

Welcome



to the Parish Church of St. John the Evangelist, Farncombe

Sunday 30th August – Thirteenth after Trinity

8.00am **Holy Eucharist**

10.00am **Parish Eucharist**

Readings Romans 12.9-end Matthew 16.21-end

Hymns 347 319 Sheet 34 580

Introit: Look, O Lord, upon your covenant, and forsake not the poor of the congregation for ever; O Lord, maintain your own cause, and do not forget the voices of those who seek you. (Ps 74)

Collect (Prayer for the Day): Almighty God, who called your Church to bear witness that you were in Christ reconciling the world to yourself: help us to proclaim the good news of your love, that all who hear it may be drawn to you; through him who was lifted up on the cross, and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Post Communion Prayer: God our creator, you feed your children with the true manna, the living bread from heaven: let this holy food sustain us through our earthly pilgrimage until we come to that place where hunger and thirst are no more; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Sunday 6th September – Fourteenth after Trinity

8.00am **Holy Eucharist**

10.00am **Sunday Space**

6.30pm **Sung Eucharist**

Readings Ezekiel 33.7-11 Matthew 18.15-20

Hymns (EH) 205 208 73 Choir 272

Next: **Coffee Morning: Saturday 5th September, 10am**
 Sunday Space: Sunday 6th September, 10am
 Messy Church: Saturday 12th September, 3pm
 Board Games afternoon: Sunday 13th September, 4pm

Compline: Sunday 13th September, 7.30pm

Forest Church: Sunday 25th October TBC

Prayer Suggestions

The World:	The wars in Ukraine & Russia, Sudan & Yemen; conflict across the Middle East; the ebola outbreak in Congo
The Global Church:	The Church of the West Indies, & Archbishop Philip S. Wright
The Diocese:	Church treasurers, accountants and bookkeepers
The Deanery:	Compton parish, & Sally Buddle the priest-in-charge (also Area Dean)
The Parish:	Those who maintain our utilities

Those who are sick or in need of prayer

Peter Wilson	Lochie	Alex
Michael	Jean Davies	Jim Rafferty

Anniversaries of death

Nick Gray	Olive Harding	Kay Hannah
Norah Cutler		

Within the Parish	Sunday	Woodstock Grove
	Monday	Wyatts Close
	Tuesday	Allingham Court
	Wednesday	Barnes Road
	Thursday	Badgers Close
	Friday	Binscombe Lane
	Saturday	Binscombe Crescent

Church Calendar This Week

S	23	TRINITY 12
M	31	St Aidan, bishop, 651
T	1	St Giles, hermit, c.710
W	2	Martyrs of Papua New Guinea, 1901 & 1942
T	3	St Gregory the Great, Pope, 604
F	4	St Birinus, bishop, 650
S	5	feria
S	6	TRINITY 14; Bd Allen Gardiner, missionary, 1851

This Week

		Starts @	
Monday 31st	Organ practice	8.15am, 10.30am	Church
Tuesday 1 st Sept	Slimming World	8.30 & 10am	Church Room
		5.30 & 7pm	
	Midweek Eucharist	10.30am	Lady Chapel
Wednesday 2nd	Pilates	10am	Church Room
	Balance Class	11.15am	Church Room
	Cotton On	2.00pm	Church Room
	Pilates	6.30pm	Church Room
	Dance Class	7.30pm	Church Room
Thursday 3 rd	Hearing Aid Clinic	10.00am	Church Room
Friday 4th	St John's Toddler Group	10.30am	Church Room
	Eastlake Communion	11am	Eastlake
Saturday 5th	Organ practice	9.15am	Church
	Coffee Morning	10.00am	Church Room
	Lumos Concert	7.00pm (set up from 2pm)	Church & Room

**Hymn Now bless the God of Israel who comes in love and power,
who raises from the royal house deliv'rance in this hour.
Through holy prophets God has sworn to free us from alarm,
to save us from the heavy hand of all who wish us harm.**

**Remembering the covenant, God rescues us from fear,
that we might serve in holiness and peace from year to year.
And you, my child, shall go before, to preach, to prophesy,
that all may know the tender love, the grace of God most high.**

**In tender mercy, God will send the dayspring from on high,
our rising sun, the light of life for those who sit and sigh.
God comes to guide our way to peace, that death shall reign no
more.**

Sing praises to the Holy One, O worship and adore.

NOTICEBOARD—DATES & INFORMATION

- **Chairs.** We have wanted for some time to replace the chairs we use in the Church Room as they are battered and inconvenient. We've been very fortunate in securing a grant from the Town Council to support the purchase of 84 folding steel-framed plastic-seated chairs which can be stored on moveable trolleys, and this will not only give us chairs that are easier and safer to store and move around, but will also free up storage space. The Council has confirmed that the Rural Life Museum at Tilford will gladly accept our old chairs and will arrange removal! It just remains to work out practicalities but the change should happen in the next few weeks.
- James is filling in at St James's Elstead today.
- It's coming soon - **Quiz Night** on Friday October 16th! It will be the usual format- Ian Honeysett is our quizmaster and we will have a ploughman's supper. If you are interested please see Jane or Marta - it sounds a long way away but we have already had several bookings!
- **Farncombe and Godalming Mothers' Union.** For our July meeting we enjoyed refreshments at The Yew Tree Cafe followed by a guided tour of Busbridge Church and The Old Rectory. Thank you Michael. In August we met at Winkworth Arboretum for refreshments and exercise to remember our founder Mary Sumner who died on the very date we met, in this the 150th Anniversary of Mother's' Union.

Our next meeting will be at Godalming Minster Church Street on September 8th at 2pm. Our speaker will be Edwin Catt, a trustee of Guildford Diocese Mothers' Union, and he will tell us about the Mothers' Union charity AFIA - Away From It All- which provides funds for recreation for families who need a break. Edwin will bring along the newly restored portrait of a young Mary Sumner before it is installed in Mary Sumner House. Edwin was instrumental in facilitating the restoration for which we will be contributing financially. There will be a raffle to raise funds for our Mothers' Union charities, plus refreshments and companionship. Visitors always welcome.

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The Parish Office is being staffed on Mondays at the moment but calls and emails are always monitored and will be replied to as soon as possible: 01483 426353

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