



Welcome

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

Sunday 24th July – Sixth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am	Holy Eucharist
10.00am	Parish Eucharist
Readings	Colossians 2.6-15 Luke 11.1-13
Hymns	21 971 Sheet 714 221 (omit vv. 2 & 3)
12noon	Baptism of Edith Ferrar
4.00pm	Forest Church at Long Gore Woods

Introit: The Lord is the strength of his people and a stronghold of salvation to his anointed: O Lord, save your people, and give your blessing to your inheritance. (from Psalm 28)

Collect (Prayer for the Day): Merciful God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass our understanding: pour into our hearts such love toward you that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; 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: God of our pilgrimage, you have led us to the living water: refresh and sustain us as we go forward on our journey, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Sunday 31st July – Seventh Sunday after Trinity

8.00am	Holy Eucharist
10.00am	Parish Eucharist
Readings	Colossians 3.1-11 Luke 12.13-21
Hymns	367 259 (vv.1, 3, 5) 302 (omit v.4) 294 Sheet
12noon	Baptism of Isla Vickery

Prayer Suggestions

The World:	The war in Ukraine;
The Global Church:	The Church in Wales and its Archbishop, Andy John
The Diocese:	Members of the General Synod
The Deanery:	The parishes of Puttenham, Seale, Wanborough & The Sands, and their incumbent Stephen Thatcher
The Parish:	The Museum, and the Godalming Trust

Those who are sick or in need of prayer

Edouard le Maistre	Dot Richardson
Sarah Rickwood	Betty Sargent

Those who have died recently

Yvonne Budd

Anniversaries of death

Clive Downes Vera Honey Craig Hampshire

Please also pray for Edith Ferrar, due to be baptised here today; and Isla Vickery, due to be baptised next week, their parents, godparents, families and friends.

Within the Parish	Sunday	Guildford Road
	Monday	Hall Close
	Tuesday	Hallam Road
	Wednesday	Hare Lane
	Thursday	Hillside Way
	Friday	Huxley Close
	Saturday	Kings Road

Services in August. Please note that our services will be a bit different in August to accommodate the Churches Together Staycation service, which is on the 14th this year: **Saturday August 6th** is the Feast of the Transfiguration. There will be an extra celebration of the Eucharist at 10am that day. On **Sunday August 7th** there will be a Eucharist at 10am, rather than Sunday Space. The evening service at 6.30pm will be a quiet Evensong. On **Sunday August 14th** anyone who can is warmly invited to join the Staycation service at the Bandstand at 10.30am. There will be celebrations of the Eucharist here at St John's at 8am and 6.30pm.

This Week

		Starts @	
Monday 25th	Organ practice	10.30am	Church
Tuesday 26th	Slimming World	9.30am, 5.30pm, 7pm	Church Room
	Midweek Eucharist	10.30am	Lady Chapel
Wednesday 27th	Pilates	10.00am	Church Room
	Balance Class	11.15am	Church Room
	Pilates	6.30pm	Church Room
	Dance Class	7.45pm	Church Room
Thursday 28th	Dance Class	5.15pm	Church Room
Friday 29th	Organ practice	2.30pm	Church
Saturday 30th	Organ practice	9.00am	Church
	Dance Class	9.00am	Church Room
	Quiet Garden Working Party	9.30am	Churchyard

**From the squalor of a borrowed stable,
By the Spirit and a virgin's faith;
To the anguish and the shame of scandal
Came the Saviour of the human race.
But the skies were filled with the praise of heaven,
Shepherds listen as the angels tell
Of the Gift of God come down to man
At the dawning of Immanuel.**

**King of heaven now the Friend of sinners,
Humble servant in the Father's hands,
Filled with power and the Holy Spirit,
Filled with mercy for the broken man.
Yes, He walked my road and He felt my pain,
Joys and sorrows that I know so well;
Yet His righteous steps give me hope again –
I will follow my Immanuel.**

**Through the kisses of a friend's betrayal,
He was lifted on a cruel cross;
He was punished for a world's transgressions,
He was suffering to save the lost.
He fights for breath, He fights for me,
Loosing sinners from the claims of hell;
And with a shout our souls are free –
Death defeated by Immanuel.**

Now He's standing in the place of honour,
Crowned with glory on the highest throne,
Interceding for His own beloved
Till His Father calls to bring them home!
Then the skies will part as the trumpet sounds
Hope of heaven or the fear of hell;
But the Bride will run to her Lover's arms,
Giving glory to Immanuel!

NOTICEBOARD—DATES & INFORMATION

- **Fire Procedures.** There will be a short meeting about fire safety procedures for all available sidespeople after the 10am service next Sunday (July 31st).
- **Refugee support.** A neighbour of the Prestons, Philip Gardner, is supporting a colleague from the Royal Surrey Hospital who has taken extended leave to work in a support centre for Ukrainian refugees in Poland. He intends to take a vanful of supplies, including clothing for women and children, toiletries and sanitary products, to the centre at the end of July but will head off as soon as the van is full! If you can offer anything to this effort Philip will be very glad to collect supplies. He can be contacted on 07929637320.
Please also pray for households in our congregation, and the community more generally, who are hosting refugees at the moment.
- Our friend **Yvonne Budd's funeral service** is still on Monday 8th August at 1.30pm, but has been moved to the church.
- **Big Group Sing.** Many thanks to our friends at Big Group Sing who raised £143.10 for the church at their Family & Friends concert last Saturday.

Church of St John the Evangelist, Farncombe.

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