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to share this meal with the whole household of God:
in that new world where you reveal the fullness of your peace,
gather people of every race and language
to share in the eternal banquet of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

What's on in our parish?

Sunday Beach Worship & Prayer Night: Yaverland Beach, 9 August and Totland Bay, 23 August from 5.30pm. Come along, all are welcome! We look forward to spending time together on the beach as we worship together and share food together. Bring a picnic — and maybe a little extra to share with others too. If the weather looks unsettled, we'll make a decision the day before via Facebook on whether to go ahead or cancel, so keep an eye on our page.

St. John's Midweek Service: There will be no mid-week service during August.

Benefice Songs of Praise service: Sunday 30th August, St. John's church at 9.30am. If you have a favourite hymn or song then do please email Revd Emma (emma.cooksey@cofeheartofwight.org) or sign up on the sheet at the back of church with your favourite by 16th August & we will try to include as many as we can.

Confirmation: Are you interested in being confirmed? If you would like more information then please speak to one of the clergy team. The Confirmation service is on Saturday 12th September at 6pm in Newport Minster.

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