

## WHAT'S ON

Morning Prayer takes place at St Peter's on Mondays and Thursdays at 9.00am,  
All Souls' on Tuesdays at 9.00am and St Mark's on Wednesdays at 9.00am.

### CONNECT LENT GROUPS MEET THIS WEEK

Monday 9 Mar	3.00pm	Refresh Café	St Mark's
Tuesday 10 Mar	9.00am	Hearing Aid Clinic	St Peter's
Tuesday 10 Mar	10.00am	Tots	St Mark's
Tuesday 10 Mar	2.15pm	Women's Fellowship	St Mark's
Wednesday 11 Mar	10.00am	Sparks	Church Centre
Wednesday 11 Mar	2.00pm	Craft and Chat	Church Centre
Thursday 12 Mar	7.30pm	ROC Conversation	Trinity Methodist Church
Saturday 14 Mar	9.00am-12.30pm		St Peter's Churchyard tidy up

### Sunday 15 March – Second Sunday in Lent

9.30am	All Souls'	Morning Worship (BCP)
10.00am	St Peter's	Holy Communion (CW)
11.00am	St Mark's	Morning Worship (CW)
4.30pm	St Mark's	Revive Service
6.30pm	St Peter's	Evening Prayer (BCP)

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St Peter's · St Mark's · All Souls'

## Notes & News

### Sunday 8 March 2020 Second Sunday in Lent

#### \* ST PETER'S TIDY-UP - Saturday 14 March - 9.00am - 12.30pm \*

We shall be starting at 9:00am for those who can make it but do feel free to join throughout the morning. We'll be focusing on the churchyard as it shrugs off its winter coat.

Do come and help if you can. Many thanks Jonathan, Spencer and Jacquie.

#### \* SURREY HALF-MARATHON \*

By the time you read this (depending on when that is) we should be part way through or have completed the Surrey Half-Marathon. It is not too late to sponsor us using the sheet at the back of church or going to

[www.kindlink.com/fundraising/parish-of-stpeter-woking/surreyhalfmarathon](http://www.kindlink.com/fundraising/parish-of-stpeter-woking/surreyhalfmarathon)

Sam and I will be available at the afternoon and evening services if you would like to pay us your sponsorship money. If you are a tax-payer please complete a white Gift Aid envelope so we can claim Gift Aid back on your donation.

Many thanks. Jonathan, Sam, Andy, Chris, Sarah and Michael.

#### \* CRAFT AND CHAT - Wednesday 11 March 2.00pm - in Church Centre \*

We are taking part in the 'Woking Easter Knit' so we will be knitting squares, which will be used over the Easter holidays at workshops to make Rabbits that will be given to children's charities. Come along to knit squares or bring your own craft projects or just come for a chat. More details from Pauline Wilde 722098.

Website: [www.stpeterwoking.org](http://www.stpeterwoking.org)



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**\* ST PETER'S \***

**10.00am ALL-AGE WORSHIP**

**\* ST MARK'S \***

**4.00pm HOLY COMMUNION (CW)**

HYMNS 7 683 673 *In Christ Alone*  
EPISTLE James 4: 1-10 (p1215)  
GOSPEL Luke 18: 9-14 (p1052)  
SERMON **Jesus accepts the humble**

**\* ALL SOULS' \***

**6.30pm HOLY COMMUNION (BCP)**

HYMNS 641 746 723 728  
EPISTLE James 4: 1-10 (p1215)  
GOSPEL Luke 18: 9-14 (p1052)  
SERMON **Jesus accepts the humble**

**CORONAVIRUS ADVICE**

The Church of England is recommending that we follow a few simple guidelines in our services to minimise the risk of infection . Therefore we would encourage everyone to thoroughly wash their hands before coming to church, to use hand sanitisers and if you have a cough or sneeze to refrain from shaking hands during the peace or receiving the wine at communion. Also, please don't dip your bread into the wine. These are the current guidelines, but may change if the risk level in the UK changes.

**\* CHURCHES TOGETHER IN WOKING (CTiW) – LENT LUNCHES \***

CTiW are having Lent Lunches every Friday during Lent. Last Friday I went along to meet them at St Dunstan's Church; it was very friendly and welcoming.

We sat down at 12 midday and had a choice of Mushroom or Tomato soup, white or wholemeal Bread Rolls with Butter and Cheese. There was a short break for a *Pause for Thought* at 12.45pm, followed by Tea and Coffee; this allowed more time to chat. Overall a nice, peaceful and reflective time.



I will be attending all these lunches; if you want to attend and need a lift please let me know, as I will have 3 spare seats in my car.

St Peters will be providing the Lunch on Friday 27 March; if you feel able to help me set up and clear away please let me know on 07850 287669 or contact Helen at the parish office.

Sam will be doing the *Pause for Thought* on Friday 3rd April, so please put that date in your diary and go along and support him. Martin.

**\* WOKING ROC CONVERSATION – Thursday 12 March 7.30pm – 9.30pm \*  
Trinity Methodist Church, Brewery Road GU21 4LH**

A structured community engagement event bringing together local people to celebrate the good community work happening in Woking, and explore practical ways of filling gaps. We have 180 people registered, including Surrey's High Sheriff 2020-21, our Mayor, MP, Surrey Police and Crime Commissioner and the Chief Executive of WBC, and charities and agencies.

We are inviting individuals with a heart for our community. Please come if you feel it's for you! For information contact Caroline Page on [carolineannpage@gmail.com](mailto:carolineannpage@gmail.com), or register for this free event on <http://www.roc.uk.com/woking>

**\* CONCERT AND CAKE \***

**Tuesday 24 March 2.00pm-4.00pm at St Mark's**



We all have a favourite song, or a tune that brings us joy. Live music has so many benefits, bringing back happy memories, reducing isolation and improving wellbeing.

On Tuesday 24 March, we are hosting a live music session from the charity, *Music in Hospitals & Care*. This event is open to everyone but is especially aimed at those in our community who may be feeling lonely, or unwell.

Why not come and join us, and invite your friends & neighbours? Contact Jenny Jones ([jennydickin98@gmail.com](mailto:jennydickin98@gmail.com)) for more information.



**\* THIS WEEK PLEASE PRAY FOR ... \***

the family and friends of Sir Andrew Leggatt, aged 89, of Church Street, whose funeral will take place later in the month.

and for those who are unwell – Naomi Etheridge, Bob Baker, Barbara Lanaway, Eileen Bliss and Trevor Lloyd.

**\* REVISION OF THE CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLL \***

If you are resident in the parish or have attended public worship regularly at one of our churches in the past six months and you are baptised and aged 16 or over, you can now be added to the Electoral Roll.

You just need to fill in an application form, sign it and return it to me or one of the churchwardens. You can then attend the Annual Parochial Church Meeting where the elections take place for the PCC and the parish's representatives for the Deanery Synod. If you are already on the Electoral Roll please let me know if any of your details have changed since last year. The period of revision last until 5 April this year.

Brigitte Morton, Electoral Roll Officer, 70 Elmbridge Lane, Woking GU22 9AW

**\* GAMES EVENING – Saturday 28 March at St Mark's Church, 4.00pm-6.00pm**

We are holding a Games Evening for the Parish. This will be an opportunity for us to spend time in fellowship together, eat cake, and to find out who amongst us are the competitive ones! Come and join us for classic games such as Connect-4, Snakes and Ladders, and Battleships; as well as new, exciting games like Codenames, Dobble, and Exploding Kittens – or why not bring your own game? Nothing that takes longer than 30 minutes to play please!

**\* VISIT OF ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY TO GUILDFORD DIOCESE \***

**Thursday 19 March – Lakeside Country Club, Frimley – 7.30pm**

Justin Welby is visiting the diocese from Wednesday 18–Friday 20 March and will be holding a special event on the evening of Thursday 19 March. He will be speaking on *Living a transformed life* and answering questions.

All are welcome, but advance booking is essential and it is likely to fill up. Tickets are free and available at [www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/an-evening-with-justin-welby-tickets-85951512287](http://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/an-evening-with-justin-welby-tickets-85951512287). A number of us from the PCC are going and will be car sharing so let Jonathan know if you are going and would like a lift.



**\* REVIVE SERVICE – NEXT SUNDAY \***

Please join us for this informal, contemporary service next Sunday as we learn about Healing, Miracles and Faith as part of our theme on Supernatural gifts. There will be opportunity to pray and be prayed for especially in the area of healing. Children's activities provided.

The service starts 4.30pm at St Mark's, Westfield.

**\* PARISH UNITED SERVICE – Sunday 29 March 11am at St Mark's \***

We will be gathering together as a parish and welcoming a speaker from The Church Mission Society (CMS), on what will be a Mission Giving Sunday for Malcolm Pritchard, our new Mission Partner with CMS. There will be no morning service at All Souls' and St Peter's on that Sunday.

**\* FAMILY IN NEED OF HOUSING \***



I have a family (Mum plus 8 year old and 2 year old) whose flat has been condemned as unsafe on Sheerwater and they have to move by next week.

There is no Council housing available yet and so Woking Borough Council are looking all over the country to find somewhere for them. At the moment they have no idea where they'll be sent and, as you can imagine, this is causing some anxiety.

They have few belongings and would be happy in one room so long as it was safe; they are entitled to Housing Benefit. This family are very dear to us at St Michael's and we'd love to be able to find somewhere for them.

If anyone knows of something that might be available until something more permanent can be found, I'd be very grateful to hear from them.

Rev'd Gillaine Holland, St Michael's Shared Church, Sheerwater. 01932 341694

**\* BISHOP OF GUILDFORD'S LENT REFLECTION \***

The Bishop of Guildford is producing short daily reflections during Lent which are emailed to all who are interested. I am using them and they are good. Although Lent has started it is not too late to sign up which can be done at [www.cofeguildford.org.uk/about/bishops-and-senior-staff/len](http://www.cofeguildford.org.uk/about/bishops-and-senior-staff/len) where you can also find out more about giving to the Lent Challenge campaign Jonathan

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