

Welcome



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

Sunday 11th October – Nineteenth after Trinity

8.00am **Holy Eucharist**

10.00am **Parish Eucharist**

Readings Philippians 4.1-9 Matthew 22.1-14

Hymns 739 113 374 Sheet 511

7.30pm **Compline Online**

Introit: I am the saving health of the people, says the Lord: out of whatever tribulation they shall cry to me, I will hear them, and I will be their Lord for ever. (Ps 78)

Collect (Prayer for the Day): O God, forasmuch as without you we are not able to please you; mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Post Communion Prayer: Holy and blessed God, you have fed us with the body and blood of your Son and filled us with your Holy Spirit: may we honour you, not only with our lips but in lives dedicated to the service of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Sunday 18th October – 20th after Trinity/ St Luke's Day

8.00am **Holy Eucharist**

10.00am **Parish Eucharist**

Readings Isaiah 45.1-7 Matthew 22.15-22

Hymns 111 247 551 461 631

Next: Coffee Morning: Saturday 17th October, 10am

Forest Church: Sunday 25th October 3pm

Board Games afternoon: Sunday 14th November, 4pm

Compline: Sunday 14th November, 7.30pm

Sunday Space: Sunday 1st November, 10am

Messy Church: Saturday 14th November, 3pm

Prayer Suggestions

The World:	The wars in Ukraine & Russia, Sudan & Yemen; conflict across the Middle East; the ebola outbreak in Congo; recovery after the floods in Nepal & Tibet
The Global Church:	The Church of Burundi, and its Archbishop Eraste Bigirimana
The Diocese:	Bishop Paul; the process to select a new Bishop of Guildford
The Deanery:	The parish of Shottermill, & Timothy Radcliffe the incumbent
The Parish:	Employers and those out of work

Those who are sick or in need of prayer

Peter Wilson	Lochie	Alex
Michael	Jean Davies	Emily Brown

Anniversaries of death

Enid Weston	Tony Smith
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Within the Parish	Sunday	Field Place
	Monday	Furze Lane
	Tuesday	George Road
	Wednesday	The Glade
	Thursday	Gothic Place
	Friday	Grange Close
	Saturday	Grays Road

Church Calendar This Week

S	11	TRINITY 19; St Ethelburga, abbess, 675; St James the Deacon, missionary, 7 th cent.
M	12	St Wilfrid, bishop, missionary, 709; Bd Elizabeth Fry, social reformer, 1845; Bd Edith Cavell, nurse, 1915
T	13	St Edward the Confessor, king, 1066
W	14	Feria
T	15	St Teresa of Avila, Doctor of the Church, 1582
F	16	Bd Nicholas Ridley & Hugh Latimer, bishops & martyrs, 1555
S	17	St Ignatius, bishop & martyr, c.107
S	18	ST LUKE, EVANGELIST/TRINITY 20

This Week

Starts @

Sunday 11 th	Board Games afternoon	4pm	Church Room
Monday 12 th	Organ practice	8.15am, 10.30am	Church
	St Edmunds Toddler Group	10.30am	Church Room
Tuesday 13 th	Slimming World	8.30 & 10am	Church Room
		5.30 & 7pm	
	Midweek Eucharist	10.30am	Lady Chapel
Wednesday 14 th	Pilates	10am	Church
	Townswomens Guild	10am	Church Room
	Balance Class	11.15am	Church
	MU	2pm	Church Room
	Church Club	3.15pm	Infants School
	Pilates	6.30pm	Church Room
	Dance Class	7.30pm	Church Room
Friday 16 th	St John's Toddler Group	10.30am	Church Room
	Quiz Night	6pm on	Church & Room
Saturday 17 th	Organ practice	9.15am	Church
	Coffee Morning	10.00am	Church Room
	Private party	1pm	Church Room

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

- **Roof works.** Thank you for your patience during the roofing works.
- **Mothers' Union:** At the next meeting on Wednesday 14th October at 2pm in the Church Room we will be thinking about harvest and will be making packs to send to the women in Send Prison so they can make Christmas cards. If you have any old Christmas cards please can you bring them to church on or before October 11th. Everyone is very welcome to join us for the meeting.
- **James is on leave** from October 5th to the 18th.
- **Baptist Church Life Sessions.** 2026's last date is on Saturday 31st October at GBC, 10.00am-12.30 (coffee from 9.30am). The subject is 'Sleep - How can we find it so hard when we spend a third of our lives doing it?' led by Dr Martin Brunet and Louise Berger, RSCH Insomnia Clinic Lead. No charge but donations welcomed for 'Emerge', a charity supporting young people attending A&E at times of crisis. Contact Sally Pollard-01483-428646 or e-mail pollard3@hotmail.co.uk.
- **Compline Online** is at 7.30pm today: the link is <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/73484092286?pwd=KOU34WsVi0jHvm30ODENFwvnmrlpPS.1> and you can find the order of service on the website.
- **Safeguarding.** Julia Foster has been our sterling Parish Safeguarding Officer for several years, combining this with the role of DBS Validator which involves helping people complete their safeguarding checks online. Now it would help to separate the two roles, so I wonder whether anyone might feel able to take on either of them? Safeguarding is of course crucial and making the process work in a more streamlined way would be very helpful. Please speak to Julia or James.
- **Churches Together in Godalming Christmas lunch** –Churches Together have for many years been running a lunch on Christmas Day particularly for those who would otherwise be on their own. Our sterling cooks are stepping baack and we can't do this without someone (or two people) to take charge of the cooking this year. You do not need to be a professional cook, and volunteers will assist in preparation and cooking on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. Full instructions will be given. If you can help this year or maybe in the future, or want to find out more, please contact Sarah Higgins ASAP (sarahhiggins478@gmail.com).

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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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