



Welcome

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

Sunday 21st April – 4th Sunday of Eastertide

8.00am	Holy Eucharist				
10.00am	Parish Eucharist				
Readings	Acts 4.5-12		John 10.11-18		
Hymns	120	250	433	368	672

Introit: Be joyful in God all you lands, Alleluia; make his name exceedingly glorious, alleluia, alleluia. (Psalm 66)

Collect (Prayer for the Day): Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the resurrection and the life: raise us, who trust in him, from the death of sin to the life of righteousness, that we may seek those things which are above, where he reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Post Communion Prayer: Merciful Father, you gave your Son Jesus Christ to be the good shepherd, and in his love for us to lay down his life and rise again: keep us always under his protection, and give us grace to follow in his steps; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Sunday 28th April – 5th Sunday of Eastertide

8.00am	Holy Eucharist				
10.00am	Parish Eucharist				
Readings	Acts 8.26-end		John.15-18		
Hymns	96	84	12	475	673
4.00pm	Forest Church				

Prayer Suggestions

The World:	The wars in Ukraine, Sudan, and Gaza
The Global Church:	The Church of Australia and Archbishop Geoffrey Smith of Adelaide
The Diocese:	The Board of Finance
The Deanery:	The parishes of Puttenham, Seale, Wanborough & The Sands, and Stephen Thatcher the incumbent
The Parish:	Police and magistrates, especially local PCs & PCSOs

Those who are sick or in need of prayer

Pat Woolhouse	Wendy Foster	Barbara Kleian
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Those who have died recently

John Donnelly	Hazel Hall
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Anniversaries of death

Ron Hall	Barbara Smith	Derek Strugnell
Annelise Simpson		

Within the Parish

Sunday	Huxley Close
Monday	Kings Road
Tuesday	Lammas Close
Wednesday	Lammas Road
Thursday	The Landings
Friday	Little Kiln
Saturday	Little Thatch

This Week

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Monday 22nd	Organ practice	10.30am	Church
	St Edmunds Toddler Group	10.30am	Church Room
Tuesday 23rd	Slimming World	9.30am, 5.30pm, 7pm	Church Room
	Midweek Eucharist	10.30am	Lady Chapel
Wednesday 24th	Organ practice	8.15am	Church
	Pilates	10.00am	Church Room
	Balance Class	11.15am	Church Room
	Church Club	3.15pm	Infants School
	Pilates	6.00pm	Church Room
	Dance Class	7.30pm	Church Room
Thursday 25th	Organ practice	2.30pm	Church
Friday 26th	Organ practice	8.15am	Church
	St John's Toddler Group	10.30am	Church Room
	Requiem Mass (RC)	12.15pm	Church
	Prayer for the Church	5.00pm	Lady Chapel
Saturday 27th	Organ practice	9.00am	Church
	Quiet Garden Working Party	9.30am	Churchyard
	Coffee Morning	10.00am	Church Room

NOTICEBOARD—DATES & INFORMATION

- This evening at 5.30pm members of our choir join Witley's and others for **Evensong at All Saints in Witley** – all welcome.
- The **Watoto Children's Choir** perform a free concert at 6pm on Tuesday 23rd at Millmead Baptist Church in Guildford.
- The Wintershall Players perform **The Life of Christ** on June 18th-22nd – Book tickets now on the website: www.wintershall.org.uk or call 01483 892167
- **Hopeweaver's Quiet Days** at Di and Jo Osborn's home in Farncombe - Saturday 1st June 10am-4pm, Sunday 2nd June 2.30-4.30pm. To book please use the link: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/the-community-of-hopeweavers-17676243590> or speak to Di after church.

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- **Forest Church** will be on April 28th – meet outside no.13 Wolesley Road at 4pm.
- We would like to draw up a new list for making sure people who need **lifts to church** have them as often as possible. If you might be able to help with this now and again, please let James know.
- A regular reminder (!) that ideally, in so far as possible, we try to keep a **reflective quiet** before the service begins and only have necessary conversations after the gathering music begins. As the saying goes, ‘Talk to God before the mass and your neighbour after’!
- “The **Spring Fair** is not far away - just a few weeks to go! Thank you for all offers to help - we nearly have all stalls and sideshows manned but if you haven’t been asked and want to help - please see me. Thank you too for all tombola donations given - we do of course need more - and especially for the bottle tombola - there is a large box at the back of the church to be filled! It’s also time now to start thinking about plants as the weather improves and if you can’t get into the garden then please think about making some handicrafts too! The Fair has been a great success over the last two years - this year we have some new stalls and events - let’s make it a day to remember!” – *Jane Jopson*
- **Hymn survey.** We’re interested in what your favourite hymns might be, including whether you may have heard ones you like which we don’t sing here. There’s a survey form available for you to fill out: you can sign your name or not as you choose, and completed forms can be left in the box in the Narthex.
- Godalming & District Churches Together **Prayer Breakfast** is a week on Saturday, April 27th, 8.30am at The Old Farmhouse Barn, Farnham Road, Elstead GU8 6DB. For more information contact Richard Grey, rcegrey@aol.com, 01252 702230.

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

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