

UNITED BENEFICE OF LINGFIELD &
DORMANSLAND

LINGFIELD PARISH CHURCH

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Please note: the parish office is **closed** Friday August 30

Notices for the week commencing Sunday August 25, 2019.



The following announcement was made last Sunday - 'It is being announced today that I have been appointed Canon Chancellor and Vice Dean of Portsmouth Cathedral. This appointment has come about as a result of prayer, discernment and conversations, and it is an exciting post which will stretch me and enable me to grow in my ministry. As Chancellor, I will have particular responsibility for learning and discipleship, community engagement, volunteers, and artistic installations and exhibitions. I will also be responsible for the Cathedral's relationships with other church denominations, with the deanery and local clergy, and with community partners. As Vice Dean, I will represent the Cathedral and chair meetings. Portsmouth is more densely populated than London, so having started my ministry in South Croydon, I'm going to have to get used to traffic jams again, although on the plus side, we will have the Isle of Wight ferry at the bottom of our road! We don't have a firm leaving or starting date at the moment, but our family are likely to move to the seaside towards the end of this year, so I will still be your vicar for some time yet. By the time I move on, I will have served here for

about six years. It has been a privilege to be your vicar, and I am certain that God has new things in store for us all. In the meantime, I will be working hard with all of you over the coming months to put into practice the new Mission Action Plan which the PCC has formulated, to broaden our worship, to expand our pastoral care, to enhance our hospitality, and to improve our communications. And we are blessed to have, in Richard and Sue, two immensely capable Church Wardens who I know will continue to lead with prayer, wisdom and energy.'

We all offer our congratulations, and good wishes to Kathryn on her appointment to this senior position, she will be missed by us all.

SERVICES THIS SUNDAY

August 25. Tenth Sunday after Trinity.

8.00am	Said Eucharist (Held at the Edenbridge & Oxted Showground)	<i>Celebrant & Preacher The Revd Kathryn Percival</i>	
9.30am	Parish Eucharist	<i>Celebrant & Preacher The Revd Kathryn Percival</i>	
Hymns	Opening 663 Communion 501	Gradual 518 Final 497	Offertory 683
<i>Readings</i>	Isaiah 58: 9b-end (745)	Hebrews 12: 18-end (1211)	Luke 13: 10-17 (1046)

Monday August 26 - **Prayer walk on Monday:** Hope Church, East Grinstead, invites us all on a prayer walk starting from Lingfield Parish Church at 7.20pm for a 7.30 start, led by Julia Harris, from Hope Church, and Nigel. If it's fine, the walk will go round the local streets for 30 minutes; if wet, the time of prayer will be in church. Prayer will be for unity for our local communities, and for comfort, transformation, liberation and healing. This is the first of a series of five prayer walks to be held in the East Grinstead area during the course of the week.

Sundays in August - **St Andrew's Church, Limpsfield Chart**, is holding its annual August teas every Sunday from 3.00pm to 5.00pm. Also, Betty Baker painting exhibition at the same times. Please come and join us hopefully in the garden but otherwise in the hall. In aid of Church Funds.

MID WEEK SERVICES.

9.00am	Tuesday and Friday	Morning Prayer
9.45am	Wednesday	Healing Service with Said Eucharist

Saturday August 31 - **Seeking Stillness 'At the Water's Edge'** 10.00am – 4.00pm at All Saints Church, Church Road, Warlingham, CR6 9NU. Led by The Rev Michelle Edmonds and Jane Hoskins. Step aside from the busyness of everyday and enjoy some 'Creative Stillness'. Come for the day, or half the day. Light lunch of bread and cheese provided. We will hold the silence during morning and afternoon sessions, however lunchtime will be an opportunity to chat and share. Donations towards expenses appreciated. It's really helpful to know if you're

coming! So for further information and to book your place, please email j.hoskins233@btinternet.com or ring 07398 290969.

Jane is a Retreat and Quiet Day leader, and a musician. She has a passion for seeking stillness for prayer and contemplation, and really enjoys sharing this with others. Each day or afternoon of 'Seeking Stillness' offers a gathering time, some input on the theme, silent space for individuals to pray, contemplate or 'be'. Light refreshments, creative space, prayer stations and a closing prayer time as a group

NEXT WEEK AND FUTURE EVENTS

SERVICES NEXT WEEK

September 1. Eleventh Sunday after Trinity.

8.00am	Morning Prayer	<i>Led by Richard Holroyd</i>
9.30am	All Age Eucharist	<i>Celebrant & Preacher The Revd Kathryn Percival</i>
	<i>Gospel Reading</i>	Luke 14: 1, 7-14 (1047)

Monday September 9 - **Messy Church** from 3.30-5.30pm. The theme will be *Any Questions?* 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.

Thursday September 12 - '**September Stillness**' 2.00-5.00pm at St Christopher's Church, Chelsham Road, Warlingham, CR6 9EQ, led by Jane Hoskins An invitation to come and explore September times of transition and change, beginnings and endings, within times of stillness, prayer & creativity. It's really helpful to know if you're coming! So for further information and to book your place, please email j.hoskins233@btinternet.com or ring 07398 290969.

Saturday September 14 - **Refreshing Church at St Bede's School, Redhill**. This is a great opportunity for the church to gather together for an excellent and encouraging programme about how our churches can grow in worship, faith and mission. The keynote speaker is Paula Gooder, Chancellor of St Paul's Cathedral. Paula is a brilliant speaker, a fine theologian and author. It will be an enjoyable and stimulating day. It only costs £10 each, which includes lunch - get your space booked now! Details on the notice board in the Miller room.

Tuesday September 17 – St Andrew's Church, Limpsfield Chart, Quiz Night at 7.30pm £12/person includes simple hot supper. Bring your own drinks and glasses. Contact Wendy Harvey 01883 723153.

Saturday September 21 - **The College of St Barnabas** is having a **Heritage Open Day** when there will be a range of events, including 'pop-up' performances by the Collective Choir, a miniature steam railway to ride, tours of the College, and a number of presentations on the history and life of the College. There will be regular tours of the historic building. Just turn up between 10.00am and 4.00pm. Refreshments will be available. Father Kevin Scully, Warden.

Saturday September 21 here - **Salon Strings Quartet**. Playing a diverse range of music, from Bruno Mars to Mozart. Half the proceeds to go to **Young Epilepsy**. To book contact Val Cheesman 07766 448269 vacheesman@yahoo.co.uk. Adults £12.50, Seniors £10 and Student/child £6.50. See poster on notice board.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday - **Breathe** 6.15pm here.*

Sunday September 8 - **Indian summer tea** by The Mothers' Union at 4.00pm

Monday September 9 - **Messy Church** at 3.30pm, theme 'Any Questions?'

Wednesday September 11 - **PCC** meeting at 7.15pm, then Tues. Nov 19.

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.

Wednesday - **Breathe** at 6.15-7.00pm in the Lady Chapel. A space to pause for some quiet reflection with music and candles. *This week will be the last one for the time being.

OTHER INFORMATION, ALSO SEE NOTICE BOARD

The new **Church Cleaning Rotas** are now in the Miller Room ready for collection. Thank you. Sue Sharp.

'Love in a Box' - In 2017 and 2018 we participated in this scheme to provide welcome gifts for children who have very little at Christmas. Details of this Mustard Seed scheme will be coming at the beginning of October but in the meantime, as it is almost going back to school time for children and grandchildren, please save any shoeboxes with detachable lids (not those for boots). Also, they are always short of hats, scarves and gloves for the boxes so if you see any please get them now. Thank you. Gill Williams 833994

The Sick - Please pray for Joan Carter, Brian Bell, Timothy Garman, Peter Pheasant and all whose names have been placed on the prayer board.

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

Ivy Lloyd - The cremation will followed by a thanksgiving service in church on Tuesday August 27 at 1.30pm. All most welcome.

Juliette Ayers - A memorial service will be held in church on Wednesday August 28 at 1.00pm. All most welcome.

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