

**UNITED BENEFICE OF LINGFIELD &
DORMANSLAND**

LINGFIELD PARISH CHURCH

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Vicar - In Vacancy

Parish Office - Wednesday and Friday, 8.30am-4.30pm, contact Liz Moor Tel: 01342 832021, email: officelingfieldppchurch@gmail.com.

Notices for the week commencing Sunday February 23, 2020.



Vicar Profile – The Archdeacon’s Office is processing our application, prepared by our Churchwardens, Richard and Sue with input from others.

SERVICES THIS SUNDAY

February 23. Sunday next before Lent.

8.00am	Said Eucharist at Lingfield <i>Celebrant & Preacher Celebrant The Revd Nigel Hinton</i>		
9.30am	Parish Eucharist <i>Celebrant & Preacher The Revd Kevin Scully</i>		
Hymns	Opening 702	Gradual 621(i)	Offertory 358
	Communion 799(i)	Final 494	
<i>Readings</i>	Exodus 24: 12-end (82)	2 Peter 1: 16-end (1221)	
	Matthew 17: 1-9 (984)		

Sunday February 23 Organist - Welcome and thanks to **Richard Williams** from Dormansland who will leading our music with the organ. The hymns today have been chosen by **Joy Maitland**.

Bishop Christopher's Lent Appeal - The theme for the 2020 Lent Call is “*Let the little children come to me, and do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of heaven belongs*” (Matthew 19.14). The appeal is supporting projects within Southwark Diocese and in the Holy Land, Nigeria and our Link Dioceses in Zimbabwe. For further information on the 2020 Lent Call look at posters in the Miller Room and see: <https://southwark.anglican.org/about-us/what/the-bishop-of-southwarks-lent-call/> You can give online and you can also find ideas for fund-raising on the website. There is as always our trusty milk churn for donations on Sundays. Please pray for all those whom we are supporting, that their lives might be changed for the better.

Sunday 8.00am Said Eucharist - Except where shown otherwise, The Revd Nigel Hinton will cover these services once a month here, usually the 4th Sunday. For the remainder of the month he will be holding 8.00am Eucharist services at St John's. Due to difficulties finding other vicars to cover this early morning slot we would encourage regulars who are missing taking communion to think about joining the 8.00am service at St John's and encourage you to car share with those without means of transport. Richard.

MID WEEK SERVICES

9.00am Tuesday Morning Prayer

9.45am Wednesday February 26 Said Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes
at **Lingfield** *Celebrant The Revd Nigel Hinton*

Note: The Wednesday morning service location will be alternating until further notice - 2nd and 4th (healing service) in the month at Lingfield and 1st, 3rd and 5th at St. John's. Please watch notices for updated information.

8.00pm Ash Wednesday service at **Lingfield**
Celebrant The Revd Nigel Hinton

Hymns Opening **121** Gradual **628** Offertory **128(i)**
Communion **127** Final **135**

Readings Joel 2: 1-2, 12-17 (912) 2 Corinthians 5: 20b-6: 10 (1161)
Matthew 6: 1-6, 16-21 (970)

NEXT WEEK AND FUTURE EVENTS

SERVICES NEXT WEEK

March 1. First Sunday of Lent.

8.00am Morning Prayer *Leader Richard Holroyd*

9.30am Parish Eucharist with Baptism of Henry Feck
Celebrant & Preacher The Revd Sebastian Harries

Hymns Opening **638** Gradual **757** Offertory **545**
Communion **629(i)** Final **818**

Readings Genesis 2: 15-17, 3: 1-7 (4) Romans 5: 12-19 (1132)
Matthew 4: 1-11 (967)

Today Sunday March 1 – Welcome back and thanks to **Seb** (unfortunately only for this morning) who will lead us in our 9.30am service with the baptism of Henry Feck.

Wednesdays until April 8 - **Breathe** – Find respite from the noise and the freneticism of the everyday in the serenity of the Lady Chapel. **Breathe** resumes this Lent, from 6:15pm to 7.00pm. No narrative, no sermon. Just candles, meditative music... and God-filled silence. Come and be. Rosie.

Saturday February 29 - **Charity Jazz evening at Lingfield College** 7.00pm. Funds for Sudan Baby Feeding Programme, 07824 098276 or Angeline 07889 323431.

Monday March 2 - **Fundraising quiz and charity meal** at The Ghurka (the one at The Woodcock Inn, Felbridge) at 7.00pm to raise funds for Traidcraft Exchange as part of Fairtrade Fortnight which runs from February 24 -March 8. Price £20 for two courses. Raffle prizes welcome. This is a joint event with EG Museum. Further info from Sue Joy, 01342 835190. **Please book directly with The Ghurka, 01342 325325.** Gill.

Saturday March 7 - **Fairtrade Big Brew & Spring Market** at 10.00am-1.00pm in LDCC during Fairtrade Fortnight. As well as Fairtrade food, crafts and olive oil we are expecting sellers of jams and chutneys, East Surrey honey, local cheeses, Liz Moor's ceramics, a cake stall run by the Guide Group, and the Flower Club in attendance. Tea and coffee will be served and donations to the Raffle will be very welcome by Chris Matthews or Gill Williams 833994 (Church reps. for Fairtrade).

Monday March 9 - **Messy Church** from 3.30-5.30pm. Theme '*Supper with Friends*'. Come and join one of the most successful Messy Church groups in the area. Creativity, worship and no need to cook the tea - we provide it! For school-age children, but younger ones welcome too. Children must be with an adult.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Saturday February 29 – Jazz evening at Lingfield College 7.00pm.

Monday March 2 - Traidcraft fundraising at The Gurka 7.00pm.

Friday March 20 - Memorial Service for Doris Whitchurch at 2.30pm.

Sunday March 22 - Mothering Sunday service at 10.00am with cake gifts.

Saturday March 28 – EGCS Haydn's 'The Seven Last Words' concert at 7.00pm

Sunday April 5 - Palm Sunday 9.30am starting at the pond.

Holy Week – Full details of all services and events available in due course.

Wednesday April 8 - Stations of the Cross at 8.00pm.

Thursday April 9 - Maundy Thursday.

Friday April 10 - Good Friday 10.00am, make an Easter garden. 2.00pm Liturgy.

Friday April 10 - Walk of Witness 11.00am, between Dormansland & Lingfield.

Saturday April 11 - Easter Eve 8.00pm Easter Vigil.

Sunday April 12 - Easter Day Service followed by an Easter Egg hunt. 9.30am.

Saturday April 25 – Unlock London walk, see unlock-urban.org.uk,

Saturday May 16 - Church fund-raising Quiz night. Contact Gill Williams.

Saturday June 6 - Church Fete.

REGULAR WEEKLY EVENTS

Sundays - **Sunday School** is held in the Miller Room during the 9.30am services apart from the All Age Eucharist.

Sundays - **Laying on of hands ministry**; this is available after each main Sunday service in the Lady Chapel.

Tuesdays - '**Pop In**' 10.00am to noon. Join us for a coffee and a chat.

OTHER INFORMATION, ALSO SEE NOTICE BOARD

Lent Resources Information – See this link for details www.churchofengland.org/more/church-resources/lent-2020-church-resources.

Oxted Team Lent Talks - There is a series of five talks at St John's Hurst Green on Mondays 10.00am and at St Mary's Oxted on Thursdays at 7.30pm. see officestjhurstgreen.co.uk or 01883 712674.

The College of St Barnabas 125 years anniversary - Mike Herbert, Fundraising Manager St Barnabas, has pledged to walk 125 miles of the Wealdway in recognition of the College's foundation 125 years ago. Will you sponsor him? If so please visit his webpage <https://www.justgiving.com/Mike-Herbert2> where you will also find more information about the walk. There are brief details on Wikipedia <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wealdway>. All donations go straight to the College, Gift Aid is reclaimed automatically, if you are a UK taxpayer. Gill.

Everyday Faith - The Church of England has a website application form where you can sign and receive free daily emails containing reflections and prayers to help you find and follow God in everyday life: The link is <https://www.churchofengland.org/everydayfaith>.

Favourite Hymns - If you have a favourite hymn(s) or anthem please tell David, Richard or Sue, so that we can include them in future services.

Card Reader - If you wish to make electronic donations to our church, we have a credit / debit card reader available, please see the churchwardens before you leave.

Gift Aid - Your donations for the service collections, and other contributions, are gratefully received and essential for this church, please use the pink **Gift Aid** envelopes available in the pew boxes or ask one of the staff for assistance. Donating through **Gift Aid** means we can claim an extra 25p for every £1 you give. It will not cost you any extra. We also have Standing Order Mandate forms for completion, if you prefer to pay that way. Thank you.

The Sick - Please pray for Brian Bell and all whose names have been placed on the prayer board.

Rest in Peace - We remember Joyce Bennie and all those who have died recently. We recall Marlene Jenner, Maurice Gunning and all whose anniversary falls at this time, including others known to us.

Notices for inclusion in the pewsheets for Sunday March 1 should be phoned to Peter Beynon (834858, or email pbeynon@globalnet.co.uk) not later than preceding Thursday please.