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The office will be staffed as Mondays and Tuesdays 5.00pm to 7.00pm and Saturdays 8.30am to 11.30am. These attendance hours may vary.

Notices for the week commencing September 13, 2026

September 13 – Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Said Eucharist at St John's (3rd Sundays only at Lingfield)

10.00am Sung Eucharist *Celebrant The Revd Ian Whitley*

Hymns – **357** (All people.) **706** (Let us with a gladsome.)

763 (Praise to the holiest.) **Anthem** (Ave Vera Virginitas.)

806 (There's a wideness.)

Readings: Genesis 50: 15-21 Romans 14: 1-12

Matthew 18: 21-35

5.00pm Informal service at St John.

Sunday September 13 - **Annual Shoe Box** appeal, during the 10.00am service a talk will be given by Sue Joy about this scheme and the support for children abroad.

Sara's organ voluntaries for this Sunday are: -

(Prelude)

Prelude to 'They Walk Alone': Benjamin Britten

Village Organist's Piece: Benjamin Britten

Six Short Preludes and Postludes - III - Set 2, Op.105: Charles Villiers Stanford

(Postlude)

Sonata VI Fuga - Op.65 Nr.6: Felix Mendelssohn

Monday September 14 - Next **Messy Church** session. Lots of help needed to set up, run the craft tables, and clear way after, please come and join in, starting at 3.30pm. Set up will commence at 2.30pm for tables and facilities.

Monday September 14 - **RH7 History Group** will be holding its next meeting starting at 8.00pm (doors open at 7.30pm). Pete Allen will give a talk on **A History of Pantomime**, preceded by the RH7 Annual General Meeting. Venue is the Jennings Hall (behind Lingfield and Dormansland Community Centre). Visitors are welcome; entry is £2.50 for non-members.

MID WEEK SERVICES

10.00am Wednesday (Sept. 16) Healing & Eucharist service Lingfield

9.00am Monday to Thursday Morning Prayer on Zoom

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

8.00pm Wednesday Compline on Zoom
<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74615258857?pwd=QXfPyoDEbLeuxPq5sCNBcQDsfcGyX.1>. Meeting ID: 746 1525 8857. Passcode: compline

Saturday September 19 – **The College of St Barnabas Heritage Open Day** from 11.30am to 4.00pm. Guided tours, talks, presentations, steam traction engine rides, crafts and art stands. Also, local beers and wines, light refreshments. Location Blackberry Lane RH7 6NJ and Dormans Station close by.

Saturday September 19 – **A Coldplay Candlelight Experience** in Lingfield church from 7.00pm to 8.00pm (first sitting) and 9.00pm to 10.00am. Direct from the West End, the music of Coldplay is by candlelight. Featuring a spectacular cast of world-class vocalists and an epic live band, prepare for total Paradise, as you experience Coldplay's biggest hits like never before. Music from Vivaldi, ABBA to Beyonce. Lumos Experiences are being held also at the major cathedrals from July to November this year. For Lingfield tickets please use: - [A Coldplay Candlelight Experience In Lingfield - Saturday 19th September | Lumos Experiences](#)

NEXT WEEK AND FUTURE EVENTS

CHURCH SERVICES

September 20 – Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Said Eucharist at Lingfield (3rd Sundays only at Lingfield)

10.00am Sung Eucharist (with Little Ps Sunday Club)

Celebrant The Revd Ian Whitley

Hymns – **783** (Stand up.) **631** Fight the good.) **727** (May the mind.)

Anthem (O strength and stay.) **748** (O Jesus, I have promised.)

Readings: Jonah 3: 10-4: end Philippians 1: 21-end
 Matthew 20: 1-16

5.00pm Informal service at St John.

Sunday September 20 -**The Friends of St Peter & St Paul AGM** will be held after the morning service, at about 11.30am. The Agenda, Minutes of the previous meeting, application for membership form, and the Report of the Trustees have already been sent out by email but contact Richard Young if you need copies.

Wednesday September 23 - Fortnightly from this date Revd Ian will be running the **Pilgrim Course in the Miller Room** straight after the 10.00am service. **Pilgrim** is a major teaching and discipleship resource from the Church of England. It aims to help every local church create a place where people can explore the Christian faith together and see how it can be lived out each day and over the next year or so. We will be working our way through the Discipleship or Grow Stage which looks at The Creeds, The Eucharist, The Bible and The Church and Kingdom. Although you don't have to come to the healing service first it is a good set up for the discussions afterwards. Please speak to Ian if you need any more information.

Saturday September 26 - **Fairtrade Harvest Big Brew**, 10.00am - noon at Lingfield Community Centre - **Fairtrade** food products and crafts, local cheeses, honey and apple juice, pottery, chutneys and jams, bread and more. Refreshments and raffle. Please support us to help farmers and producers in developing countries.

Monday September 28 – ‘**Together for Nepal**’, charity dinner and fundraising evening at The Gurkha restaurant, Woodcock Hill £25 (£15 goes to the charity), contact 01342 325325 or 311779. Time to be confirmed.

Tuesday September 29 - **MacMillan Coffee Morning** 9.00am – 1.00pm in the Miller Room. Contact: Sue Ellis Suebellis@outlook.com, 07507 213120.

Sunday October 4 – **Choral Evensong for Harvest** at 4.30pm, traditional service of hymns, anthems and readings, last of the four services of 2026. New proposals for 2027!



Monday October 26 to Sunday November 1 – **Annual Lingfield Art Exhibition**, see www.lingfieldart.org.

Sunday November 1 - **Hello Church Music!** to raise the church finances at 4.30pm. It will be a medley of calm, or uplifting anthems and organ pieces, probably 4 or 5 each. Details to come. Sara.

Saturday November 14 - **Christmas Market** between 11.00am-3.00pm. There will be lots of lovely stalls for you to browse for Christmas presents as well as the usual raffle & turkey baps & Mulled Wine. We are in need of donations for the raffle as well as cakes for our cake stall - please see Brenda Lester about this. Thanks, Ellie & team.

REGULAR WEEKLY & MONTHLY EVENTS

Mondays – **Messy Church** second of the month.

Tuesdays – ‘**Pop In**’ 10.00am to noon in the Miller Room. Join us for a coffee/tea and a chat.

Also, on Tuesdays - ‘**Tiny Ps**’ stay and play group (0-3 years old) from 10.00am to noon, during term time. Brenda.

Alternate Tuesdays – ‘**Big Ps**’.

Wednesdays – **Lingfield Youth Club** during term time.

Sundays 1st and 3rd of the month – ‘**Little Ps**’.

Last Sunday of the month – **Bubble Church** at 9.00am.

Saturdays first of the month – **Community Hub**, 9.00am to 11.00am.

OTHER INFORMATION, ALSO SEE NOTICE BOARD

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

East Grinstead Food Bank – Latest requirements are: - life fruit juice (not chilled, not squash, kitchen roll, instant mash potato, cooking oil 1 litre, hair conditioner, hair shampoo, toothbrush single - adult, and toothpaste. Thank you, Sue Joy.

Prayer Requests - Please pray for Alison Penny, Zoe Smith, Brian Bell, Barbara Bell, Jenny Holroyd, Jessica Townley, Evelyn Smith, Alison Irlam, John Garman, Jean Drew, along with all whose names have been placed on the prayer board.

Rest in Peace - We remember Janet Gale, Pam Tomsett, Jenny Attwood, and all who have died recently. We recall Jim Bridgland, Liz Lower, Marion Davies, Phil Durell, and all whose anniversary falls at this time, including others known only to us.

Janet Gale – The funeral service will be held in church on Tuesday September 22 at 2.00pm.

Jenny Attwood - Jenny was a member of our church for many years. She was a Sunday School leader and was involved in most aspects of church life. Jenny had a great faith and undertook ordination training, was ordained priest and for a short while was a non-stipendiary curate at our church. Sadly, she was diagnosed with ‘Aphasia’ which was progressive, initially affecting her communication. A year ago, she moved to a care home near to Tom, her son. Richard H.

The funeral service will be held in church on Friday September 25 at 11.30am.

Notices for inclusion in the pewsheets commencing Sunday September 20 should be emailed to Peter Beynon - plbeynon441@outlook.com, or the Parish Office, not later than the preceding Thursday please.