



Welcome

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

Sunday 10th May – Sixth Sunday of Eastertide

8.00am **Holy Eucharist**

10.00am **Parish Eucharist**

Readings Acts 17.22-31 John 14.15-31

Hymns 337 160 408 375 (words on sheet) 673

7.30pm **Compline Online**

Introit: With a voice of singing declare this, and let it be heard, alleluia: the Lord has delivered his people, alleluia, alleluia. (Ps 98)

Collect (Prayer for the Day): Grant, we pray, almighty God, that as we believe your only-begotten Son our Lord Jesus Christ to have ascended into the heavens, so we in heart and mind may also ascend and with him continually dwell; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Post Communion Prayer: God our Father, you have raised our humanity in Christ and have fed us with the bread of heaven: mercifully grant that, nourished with such spiritual blessings, we may set our hearts in the heavenly places; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Sunday 17th May – Seventh Sunday of Eastertide

8.00am **Holy Eucharist**

10.00am **Parish Eucharist**

Readings Acts 1.6-14 John 17.1-11

Hymns 98 362 576 Sheet 188

6.00pm **Sanctus**

Next: Coffee Morning: Saturday 23rd May, 10am
Sunday Space: Sunday 7th June, 10am
Board Games afternoon: Sunday 14th June, 4pm
Compline: Sunday 14th June, 7.30pm
Messy Church: Saturday 11th July, 3pm
Forest Church: Sunday 26th July, 4pm

Prayer Suggestions

The World: The wars in Ukraine, Sudan, Yemen, and across the Middle East

The Global Church: The Church of Pakistan, and its Moderator Azad Marshall

The Diocese: The Interfaith team, and Churches Together in Surrey

The Deanery: The parish of Haslemere, Chris Bessant the incumbent, and Fiona Gwyn who looks after Grayswood

The Parish: GP surgeries at Binscombe & The Mill; all who work in health care locally

Those who are sick or in need of prayer

Peter Wilson Sarah Churchill Mercy Goodman

Those who have recently died

Cathy Beisley

Anniversaries of Death

Peter Collins Doris Goulding James Edwards
Keith Powell

Within the Parish

Sunday	Combe Road
Monday	Copse Side
Tuesday	Cornfields
Wednesday	Cubitt Close
Thursday	Davies Close
Friday	Dormers Close
Saturday	Downer Meadow

Church Calendar This Week

- S 10 EASTER 6 – ROGATION SUNDAY; St Isidora of Tabenna, Fool-in-Christ, nun, 365;
St Damien of Molokai, priest, 1889
- M 11 Rogation Day
- T 12 Rogation Day; Bd Gregory Dix, monk & writer, 1952
- W 13 Rogation Day
- T 14 ASCENSION DAY
- F 15 Octave of Ascension, day 2; St Matthias, apostle
- S 16 Octave of Ascension, day 3; St Brendan the Navigator, monk, 575; Bd Caroline
Chisholm, social reformer 1877
- S 17 EASTER 7; Octave of Ascension, day 4

This Week

		Starts @
Monday 11th	Organ practice	8.15am, 10.30am Church
	St Edmunds Toddler Group	10.30am Church Room
Tuesday 12th	Slimming World	8.30 & 10am Church Room
		5.30 & 7pm
	Midweek Eucharist	10.30am Lady Chapel
Wednesday 13th	Pilates	10am Church
	Townswomens Guild	10am Church Room
	Balance Class	11.15am Church
	Church Club	3.15pm Infants School
	Pilates	6.30pm Church Room
	Dance Class	7.30pm Church Room
Thursday 14th	Eucharist	6.30pm Lady Chapel
	ASCENSION DAY	
Friday 15th	St John's Toddler Group	10.30am Church Room
Saturday 16th	Organ practice	9.15am Church
	SPRING FAIR	all day whole site!

Hymn

**1. King of glory, King of peace,
I will love thee;
and that love may never cease,
I will move thee.
Thou hast granted my request,
thou hast heard me;
thou didst note my working breast,
thou hast spared me.**

**2. Wherefore with my utmost art
I will sing thee,
and the cream of all my heart
I will bring thee.
Though my sins against me cried,
thou didst clear me;
and alone, when they replied,
thou didst hear me.**

3. Seven whole days, not one in seven,
I will praise thee;
in my heart, though not in heaven,
I can raise thee.
Small it is, in this poor sort
to enrol thee:
E'en eternity's too short
To extol thee.

NOTICEBOARD—DATES & INFORMATION

- **SPRING FAIR!**

We are nearly there - thank you all for your support as we approach the big day!

There is some preparation to do to set up. All help is appreciated on Thursday afternoon at 4pm and Friday morning at 8.30am as we gather tables and set up the church. - *Jane*

- **James's email** is being changed to rector@farncombe.org.uk. Please use this address from now on.
- There will be **breakfast** after 8am Holy Communion on Sunday 31st May 2026. If you'd like to attend, please let David Beisley know.
- **Mothers' Union** will meet at 2pm on May 12th in the Octagon at Godalming to hear Janice Arnold talk on Fear Fight and Faith. All are welcome a charge of £2 covers your tea and cake as well as hearing an excellent speaker. Look forward to seeing you there - *Marjorie*
- There is a said eucharist for **Ascension Day** at 6.30pm on Thursday 14th – or at least there will be if the Rector can get back from the Clergy Conference by then! James is away on Tuesday, Wednesday, and most of Thursday, and will be off on Friday this week.

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Rector—Rev'd James Rattue: 01483 860709

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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