UNITED BENEFICE OF LINGFIELD & DORMANSLAND LINGFIELD PARISH CHURCH

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Notices for the week commencing March 23, 2025.



LINGFIELD CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday March 23 – Third Sunday of Lent.

8.00am Said Eucharist at St John's Celebrant The Revd Ian Whitley,

Joint Benefice Sung Eucharist (baptism of Louie Clift) 10.00am Celebrant The Revd Ian Whitley

Hymns – **533** (All things bright.) **787** (Take my life.) 669 (I heard the voice.) Anthem (Attende Domine: A Lent Prose.) 708 (Lift up your hearts.) Isaiah 55: 1-9 (742) Readings: 1 Corinthians 10: 1-13 (1151)

Luke 13: 1-9 (1146)

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

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

(Prelude)

O Lamm Gottes unschuldig (manualiter) - BWV deest: Johann Sebastian Bach Adagio in G Minor: Tomaso Albinoni

(Postlude)

9.00am

"Giant" Fuga in D minor (Wir gläuben all an einen) - BWV680: Johann Sebastian Bach

Monday March 24 - Kevin Scully is leading a **Quiet Morning** at Edenbridge Parish Church on with the theme **Lead Kindly Light - Faith in an age of uncertainty**. It starts at 09.30am, concluding with a soup lunch. If you would like to attend, please email Kevin on <u>revkevwrites@outlook.com</u> and he will let the caterers know.

MID WEEK SERVICES

10.00am Wednesday (March 23)

Monday to Thursday

Healing & Eucharist service Morning Prayer on Zoom

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81989590555?pwd =MUN nb0Nwa UpUbHBiMnQzVm9wd0Q4UT09. Passcode 149674

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.

Saturday March 29 – **East Grinstead Choral Society** performs **Johannes Brahms Ein Deutsches Requiem,** sung in German at St Swithun's Church EG at 7.00pm. Also works by **Franz Schubert**, both with professional soloists and accompanists. Tickets £20 at <u>www.egcs.co.uk</u> or at the door.

NEXT WEEK AND FUTURE EVENTS

CHURCH SERVICES Sunday March 30 – Fourth Sunday of Lent. Mothering Sunday. Said Eucharist 8.00am Celebrant The Revd Ian Whitley, 10.00am Sung Eucharist Celebrant The Revd Ian Whitley **506** (The church's one.) **537** (For the beauty.) 313 (For Mary.) Hymns – 721 (Love divine.) **315** (Sing we of the blessed Mother.) Readings: Exodus 2: 1-10 (58) Colossians 3: 12-17 (1184) Luke 2: 33-35 (1028)

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

Monday April 14 to Sunday Day April 20 – Details of the services in **Holy Week** will be shown in the pewsheet at the beginning of April.

Thursday April 17 – For the **Maundy Thursday Vigil**, a sign-up sheet is available at the back of the church. The sheet covers half hour time slots from 9.00pm to midnight, Ian will be present in the church throughout the evening.

Good Friday April 18 - Next **Messy Church session** at 10.30am. Lots of help needed to set up, run the craft tables, and clear way after, please come and join in, Set up will commence at 10.00am for tables and facilities.

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. It would be nice to have some music, does anyone know of a musician who would do a session for free. Also, anyone know a magician who could add a bit of fun for free round the tables? 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 <u>'One off Gift</u>' or joining as a <u>regular giver</u>. It also sorts out the Gift Aid. Please try with your mobile phone QR reader app.



The Inclusive Church logo. We are a member of this organisation. 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**.

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

OTHER INFORMATION, ALSO SEE NOTICE BOARD

Renewal of the Electoral Roll 2025 – This year we are required to produce a new St Peter & St Paul, Lingfield Parish Church **Electoral Roll**, prior to the Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) on May 11.

Those who are registered on the 2019 ER have been emailed with the new application form. However, if you do not wish to reply by email, paper copies are available in the church. Do not leave completed forms in the church, please hand to Ian, Sally Peter or Ellie in the vestry (hours on the front page).

Applications are invited from everybody resident in the parish and/or who regularly attend services here.

What is the Electoral Roll? It is the parish church's register of electors. In the same way that being on the civic Electoral Roll allows you to vote in parliamentary and local elections and referenda, joining the **Church Electoral Roll** means that you can vote on Church matters, attend the Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) and stand for election to the PCC. With your permission it also allows us to communicate with you about church events and news. <u>It costs you nothing</u>. Please complete and hand in by <u>Sunday April 13 next, or before.</u> Peter.

Note – Thanks to the individuals who have completed the 34 application forms I have received <u>so far</u>. More requested please.

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

The Stroke Association – have reported that the national February skipping event raised an incredible $\pounds 42,312!$ This will enable us to help stroke survivors find strength through support. Sue Ellis.

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, Alan Medhurst, Julia Mills, and all who have died recently. We recall Mark Pulton, Lindsay Scott, Jean Forshaw, Heather Allonby, and those whose anniversary falls at this time, including others known only to us.

Notices for inclusion in the pewsheet commencing Sunday March 30 should be emailed to Peter Beynon <u>plbeynon441@outlook.com</u>, or the Parish Office, not later than the preceding Thursday please.