

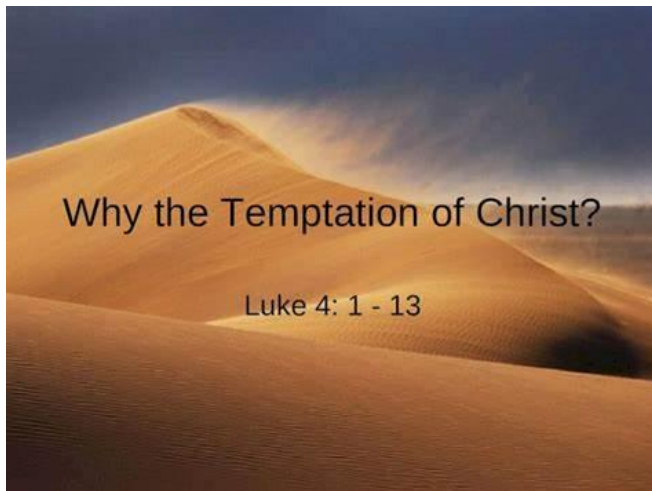
**UNITED BENEFICE OF LINGFIELD
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LINGFIELD PARISH CHURCH**

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Notices for the week commencing March 9, 2025.



LINGFIELD CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday March 9 – First Sunday of Lent.

10.00am Sung Eucharist

Celebrant The Revd David Williams

Hymns – **121** (Forty days.) **116** (Be thou.) **142** (Glory be to Jesus.)

125 (Hear me.) **652** (Guide me.)

Readings: Deuteronomy 26: 1-11 (203) Romans 10: 8b-13 (1137)

Luke 4: 1-13 (1030)

5.00pm Informal service at St John

Ian will be at St John's for the 8.00am & 10.00am services

Sunday March 9 – We welcome today as our celebrant **The Revd David Williams**, **Chairman of the College of St Barnabas**. Ordained in 2008, he was Clerk to the Church of England's General Synod and Head of the Archbishops' Council's Central Secretariat. Now retired he helps at St. Martin's Dorking, and St. Matthew's Redhill (as curate). He was a community mediator with the Surrey Mediation Service and a magistrate for 35 years.

Sunday March 9 - **Covid Remembrance Day**. From 11.15am – 11.45am tea and coffee after the 10.00am service, 11.50am – 12.05pm - a short act of remembrance when Ian will read out the names from the first post Covid Day of Reflection service followed by a minute's silence at 12 noon. There will prayers and a reading during this as well. 12.05pm – 3.00pm the church will remain open. In the Lady Chapel there will be candles to light and a **Covid Day of Reflection Station** where people can write their stories/reflections - they will be encouraged to write a pre Covid, during and a post Covid reflection. There will be members of the **Pastoral Team** present during this time to help. 16.00pm close church.

Sara's organ voluntaries for this Sunday morning are: -
(Prelude)

Erbarm dich mein, o Herre Gott - BWV721: Johann Sebastian Bach

O Lamm Gottes, unschuldig - BWV618: Johann Sebastian Bach

Christe, du Lamm Gottes - BWV619: Johann Sebastian Bach

(Postlude)

Fantasia in C minor - BWV562: Johann Sebastian Bach

Monday March 10 - Next **Messy Church session**. Lots of help needed to set up, run the craft tables, and clear away after, please come and join in, starting at 3.30pm. Set up will commence at 2.30pm for tables and facilities.

MID WEEK SERVICES

10.00am Wednesday (March 12) Healing & Eucharist at Lingfield

9.00am Monday to Thursday Morning Prayer on Zoom

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

NEXT WEEK AND FUTURE EVENTS

CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday March 16 – Second Sunday of Lent.

8.00am Said Eucharist *Celebrant The Revd Ian Whitley,*

10.00am Sung Eucharist *Celebrant The Revd Ian Whitley*

Hymns – **784** (Stand up.) **135** (Take up thy cross.) **591** (As pants the hart.)
139 (Ah, holy Jesu.) **806** (There's a wideness.)

Readings: Genesis 15: 1-12, 17-18 (15) Philippians 3: 17-4: 1 (1180)
Luke 13: 31-end (1047)

5.00pm Informal service at St John

Saturday March 22 – Commissioning of **Richard Holroyd** as **Lay Vocations Champion** for the Tandridge Deanery, at St Peter's Church, Battersea, where the

Diocesan Synod will be taking place, service starts at 12.40pm. The church address is 23 Plough Road, Battersea, SW11 2DE, near Clapham Junction Station.

Sunday March 23 – The **10.00am service will be a Joint Benefice** here at Lingfield, we welcome our friends from St John's.

Wednesday March 26 – **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 normally for the last Wednesday in each month.

Sunday April 13 - **Choral Evensong for Palm Sunday** at 4.30pm. The two other dates for this year - our Patronal Festival Saints St Peter and St Paul June 29, and Harvest October 5. All welcome

Saturday April 26 – **Solo violin recital** by **Lizz Lipscombe** at 11.30am Lizz was classically trained at the Royal Academy of Music (London). Her career as a soloist has included concerts with choirs and bands across the UK. Foundational to her performance experience has been her 16 years of guest entertaining with Elektra violin duo on cruise ship lines Saga, Cunard and P&O. Information sheets are available. Retiring collection for church funds.

Sunday July 6 - **Tea Party** from 2.00pm to 6.00pm to raise funds for the **Lingfield Marathon Community minibus** at St Peter & St Paul church (hopefully in the grounds and inside). More detail in due course. Sue and Mike Ellis.



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. Please try with your mobile phone QR reader app.



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

REGULAR WEEKLY EVENTS

Tuesdays – '**Pop In**' 10.00am to 12 noon in the Miller Room. Join us for a coffee/tea and a chat. March 25 will be **Purple Day**, known as **Epilepsy Awareness Day** – more detail in due course.

Saturdays – **Community Warm Hub**, will be the first Saturday each month.

OTHER INFORMATION, ALSO SEE NOTICE BOARD

Volunteers for Youth Hub wanted - We are really struggling to find enough helpers to allow us to open safely. It often only takes one volunteer to go sick and drop out and we cannot open. Please speak to Ian, contact details on front page.

Lent Group - You are invited to join a small house group meeting at 10 Headland Way, this Lent on Thursday afternoons 2.00-4.00pm, commencing March 13. We

will be studying the Nicene Creed in its 1700th anniversary year from a global perspective. The course '**We believe**' may be found on USPG website, paper copies will be available. New members will be most welcome. For more information contact, Chris Matthews at church, 832914, or e-mail cepmatthews@outlook.com and let me know if you would like to join us – or just turn up!

Sunday 8.00am service locations – The service locations will be as follows:

Date in each month	Joint Benefice location 8.00am service
1st Sunday	St John's, Dormansland
2nd Sunday	St John's, Dormansland
3rd Sunday	St Peter & St Paul
4th Sunday	St John's, Dormansland
5th Sunday	St Peter & St Paul

Music and piano tuition - offered on a fee basis from **Sara Skyrme** MSc CRCO with ABRSM Pianoforte Grade 8, contact sarskyrme@btinternet.com.

Hello Organ – Last Sunday March 2 - **Sara's recital** with the organ and piano, plus a useful explanation of the benefits of each instrument, was expertly presented to, and much appreciated by, about 60 people. The retiring collection raised about £500 in cash with an additional contactless giving of £300. All funds will go towards the maintenance of the organ and piano which require regular tuning and attention.

Red Cross Coffee morning – held on Tuesday March 4 raised £580 including gift aid, congratulations to all involved.

Skipping for the Stroke Association – Sue Ellis reported that she raised a total of £570 including gift aid. Well done, Sue, good effort.

East Grinstead Food Bank – Donations requested:- hair conditioner, shower gel, deodorant male and female, shaving foam, adult toothbrushes, surface spray cleaner, long-life fruit juice (not chilled or squash), microwave rice (2 minutes), coffee small/medium. All may be left in the Miller Room green box. Thank you.

Prayer Requests - Please pray for Zoe Smith, Brian Bell, Barbara Bell, Jenny Holroyd, Jenny Attwood, Jessica Townley, Vanessa Francis, Evelyn Smith and husband Michael Smith, Alison Irlam, Derek Parkes, Liz Lavigne, Tony Head, along with all whose names have been placed on the prayer board.

Rest in Peace - We remember Michael Pugh, and all who have died recently. We recall Robin Rispin, and those whose anniversary falls at this time, including others known only to us.

Notices for inclusion in the pewsheets commencing Sunday March 16 should be emailed to Peter Beynon plbeynon441@outlook.com, or the Parish Office, not later than the preceding Thursday please.