

**UNITED BENEFICE OF LINGFIELD &
DORMANSLAND**

LINGFIELD PARISH CHURCH

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Notices for the week commencing Sunday January 23, 2022.

Face masks – It is compulsory to wear face masks in a place of worship, except if you are exempt, or it is impractical to do so. Ian.



CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday January 23. Third Sunday of Epiphany.

8.00am	Contemplative Eucharist	<i>Celebrant The Revd Kevin Scully</i>
10.00am	Sung Eucharist	<i>Celebrant The Revd Ian Whitley</i>
Hymns -	542 (Lord of the boundless..)	729 (My God how..)
	455 (My God, and is thy table..)	742(i) (O for a thousand..)
<i>Readings:</i>	Nehemiah 8: 1-3, 5-6, 8-10 (492)	1 Corinthians 12: 12-31 (1153)
	Luke 4: 14-21 (1031)	
3.00pm	Talking with God	<i>Leader Grant Pyner</i>

If you are on the Electoral Roll, you will have received a letter regards Stewardship, and a request for you to prayerfully consider your financial giving towards the running, upkeep and Mission of St Peter and St Paul's. If you aren't, the Sides people have copies of the letter, so please collect one from them.

The church would not be what it is today without the incredibly generous support it has received from you. This support has preserved its beauty, maintained it in good condition, contributed towards our wonderful new lighting and enabled the church to support the needs of the wider community.

This past two years has been difficult for us all, in so many ways. Our mission and ministry has never been more needed, and even when the church doors have been closed, our community has been actively working to support those in need. We have been able to hold services online, open the building for private prayer, and then open more fully, as restrictions allowed, support the local food larder, and support those who are ill or grieving.

This can only continue with your support. So please give the request from myself and the Church wardens seriously, prayerful consideration.

Shalom, Revd Ian Whitley.

Those not on the Electoral Roll - there are letters in blank envelopes at the back of the church for those who are not on Lingfield Church Electoral roll explaining about charitable giving, and what they can do to help. Please take an envelope if this appeal applies to you. Ellie

SERVICES THIS MID WEEK

St Peter & St Paul

10.00am Wednesday (26th) Eucharist & Healing service *The Revd Ian Whitley*

On Zoom

9.00am Tuesday Morning Prayer *The Revd Ian Whitley*

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9.00am Wednesday Morning Prayer *The Revd Ian Whitley*

8.00pm Wednesday Compline *Richard Holroyd*

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85819135342?pwd=Tjhha0VLTvJkUjRYVvkFpWTUzMVZ>

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9.00am Thursday Morning Prayer *The Revd Ian Whitley*

NEXT WEEK AND FUTURE EVENTS.

CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday January 30. Presentation of Christ in the Temple. Candlemas.

8.00am	Contemplative Eucharist	<i>Celebrant The Revd Ian Whitley</i>
10.00am	Sung Eucharist	<i>Celebrant The Revd Ian Whitley</i>
Hymns -	702 (Lead us, Heavenly Father..) 110 (Hail to the Lord..)	677 (In a world where..)
<i>Readings:</i>	Malachi 3: 1-5 (961) Luke 2: 22-40 (1028)	Hebrews 2: 14-end (1201)

OTHER INFORMATION

New way of giving – We have a new contactless SumUp machine, much easier to use by paying with your debit or credit card, please speak with the churchwardens or the side-persons to donate to our church funds. Much simpler than cash.

Foodbank donations - We now have a green box in the Miller Room for the foodbank if people wish to donate, and don't shop in the major supermarkets who have their own donation boxes. We will deliver to the foodbank once full.

The revised list of requested items reads now: - washing up liquid, cup-a-soup, long-life semi-skimmed milk 1ltr carton, long-life fruit juice 1ltr carton, jars of jam, surface cleaner spray, shampoo / conditioner, and small / medium jars of coffee.

If you wish to donate in East Grinstead supermarkets: -

- Waitrose: place in the collection basket, opposite the basket check-out tills. Only food purchased in this store can be put in the basket.

- Sainsbury's: In the orange collection box. Near the self-scanning exit of the check-out tills. Ellie.

Grants towards the cost of the new LED lighting – we would like to acknowledge our grateful thanks to the following for contributions towards the new church internal LED lighting cost: - Cllr Lesley Steeds (Surrey County Council Members Allocation), AllChurches Trust Ltd, Surrey Churches Preservation Trust, The Friends of St Peter & St Paul, Church Fete team, Jean Drew and Sally Martin.

Vacuum appeal - A friend of mine's second-hand vacuum cleaner has broken down. Do you have a spare cleaner that you could kindly donate for someone on tight money? If so, please let me know and I can collect it. Gill (01342 833994).

Stir-Up Sunday Christmas Puddings - Are you Spring Cleaning your Drinks cupboard? If so, please let us have unwanted bottles of rum or brandy for the next Stir-Up Sunday Christmas Pudding making party. We accept part drunk, as well as full bottles!

Please bring them to church to be stored in the vestry, if Joanna and I are not there, or deliver to Joanna's porch at Rosebank, Town Hill or to me at 5 College Close, wherever is more convenient. We promise not to drink the donations!

Please don't leave them in church unattended! Thank you, Gill (01342 833994)
gillwilliams2000@yahoo.co.uk.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sunday February 6 - **Little P's Sunday Morning Club**, first Sunday each month. Kat will lead the next session for kids aged 3 + with lots of fun, games, crafts and maybe a song or two. Adult helpers please join in and have fun.

Monday February 14 – Next session of **Messy Church**, thank you all who assisted at the last (Mucky) session in early December, but we will still need your help, including fathers. Please come and join in, starting at 3.30pm.

Ash Wednesday March 2 – **Joint service at St John's** at 8.00pm.

Saturday May 7 – **Church Fete**, more details in due course.

Sunday May 8 – **Annual Parochial Church Council (APCM)** meeting after the mid-morning service.

Arise Counselling Service - An exciting opportunity has arisen for one or more volunteer position(s) within **Arise Counselling Service**, an independent Christian charity born out of the vision of the local church in East Grinstead and based at Jubilee Community Centre. The volunteer(s) will support the day-to-day administration of the service. We are also looking for new Trustees to join the team. If you would like to know more about either of these roles, please go to the Arise website at <https://arisecounsellingservice.com/get-involved-or-donate/> or contact Lizzie Venter (Counselling Manager) via email at: info@arisecounsellingservice.com or Carol Evans, Chair of Trustees, for an informal chat on 07808 653257.

Saturday February 12 - **East Grinstead Choral Society's Musical Director, Laurence Williams**, is planning a Music Workshop at St John's Church, Dormansland. This will be between 11.00am and 3.00pm. Cost: just by donation on the day.

Visitors – If you would like to know more about our various and many activities, please ask one of the people handing out books for a Welcome Pack or speak to a member of staff. Our website is: - <http://www.lingfieldparishchurch.org/>.

The Sick - Please pray for Pam Marks, Jenny Holroyd, Alison Penny, Ron Slade, Zoe Smith, Peter Francis, Christine Taylor, and all whose names have been placed on the prayer board.

Rest in Peace - We remember all those who have died recently. We recall Joan Harvey, and all whose anniversary falls at this time, including others known to us.

Notices for inclusion in the pewsheet for the **week commencing** Sunday January 30 should be phoned to Peter Beynon (834858, or email plbeynon441@outlook.com) not later than the preceding Thursday please.