



Welcome

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

Sunday 19th January – Second Sunday of Epiphany

8.00am Holy Eucharist

6.30pm Holy Eucharist

Readings 1Corinthians 12.1-11 John 2.1-11

Introit: All the earth shall worship you, O God, and sing of you; they shall sing praise to your name, O most high. (Psalm 66)

Collect (Prayer for the Day): Almighty God, in Christ you make all things new: transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your heavenly glory; 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 glory, you nourish us with your Word who is the bread of life: fill us with your Holy Spirit that through us the light of your glory may shine in all the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Sunday 26th January – Third Sunday of Epiphany

8.00am Holy Eucharist

10.00am Holy Eucharist

Readings Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10 Luke 4.14-21

Hymns 359 311 540 Sheet 485

3.00pm Forest Church (details to follow)

Prayer Suggestions

- The World:** The wars in Ukraine, Sudan, Yemen & Lebanon; the ceasefire in Gaza
- The Global Church:** The Church of the West Indies, and its Archbishop Philip S Wright
- The Diocese:** Churches Together in Surrey
- The Deanery:** The parish of Haslemere; Chris Bessant the incumbent (also Area Dean) and Fiona Gwynn who works at Grayswood
- The Parish:** The other Christian communities of this area, and greater unity and fellowship between Churches

Those who are sick or in need of prayer

Kelly	Ray Brown	Janet Greener
Chris Rucker	Lucinda Fountain	Lockie

Those who have died recently

Yulia	Jean Watts
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Anniversaries of Death

Tim Caton	Barbara Noakes	Mike Flew
Eryk Grabiec		

Within the Parish

Sunday	George Road
Monday	The Glade
Tuesday	Gothic Place
Wednesday	Grange Close
Thursday	Grays Road
Friday	Green Lane
Saturday	Guildford Road

This Week

		Starts @	
Monday 20th	St Edmunds Toddler Group	10.30am	Church Room
	Treasure in the Field course	7.00pm	Church Room
Tuesday 21st	Slimming World	8.30 & 10am	Church Room
		5.30 & 7pm	
	Midweek Eucharist	10.30am	Lady Chapel
Wednesday 22nd	PCC Meeting	7.30pm	Church
	Pilates	10am	Church Room
	Balance Class	11.15am	Church Room
	Church Club	3.15pm	Infants School
	Pilates	6.30pm	Church Room
Thursday 23rd	Dance Class	7.30pm	Church Room
	Rainbows	3.45pm	Church Room
	Puppy Training	6.30pm	Church Room
Friday 24th	Bible Study Group	7.30pm	TBC
	Organ practice	8.15am	Church
Saturday 25th	St John's Toddler Group	10.30am	Church Room
	Organ practice	9.15am	Church
	Garden Working Party	9.30am	Churchyard

Next:

Coffee Morning: Saturday 1st February, 10am

Compline: Sunday 10th February, 7.30pm

Forest Church: Sunday 26th January, 3pm

Sunday Space: Sunday 2nd February, 10am

Messy Church: Saturday 8th March, 3pm

NOTICEBOARD—DATES & INFORMATION

- **The PCC** meets on the evening of Tuesday 21st at 7.30pm.
- **The annual United Service** in the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity will be at Godalming United Church at 10.30am on Sunday 19th January this year, so there will be **no 10am service at St John's** that Sunday. Instead there will be a said Eucharist at 6.30pm that evening.
- **Fire Safety.** As part of the campaign to boost our fire safety arrangements we need to have a training session on fire prevention and management. This is pencilled in for the evening of Wednesday 12th February. Although there is the option of doing the training online it would be ideal if all sidespeople (and indeed anyone who wants to, the more the merrier) could attend.
- We were very sorry to hear of the death of our friend **Jean Watts** who was a longstanding church member. Jean hadn't been able to attend worship for some years. Her funeral will be here in church at 11.30am on Wednesday 5th February.
- **Lent Course.** I will be running a Lent Course this year. I've been consumed with the idea of how the church functions spiritually if you have no working ordained person available so the course will look at that. I would like as many people to come as possible, so each of the five sessions will run twice, on Monday afternoon and Wednesday evening. More details to follow.
- Advance notice that the **Spring Fair for 2025** will be Saturday 10th May!
- **Forest Church** will be next Sunday afternoon at 3pm – venue to be confirmed.

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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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