

**This coming week's services and events:**

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup>**

10.00am Singles Friendship Group coffee. (St Wilfrids Hospice)

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup>**

10.00am Pebbles Toddler Group. (St Peter)

10.15am-10:45am Revive Café. (Church on the Trees)

11.00am Church on the Trees worship.

6.00pm Eucharist. (St Mary)

6.45pm Lent Book Group. (St Mary)

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup>**

9.30am Little Lambs Toddler Group. (St Mary Hall)

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup>**

2.00pm Friendship Group. (St Peter)

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup>**

10.00am Eucharist. (St Peter)

3.00pm Holy Hour. (Willingdon)

**Next Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2026**

**Palm Sunday**

10.00am Encounter. (Willingdon)

10.30am Parish Eucharist. (St Mary)

6.30pm Last Words of Love – Service of Devotion. (Willingdon)

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# St Mary, Hampden Park & St Peter, The Hydneye

**Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2026**  
**Fifth Sunday of Lent**  
**Passiontide Begins**

## Services Today

10.30am Parish Eucharist (St Mary)  
6.30pm Evening Prayer (Willingdon)

## Today's Hymns

**238** Come down o love divine

**236** Breathe on me breath of God

**538** And can it be

**142** Glory be to Jesus

**157** When I survey the wondrous cross

**477** Go forth and tell

## Today's Readings

Ezekiel 37. 1-14

Psalm 130

Romans 8. 6-11

John 11. 1-45

## Collect

Most merciful God, who by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ delivered and saved the world: grant that by faith in him who suffered on the cross we may triumph in the power of his victory; 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**

## Psalm 130

✠ With the Lord there is mercy and plenteous redemption.

or

✠ You shall know that I am the Lord when I open your graves.

## Please pray for...

**We pray for the sick and the suffering among them:** Barbara P, Mark S, Tony W, Scott B, Vicki B, Stella W, Claire D, Sandra P

**We pray for the faithful departed among them:**

**We pray for the those whose anniversary of death occurs at this time:** Peggy Clarke, Iris Deadman, Ivy Ellis, Barrie French, Jessie Leybourne, Gladys Noble, John Sands

## Post Communion Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us that what we do for the least of our brothers and sisters we do also for you: give us the will to be the servant of others as you were the servant of all, and gave up your life and died for us, but are alive and reign, now and for ever. **Amen**

## Notices

**Last Words of Love** please join us on Palm Sunday at St Mary, Willingdon 6.30pm. Seven last words from the Cross in readings, prayers, music and silence.

**Single Friendship Group** the next meeting is the 30<sup>th</sup> March - 10.00am coffee at The Hydro Hotel.

**Crowhurst Healing Centre Trip** a day reflecting on healing led by Rev Steve Gurr Chaplain at Crowhurst on the 17<sup>th</sup> April. An opportunity to receive prayer and fellowship. Lifts available, pick up from St Peter at 9.00am for a 10.00am start. Cost £30 all-inclusive (£5 deposit to Carl Williams). For more info. please contact Mary Thurston 07806 498301

**Worth Abbey Outing** on the 17<sup>th</sup> October, spend a day with the community at Worth Abbey. Lunch will be provided. Further details to follow. If you are interested, please contact Mary Thurston 07806 498301

**Mass n' Chips** is on the **28<sup>th</sup> April**, if you would like to join and to place your order, please contact Annie Compton 07882 472442.

**Good Friday Children's Service** Hot Cross buns will be provided after the 10.00am service on the 3<sup>rd</sup> April at St Mary, Willingdon.

**Parish office will be closed** on Wednesday the 25<sup>th</sup> due to training. Emails will be answered the following day. For urgent enquiries please contact Fr Adam on 01323 502738.

**Thank you** Chas, Jill and family would like to thank their church family for supporting them on Friday, for the prayers and messages sent, and love shown during their bereavement. Pearl would have been very touched. Thank you.

## Save the Date

**4<sup>th</sup> April** Parish Partnership Men's Breakfast 8.30am @ Willingdon Golf Club

**11<sup>th</sup> April** Ladies Fellowship Coffee Morning 10.30am @ Morrisons Café

**28<sup>th</sup> April** Mass n' Chips 6.00pm @ St Mary, Hampden Park

**2<sup>nd</sup> May** Messy Church. 3.00-5.30pm @ St Mary, Willingdon Church Hall

**4<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> May** Walsingham Pilgrimage, Norfolk

**28<sup>th</sup> June** Parish Partnership Picnic 12.30pm @ Hampden Park

Any inclusions for the pew sheet to be sent to Carl by 12 noon on Wednesday at office@parishpartnership.co.uk or 01323 501763