

**UNITED BENEFICE OF LINGFIELD &  
DORMANSLAND**

**LINGFIELD PARISH CHURCH**

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Notices for the week commencing Sunday February 27, 2022.

To ensure our health please continue to wear masks when moving around in church, maintain social distancing and move out of the Miller Room into the church with your refreshments, thank you all.



**CHURCH SERVICES**

Sunday February 27. Sunday next before Lent.

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| 8.00am                   | Contemplative Eucharist                     | <i>Celebrant The Revd Kevin Scully</i> |
| 10.00am                  | Sung Eucharist                              | <i>Celebrant The Revd Kevin Scully</i> |
| Hymns -                  | <b>603</b> (Bright the vision..)            | <b>51</b> (The Lord will come..)       |
| 2 (Christ whose glory..) | Communion <b>434</b> (ii) (Christ bid us..) | <b>766</b> (Praise my soul..)          |
| <i>Readings:</i>         | Exodus 34: 29-end (93)                      | 2 Corinthians 3: 12-4: 2 (1160)        |
|                          | Luke 9: 28-36 (1040)                        |  |
| 3.00pm                   | Talking with God                            | <i>Leader Grant Pyner</i>              |

Sunday February 27 – We welcome to our morning service **George Wood**, from Cophorne, as our organist. He was with us back in 2015. David is on a well-earned holiday in Tenerife with Carole. Let us hope the weather is better for them there than here.

**Lent Courses** – At the back of the church you will find a sign-up sheet for Lent courses, please indicate your interest; details of times and dates to be issued soon.

**Stewardship Financial Giving** - You will all have received a letter from me, seen or heard about the appeal to prayerfully consider your financial giving towards the running, upkeep and Mission of St Peter and St Paul. I have suggested using the Parish Giving Scheme, details are as follows.

The process is: -

- Go on-line to [www.paritygiving.org.uk](http://www.paritygiving.org.uk),
- Search for St Peter & St Paul Lingfield, use our PGS code of **370637125**,
- Enter the requested details,
- Tell Mike Ellis, our Treasurer, of your decision to move to PGS,
- Please don't cancel your current standing order until the PGS becomes active.

PGS provides the automatic monthly transfer of all St Peter & St Paul contributions to our bank account, and the return a few days later of the HMRC repayment of the gift aid applicable to your payment.

If you still wish to continue using your current giving process, please complete a gift aid form, which means we can recover from HMRC **25p over and above from every £** you contribute. It is a very simple and easy system. Thank you all. Ian.

**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.

## SERVICES THIS MID WEEK

### St John

10.00am Wednesday (Mar 2) Holy Communion *The Revd Nigel Hinton*

8.00pm Ash Wednesday Joint Benefice service at St John

### On Zoom

9.00am Tuesday Morning Prayer *The Revd Ian Whitley*

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81989590555?pwd=MUNnb0NwaUpUbHBiMnQzVm9wd0Q4UT09>. Passcode 149674

9.00am Wednesday Morning Prayer *The Revd Ian Whitley*

**Note:** - Compline will not be held this evening because of the Ash Wednesday Joint Benefice service at St John, Dormansland at 8.00pm

9.00am Thursday Morning Prayer *The Revd Ian Whitley*

**Foodbank donations** – East Grinstead Foodbank are very grateful for your donations. Here is a list of this week's needs. If you can assist, please leave items in the green box in the Miller Room: - hair conditioner, tins of custard, rice pudding, meat balls, hot dogs, minced beef and onion, toilet bleach, and small Cadbury cream eggs. We will deliver to the foodbank once full. (requirements change frequently)

## NEXT WEEK AND FUTURE EVENTS.

### CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday March 6. First Sunday of Lent.

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|------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| 8.00am           | Contemplative Eucharist  | <i>Celebrant The Revd Ian Whitley</i> |
| 10.00am          | Sung Eucharist with Baptism of Harry Colly-Ansell<br>(with Little P's Children's Club) | <i>Celebrant The Revd Ian Whitley</i> |
| Hymns -          | <b>800</b> (The Lord's my shepherd)  | <b>27</b> (Colours of the day..)      |
| Communion        | <b>460</b> (O Lord who at thy Eucharist..)   | <b>719</b> (Lord, the light..)        |
| <i>Readings:</i> | Deuteronomy 26: 1-11 (203)<br>Luke 4: 1-13 (1030)                                      | Romans 18: 8b-13: 2 (1160)            |
| 4.00pm           | Informal service at St John  |                                       |

### 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.

Tuesday March 29 - **Lent Seasons of Quiet** (9.30am – 3.40pm) for the Benefice, run by The Revd Kevin Scully, at Claridge House, Dormans Road. This quiet day will provide a Lenten space for people to take time out and think about deepening their walk with God. Complete details are available on the leaflet at the back of church, and on the notice board in the Miller Room. There will be a small charge for lunch which will be provided. Book through Ellie 01342 832021.

**Support Group for Carers** - We are exploring, in partnership with the **Young Epilepsy Centre**, the possibility of starting a support group for carers of those with Epilepsy or learning difficulties. If this is not you, but you know someone who might be interested in such a group, please contact me on either [vicar.ubld@outlook.com](mailto:vicar.ubld@outlook.com) or 07961 382293. At the moment we are trying to gauge both the need for such a group and also what support may be required. So, whatever we set up is what carers want, not what we think you need. Revd Ian Whitley.

**The Children's Society** - Thank you to everyone who gave money in the Christingle boxes. I have just paid in £139.46. Gill.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday March 2 – **Joint Ash Wednesday service at St John's** at 8.00pm. **Ash Wednesday** marks the beginning of Lent, a 40-day period of repentance, fasting and abstinence in preparation for the most important Christian festival of the year, **Easter**.

Saturday March 5 - **Fairtrade Lingfield and Dormansland** invite you to a Fairtrade Fortnight Coffee morning, featuring a Fairtrade food stall, cake sale and raffle from 10.00am to noon in the Community Centre. Admission is free. I am now requesting members of the congregation to kindly help by baking or buying cakes for the cake stall. Ideally these would have a list of ingredients and even better if they contain at least one Fairtrade ingredient. I am happy to collect. Proceeds to "Traidcraft Exchange". Further details from Gill 833994 or use [gillwilliams2000@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:gillwilliams2000@yahoo.co.uk) instead.

Sunday March 6 – Baptism in the service today of **Harry Colly-Ansell**.

Sunday March 13 - **East Grinstead 'Love' day** in the High Street from 11.00am to 3.00pm. Lots of stalls: markets, food and drink, craft, community groups, etc.

Monday March 14 – Next session of **Messy Church**. Lots of help needed, please come, and join in, starting at 3.30pm.

Book by Monday March 14 - Would you like to make a **Simmel Cake for Mothering Sunday or Easter**? Fairtrade are assembling kits (£12) to deliver to your door on March 25, [gillwilliams2000@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:gillwilliams2000@yahoo.co.uk) for confirmation.

Saturday April 2 – **East Grinstead Choral Society Spring Concert** at St Swithun's Church, EG. Includes large choir and organ with Duruflé's Requiem & five pieces of a French Choral Mélange.

Saturday April 30 – **Jazz concert** at 6.00pm, see notice board for more detail.

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

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

**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, Alison Penny, Ron Slade, Zoe Smith, Christine Taylor, Gwendoline Damerum, and all whose names have been placed on the prayer board.

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

Notices for inclusion in the pewsheet for the **week commencing** Sunday March 6 should be phoned to Peter Beynon (834858, or email [plbeynon441@outlook.com](mailto:plbeynon441@outlook.com)) not later than the preceding Thursday please.

**Will you please note and use this new email address, because I will not be monitoring any other.**