

This coming week's services and events:

Monday 10th

10.00am Singles Friendship Group coffee. First Serve

1.00pm Funeral of the late Tracey Wilkinson

Tuesday 11th

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

11.00 MU 150 Year Celebration Service

11.00am Church on the Trees worship

No Bible Study Group. St Mary, Hampden Park

6.00pm Eucharist. St Mary, Hampden Park

Wednesday 12th

8.30am Morning Prayer

9.00am Eucharist

Thursday 13th

10.30am BCP Holy Communion

Friday 14th

10.00am Eucharist. St Peter, The Hydneye

Saturday 15th

11.00am Rosary Prayer Group. St Peter, The Hydneye

No Prayer and Study Group. Ratton Chapel

Next Sunday 16th August 2026

Feast of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8.00am Holy Communion

8.30am Morning Prayer

10.00am Parish 'Partnership' Eucharist - BVM Patronal Festival

6.30pm Evensong

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

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St Mary the Virgin, Willingdon

Sunday 9th August 2026

**Tenth Sunday
after Trinity**

Services Today

8.00am Holy Communion

8.30am Morning Prayer

10.00am Parish Eucharist *with
baptism of Harper-Hope*

6.30pm Evening Prayer

Today's Hymns

623 Eternal Father, strong to save

324 Jesus calls us: o'er the tumult

621 Dear Lord and Father of mankind

664 How sweet the name of Jesus sounds

593 At the name of Jesus

Today's Readings

1 Kings 19. 9-18

Psalm 85. 8-13

Romans 10. 5-15

Matthew 14. 22-33

Collect

Let your merciful ears, O Lord, be open to the prayers of your humble servants; and that they may obtain their petitions make them to ask such things as shall please you; 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 85

℟ Show us your mercy, O Lord, and grant us your salvation.

Please pray for...

We pray for the sick and the suffering among them: Ian White, Suzanne M, Wendy & Geoff McCallum, Madeleine V, Sylvia V, Clive Page, Sheila Markham, Jean B, Alexander W. Ruth S

We pray for the faithful departed among them: Jodi Tuppen, Rebecca Holton

We pray for those whose anniversary of death occurs at this time: Audrey Elphick, Keith Rowlands, Agnes Haffenden, Irene Fricker, Arthur (David) Norris, Charles Rees, Rona Baker, David Paul Mayoss, Oliver Keef, Bertha Thorogood, Kenneth Williams, Peter O'Connor, Maureen Gallini, Emmy Woolvett, David Marchant

Post Communion Prayer

God of our pilgrimage, you have willed that the gate of mercy should stand open for those who trust in you: look upon us with your favour that we who follow the path of your will may never wander from the way of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Notices

Prayer and Laying on of Hands after the service in the Ratton Chapel. We will also be praying collectively for our local community and for situations across the world, there will also be an opportunity for anointing available.

Mothers Union was founded 150 years ago this year by Mary Sumner. Celebrate with Willingdon MU on the 11th August. 10.15am in Willingdon Hall for tea/coffee followed by the service at 11am at St Mary, Willingdon. Then, in the hall again for a bring your own picnic, raffle, laughter and chat, tea/coffee and cake supplied. All very welcome.

Parish Outing to Guildford Cathedral there are still 3 spaces remaining, if you would still like to join, the cost is £33.50 each (Payable to Willingdon PCC). Please contact Trevor (07484 274858)

Breast Cancer Now Afternoon Tea there are several people within our churches who are being treated presently for Breast Cancer or have been treated in the past. We will therefore be holding an Afternoon Tea on the 29th August at 2.30pm at St Peter's to raise much needed funds for Breast Cancer Now! Anthony has very kindly offered to play the organ and there will be plenty of very delicious homemade cakes! Please do try and support this event - we are not charging but there will be donation opportunities on the day!

Single Friendship Group meeting for August are: 12.30pm on the 17th lunch at the Smugglers, 10am on the 24th at the Hikers Rest (TBC) and 10am on the 31st coffee at the Arlington Tea Rooms (TBC). Please let Trevor know if you would like to join. (07484 274858)

Parish office will be closed 11th-13th August. For all enquiries, please email the office and they will be answered on Carl's return.

Thank you to all our church family who came to celebrate our wedding on the 1st August. We had a truly incredible day and wanted to thank everyone who came, helped and supported to make the church, the atmosphere and the day so special. We are now busy exploring Sri Lanka on our honeymoon! Mr & Mrs Berry

St Mary's Singers and friends are presenting a concert on 5th September at 3:30pm at St Mary, Willingdon. The programme has something for all tastes, sacred and secular. Items will include the Prayer of St Richard of Chichester, Seal Lullaby & Carole King's - You've got a friend. With vocal & instrumental solos too. Admission's free with a collection for the Heritage Fund and refreshments available.

Save the Date

19th August Taizé Eucharist 7pm @ St Mary, Willingdon

21st August Fr Danny's Birthday Party – 7.00pm @ Eastbourne Town Hall

22nd August Pevensey Mini Pilgrimage – 10.30am Starting at St Wilfrid's Church, Pevensey Bay

22nd August Family Fun Day 1pm @ St Peter, The Hydneye

29th August Afternoon Tea in aid of Breast Cancer Research 2.30pm @ St Peter, The Hydneye

8th September Mass 'n' Chips & Nativity of BVM Patronal Festival 6pm @ St Mary, Hampden Park

10th September Fragments of Church History – Exhibit 6pm @ St Mary, Hampden Park (until 22nd October)

19th September Archive Exhibition 10.30am-4pm @ St Mary, Willingdon

10th October Fragments of Church History – Quiet Day 10.15am @ St Mary, Hampden Park

3rd July 2027! Summer Fair @ St Mary, Willingdon