fairtrade Lingfield and Dormansland** invite you to their **Big Brew and Spring Market** from 10.00am to 12 noon at the Lingfield and Dormansland Community Centre. **Fairtrade** food and crafts, delicious honey and local cheeses, other stalls and displays. There will be **Fairtrade** tea and coffee, home-made cakes, and a raffle. If you could make a cake or can provide a raffle prize, please contact Gill (01342 833994).

### NEXT WEEK AND FUTURE EVENTS

#### CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday March 10 – Mothering Sunday. Fourth Sunday of Lent.

8.00am Said Eucharist *Celebrant the Rev Ian Whitley*

10.00am Sung Eucharist *Celebrant the Rev Ian Whitley*

*Hymns* – **537** (For the beauty.) **763** (Praise the holiest.) **794** (The King of love.)

**Magnificat in B flat; Stanford** **739** (Now thank we all our God.)

*Readings:* Exodus 2: 1-10 (58) Colossians 3: 12-17 (1184)

John 3: 14-21 (1066)

5.00pm Informal service at St John

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday March 11 - Next **Messy Church session**. Lots of help needed to set up, run the craft tables, and clear way after, please come and join in, starting at 3.30pm. Set up will commence at 2.30pm for tables and facilities.

Monday March 11 - **Ghurka Charity Meal and Quiz** in aid of Fairtrade EG and the EG Museum to be held at 6.30pm for 7.00pm at the Ghurka Woodcock Hill. Cost £22 with £8 going to the two charities, plus a good raffle. Book on 01342 325325. Cash please on the night. Please support us.

Saturday March 23 – Service to celebrate **Women’s Ministry** at Southwark Cathedral at 11.00am. Bishop Rosemarie will preside, and Archdeacon Moira Astin will preach. For further information please contact Revd Esther Foss, Dean of Women’s Ministry [estherfoss79@gmail.com](mailto:estherfoss79@gmail.com).

Sunday March 24 - **Palm Sunday**, starts by the village pond and processes to the church for the main part of the service at 10.00am.

Sunday March 24 – **Choral Evening for Palm Sunday** at 4.30pm. There will be two more Choral Evensong events this year; June 30 (Festival of St Peter & St Paul) and October 6 (Harvest). Please bring your family and neighbours to support this traditional service.

### HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Monday March 25 to Easter Sunday March 31,

Monday to Friday	Morning Prayer at 9.00am in church and on Zoom, see published link,
Monday March 25	Stations of the Cross at 7.00pm,
Wednesday	Stations of the Cross at 10.00am,
Maundy Thursday	Eucharist at 8.00pm, followed by stripping of the altar and Watch until midnight,
Good Friday	Messy Church at 10.00am,
Good Friday	Reflections and Eucharist service at 2.00pm followed by Hot Cross buns,
Easter Day	Sunrise Eucharist Service at 6.00am, then breakfast. Eucharist service at 10.00am.

Tuesday March 26 - From 9.30am-3.00pm, we are holding a fundraising coffee morning in aid of **Purple Day** and for **Young Epilepsy & The Daisy Garland**, who support individuals with epilepsy. Please come along and enjoy a sweet & savoury treat throughout the day. Donations of cakes, possibly with purple icing, would be appreciated as well as some help on the day.

Tuesday March 27 – **Wine & Wondering session** 7.30pm at **The Star**, this is a Spiritual, not Religious, opportunity to meet and discuss matters of interest to you. Scheduled for the last Tuesday in each month.

Saturday April 13 – **East Grinstead Choral Society** with professional soloists presents *Gioachino Rossini’s Pette Messe Solennelle* in St Swithuns Church EG at 7.00pm. Tickets £18 at [www.egcs.co.uk/upcoming-events](http://www.egcs.co.uk/upcoming-events) or on the door.

Sunday May 19 – **The Friends of St Peter & St Paul** support the maintenance of the church and churchyard and will be holding their **Open Gardens** event this afternoon. The gardens will be open from 2.00 – 4.00 pm and tea/refreshments will be available in the church. If you’d like to join **The Friends** or have more information contact Richard Young at [youngr@ryeconsult.co.uk](mailto:youngr@ryeconsult.co.uk).

Saturday June 8 – **St Peter & St Paul, Lingfield Parish Church Fete**, again lots of fun with more details in due course.

Sunday June 16 – **Joint Benefice service** at St John, Dormansland, which will be **The Revd Nigel Hinton's** last service. It will be at 10.00am followed by a celebration in the Centenary Room. More details in due course.

Sunday July 7 - **Charity Summer Garden Party** with a selection of salads and cold meat and fish and BBQ. Variety of delicious desserts and Cheeses. In aid of the Lingfield Marathon Community minibus and research into Lewys Body Dementia. Location Bidbury House, Dormansland, email for further details. [Sue@bidbury.com](mailto:Sue@bidbury.com). Children welcome.



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**We are a member of this organisation.**

See our Mission Action Plan (MAP) Priority One goals on the Miller Room notice board.

## **OTHER INFORMATION, ALSO SEE NOTICE BOARD**

**Lower Churchyard Working Party** – An appeal for volunteers to assist the community team maintaining this area, please join us on the first Saturday morning of each month. There is a range of jobs, some easy, some even more easy! So, no excuses to get out in the fresh air for your health and well-being. See you there.

**The Friends of St Peter & St Paul** was established in 1997 to support the maintenance and restoration of the church and churchyard. Since then, it has raised and spent over £120,000 on more than 25 projects, through subscriptions, donations and the organisation of more than 60 events. If you'd like to join **The Friends** or have more information contact Richard Young at [youngr@ryeconsult.co.uk](mailto:youngr@ryeconsult.co.uk).

**East Grinstead Food Bank Easter appeal** - Items needed by **March 11**, (all tinned), soup, meatballs, tuna, fruit, tomatoes, peas, sweetcorn. Also, cereal small box, 1 litre whole milk long life (blue), pasta 500g bag, microwave rice pouch, instant mash potato packet, mayonnaise plastic bottle, ketchup plastic bottle, biscuits, Creme eggs box of 5, small packets of mini eggs, Easter chocolate bunnies (foil wrapped). <https://www.bankthefood.org/>. Lucy.

## **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 in each month.

**Prayer Requests** - Please pray for Zoe Smith, Judy O'Callaghan, Heather Allonby, Trevor Crowhurst, Brian Bell, Barbara Bell, Jenny Holroyd, Jenny Attwood, Ray Winter, Jessica Townly, and all whose names have been placed on the prayer board.

**Rest in Peace** - We remember Jim Lee, Kevin Smith, Brenda Peagam, Jackie Poland and all who have died recently. We recall all whose anniversary falls at this time, including others known only to us.

Notices for inclusion in the pewsheets commencing Sunday March 10 should be emailed to Peter Beynon [plbeynon441@outlook.com](mailto:plbeynon441@outlook.com), or the Parish Office, not later than the preceding Thursday please.