

**UNITED BENEFICE OF LINGFIELD  
& DORMANSLAND  
LINGFIELD PARISH CHURCH**

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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 hours may vary.

Notices for the week commencing March 15, 2026



**CHURCH SERVICES**

Sunday March 15 – Mothering Sunday. Fourth Sunday of Lent

8.00am Said Eucharist at Lingfield (3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays at Lingfield)

10.00am Sung Eucharist (with Little Ps) *Celebrant The Revd Ian Whitley*

Hymns – **794** (The King of love.) **537** (For the beauty.) **156** (We sing.)  
**799** (The Lord's my shepherd.) **739** (Now thank we all our God.)

Readings: Exodus 2: 1 -10 (88) Colossians 3: 12-17 (1184)  
John 19: 25-27 (1088)

5.00pm Informal service at St John's

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

G major from Zweistimmige Inventionen - BWV781: Johann Sebastian Bach  
O Vater, allmächtiger Gott (Partita) - BWV758: Johann Sebastian Bach  
Aria from Goldberg-Variationen - BWV988.1: Johann Sebastian Bach

(Postlude)

Praeludium in D minor from WTK II - BWV875: Johann Sebastian Bach

### MID WEEK SERVICES

10.00am Wednesday (Mar 18) Healing & Eucharist service Lingfield  
followed by week 4 of the **Lentwise** course led by Ian

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.](https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74615258857?pwd=QXfPyoDEbLeuxPq5sCNBcQDsfcgYX.1) Meeting ID: 746 1525 8857. Passcode: compline

### NEXT WEEK AND FUTURE EVENTS

#### CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday March 22 – Fifth Sunday of Lent. Passiontide begins.

8.00am Said Eucharist at St John's (3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays at Lingfield)

10.00am Sung Eucharist *Celebrant The Revd Ian Whitley*

Hymns – 176 (As royal banners.) 157 (When I survey.) 118 (Drop.)

**Anthem** (Jesu, dulcis memoria.) 707 (Lift high the cross.)

Readings: Ezekiel 37: 1 -14 (868) Romans 8: 6-11 (1134)  
John 11: 1-45 (1077)

5.00pm Informal service at St John's

Palm Sunday March 29 – **Choral Evensong** at 4.30pm, traditional service of hymns, anthems and readings. Other choral evensong dates this year are Sunday July 5 (St Peter & St Paul), Sunday October 4 (Harvest).

### REGULAR WEEKLY EVENTS

Tuesdays – **'Pop In'** 10.00am to 12 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'** at 7.00pm March 17 & 31, etc.

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

Sunday April 12 - **St Catherine's Hospice** fund raising from 2.00pm to 5.00pm in church and churchyard, if weather is fine. You are invited to an **Afternoon Tea**

**Party** with a raffle, music and games in aid of the above. There is no fixed price for tea.

We would welcome offers in advance of cakes, scones ,savouries, raffle prizes, gazebos and help on the day. We can freeze cake donations in advance. Please contact - Hazel (07761 557371), Gill (01342 833994) or Sue (07507 213120) to let us know how you can help make the day a success. Thank you.

Monday April 13 - 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.

### **BRIEF DATES FOR YOUR 2026 DIARY** (more details in due course)

Sunday March 29 – **Palm Sunday Passion Play & Choral Evensong**.

Monday March 30 – Start of **Holy Week**, service details in due course.

Maundy Thursday April 2 – **Service & Watch**.

Friday April 3 – **Good Friday** service.

Sunday April 5 – **Easter Day** service.

Sunday April 12 - **St Catherine’s Hospice** fund raising afternoon.

Sunday April 19 – **Hello Organ**, new presentation by Sara, Director of Music.

Sunday April 26 – Start of **Bubble Church** at 9.00am. Details in due course.

Sunday May 3 – **Annual Parochial Church Meeting** during Sunday service.

Sunday May 10 – **Lizz Lipscombe**, violinist, with a recital of new material.

Sunday May 31 – **The Friends Open Gardens** with tea in the Miller Room.

Saturday June 13 – **Church Fete** from 11.00am to 3.0ppm.

Sunday July 12 - **Lingfield Marathon Minibus** fund raiser in the Miller Room.

### **OTHER INFORMATION, ALSO SEE NOTICE BOARD**

**East Grinstead Food Bank** – Requests continue for food or donations, always appreciated. Latest requirements are long life fruit juice (not chilled, not squash), surface spray cleaner, female deodorant, disposable razors, instant mash potato and cup-a-soup. Thank you, Sue Joy.

**Tools wanted** – We have received a request from **TWAM** ‘Tools with a mission’ to donate surplus tools to empower people in Africa with the ability to create livelihoods and transform their lives. Will you please consider how you could meet their request? Speak to me please or phone Stuart on 07857 977681, who may collect. Alternatively, <https://www.twam.uk>, or [post@twam.uk](mailto:post@twam.uk) and 01473 210220. Peter.



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

**Your Safety, Fire Evacuation Procedure** - In the event of fire breaking out in the Church, please follow the instructions of the duty Side-persons: -

- A warning will be given by klaxon or loud voice, please exit the building immediately through the main door in the Miller Room, or the door down steep steps in the Turton Chapel. One or both may be used dependant on the safe route.

- Assist all those around you to leave safely and carefully, especially those whose mobility may be limited.

- Go up the path leading to the village, or to the library steps, and assemble there, not by the main doors - this will ensure all people stay clear of the access routes for the emergency services.

- Wait for instructions before re-assembly in the Church.

A detailed **Fire Evacuation Procedure Plan** has been placed in the blue **Rotas file** at the back of the church. Please read and raise any questions with the Churchwardens, Side-persons, or other duty staff members.

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

**Rest in Peace** - We remember Bryan Robinson, Gerry Loney, Carol Bundock, and all who have died recently. We recall Alan Medhurst, Julia Mills, Rosemary Sayers, Violet Jhson, and all whose anniversary falls at this time, including others known only to us.

**Carol Bundock** – The memorial service will take place in church on Wednesday March 25 at 2.00pm.

Notices for inclusion in the pewsheets commencing Sunday March 22 should be emailed to Peter Beynon plbeynon441@outlook.com, or the Parish Office, not later than the preceding Thursday please.