# UNITED BENEFICE OF LINGFIELD & DORMANSLAND

## LINGFIELD PARISH CHURCH

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**Vicar** - The Revd. Ian Whitley - <u>vicar.ubld@outlook.com</u>. Mob. 07961 382293. The Vestry Office is open Monday, Wednesday to Friday 2.30am to 5.30pm <u>officelingfieldppchurch@gmail.com</u> & tel 01342 832021.

Notices for the week commencing Sunday April 14, 2024.

#### LINGFIELD CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday April 14 – Third Sunday of Easter.

8.00am Said Eucharist Celebrant The Rev Ian Whitley

10.00am Sung Eucharist Celebrant The Rev Ian Whitley

*Hymns* – **219** (This joyful Eastertide.) **194** (Alleluia.)

209 (Love's redeeming.) 440 (Deck thyself.) 217 (The strife is o'er.)

Readings: Acts 3: 12-19 (1095) 1 John 3: 1-7 (1226)

Luke 24: 36b-48 (1062)

5.00pm Informal service at St John

The organ voluntaries for this Sunday are: -

(Prelude)

Allein Gott in der Höh sei Ehr - BWV717: Johann Sebastian Bach

Christ lag in Todes Banden - BWV695: Johann Sebastian Bach

Liebster Jesu, wir sind hier - BWV730: Johann Sebastian Bach

(Postlude)

8.00pm

Praeludium in C major - BWV547: Johann Sebastian Bach

### MID WEEK SERVICES

10.00am Wednesday (April 17) Holy Communion at St John

On Zoom

9.00am Monday to Thursday Morning Prayer

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81989590555?pwd =MUN nb0Nwa UpUbHBiMnQzVm9wd0Q4UT09. Passcode 149674

Wednesday Compline, see weekly email

from the Parish Office for the Zoom link

#### NEXT WEEK AND FUTURE EVENTS

#### CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday April 21 – Fourth Sunday of Easter.

8.00am Morning Prayer Richard Holroyd

10.00am Sung Eucharist Celebrant The Rev Nigel Hinton

Hymns – 421 (All for Jesus.) 696 (Jesus, where 'er thy people.)

629 (Father hear the prayer.) Anthem (O sons and daughters.) 291 (Christ is made.)

Readings: Acts 4: 5-12 (1095) 1 John 3: 16-end (1227)

Luke 10: 11-18 (1041)

5.00pm Informal service at St John

#### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

First three Sundays of each month – **Informal service** at St John at 5.00pm.

Sunday April 28 – **Annual Parochial Church Council Meeting (APCM),** reports and election of lay officers to the Parochial Church Council, to be held during the 10.00am service. Invitations are invited for all positions of Churchwardens, Deanery Synod representatives and PCC members. The necessary forms are available from the Parish Office and when completed should be submitted prior to the meeting. This is an opportunity to offer your contribution to the running of our church, please think what you can do for others.

Tuesday April 30 – **Wine & Wondering** session 7.30pm at **The Star**, this is a Spiritual, not Religious, opportunity to meet and discuss matters of interest to you. Scheduled for the last Tuesday in each month.

Saturday May 11 – **Mark Jennings, Classical Guitarist**, will be giving a recital at St John's Church Dormansland at 7.00pm. Tickets are £15 from 01342 870681 also on the door, refreshments will be provided. If you wish to purchase on-line the details are: - Parochial Church Council of St John's Dormansland (business account), 60-07-17, 01888072, please use reference '11 May'.

Monday May 13 - Next **Messy Church session.** Lots of help needed to set up, run the craft tables, and clear way after, please come and join in, starting at 3.30pm. Set up will commence at 2.30pm for tables and facilities.

Saturday June 8 – **St Peter & St Paul, Lingfield Parish Church Fete**, With all the usual fun and celebration! Fabulous Flying 40s, so come and celebrate 80 years since D-Day! For the children, games, stick-on tattoos, face painting, chocolate fountain, sweetie tombola, Guess the Name of the Teddy, and lots more. For the adults, the famous raffle, Silent auction, Nice Item tombola, Stunning Hampers, Books, Guess the name of the Flower/Rose and the weight of the Cake! The Bottle Tombola, delicious home-made cakes, our delectable Ploughman's Lunch, The

BBQ Tent alongside the Beer / Prosecco and Pimms to keep you fed and watered. We are needing lots of bottles - from bottles of "Washing up liquid" to bottles of wine. We also need bits for the nice item tombola, items that could go onto the Silent Auction and new items to go into the Hamper baskets, plants, wrapped sweets & old crockery - for a new game! On the day we'll need our wonderful <a href="Church Volunteers">Church Volunteers</a> and anyone who'd like to help from the village. It's only 12 weeks away!!! So please start donating as soon as you can. There will be a box in the back of the Church soon, and in the Community Centre. For anything valuable please arrange to drop off at the Church office. Please call either the Church office or me (Ellie) on 07742 398904 if you need anything to be collected. As usual all proceeds go towards St Peter and St Paul Church Projects. Thank you so much. Kay & Organising Committee.

Sunday June 16 – **Joint Benefice choral service** at St John, Dormansland, which will be **The Revd Nigel Hinton's** last service. It will be at 10.00am followed by a celebration in the Centenary Room. More details in due course.

Sunday June 30 – Choral Evensong for the Festival of St Peter & St Paul at 4.30pm. There will be one more Choral Evensong this year on October 6 (Harvest). Please bring your family and neighbours to support this traditional service.

Sunday July 7 - Charity Summer Garden Party with live music, a selection of salads and cold meat and fish and BBQ. Variety of delicious desserts and Cheeses. In aid of the Lingfield Marathon Community minibus and research into Lewys Body Dementia. Location Bidbury House, Dormansland, bookings now being taken now for this fun afternoon, email for further details. Sue@bidbury.com. Children welcome.



This QR code will take you into our **St Peter & St Paul Parish Giving Account**. The advantage of using this one is it provides the option of either making a 'One off Gift' or joining as a regular giver. It also sorts out the Gift Aid for us.

Please try with your mobile phone QR reader app.



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See our Mission Action Plan (MAP) Priority One goals on the Miller Room notice board.

#### **REGULAR WEEKLY EVENTS**

Tuesdays – '**Pop In'** 10.00am to 12 noon in the Miller Room. Join us for a coffee/tea and a chat.

Saturdays – **Community Hub**, 9.00 to 11.00am on the first Saturday in each month.

#### OTHER INFORMATION, ALSO SEE NOTICE BOARD

**Easter greetings card** – Received this week: - 'What a wonderful Easter Garden displayed inside the church. The realistic empty tomb – the abandoned shroud – Jesus encountering Mary Magdalene and the bare crosses on the hillside with such a beautiful backdrop of the sky behind. Likewise, the floral arrangements. Pots of yellow daffodils and Paschal Candle with little white flowers surround.

The arrangement in the Lady Chapel - a lily forming a cross at the top and the Easter egg tucked in amongst the spring flowers.

To all those responsible for the time and the talent that has gone into creating the Easter beauty of Lingfield Parish Church, a very big thanks you – it is greatly appreciated.'

The sender was not identified; however it must make it all worthwhile when praise is received!

Our Church Electoral Roll - Regular members of the congregation who are not on the Electoral Roll for St Peter and St Paul are invited to put their names forward for recording. Forms are available in the Miller Room for completion by worshippers and parishioners over the age of 16, who wish to be included. It should be noted that only those on the Roll will be eligible to vote at the APCM and to stand for the Parochial Church Council. Additional information may be obtained from Ian, or the Churchwardens. It <u>does not cost you anything</u>, but membership permits us to keep in contact with you about services, events or special occasions.

**Prayer Requests** - Please pray for Zoe Smith, Judy O'Callaghan, Trevor Crowhurst, Brian Bell, Barbara Bell, Jenny Holroyd, Jenny Attwood, Ray Winter, Jessica Townly, Kat Whitley, Alexandro Bacarini, Graham Lester, Vanessa Francis, The Revd Canon Dr Raymond Bayley, and all whose names have been placed on the prayer board.

**Rest in Peace** - We remember Mark Poulton, Heather Allonby, Lindsay Scott, Jean Forshaw (resident at The College of St Barnabas), and all who have died recently. We recall Ian Cobb, Eileen Whitworth, Hazel Russell, Kate Reynolds, Loretto Redmond, and all whose anniversary falls at this time, including others known only to us.

**Lindsay Scott** - The funeral service will be at St Peter and St Paul on Tuesday April 23 at 10.30am followed by a wake at St Bernard's Hall, and then at The Star.

**Heather Allonby** - The funeral service will be at St Peter and St Paul on Friday May 10 at 11.00am.

Notices for inclusion in the pewsheet commencing Sunday April 21 should be emailed to Peter Beynon <a href="mailto:pleaynon441@outlook.com">plbeynon441@outlook.com</a>, or the Parish Office, not later than the preceding Thursday please.