

WHAT'S ON

St Peter's is open from 9.00am – 12 noon Mon – Fri and Sundays 11.30am – 6.00pm
All Souls' is open from 9.00am – 6.00pm on Tue & Sun

Tonight	7.00pm	Y3	St Mark's
Tuesday 8 May	9.00am	Morning Prayer	All Souls'
Tuesday 8 May	9.00am	Hearing Aid Clinic	St Peter's
Tuesday 8 May	10.00am	Tots	St Mark's
Tuesday 8 May	2.15pm	Women's Fellowship	St Mark's
Tuesday 8 May	7.45pm	All Souls' DCC	Church Room
Wednesday 9 May	8.00am	Morning Prayer	St Mark's
Wednesday 9 May	10.00am	Sparks	Church Centre
Wednesday 9 May	2.00pm	Craft and Chat	Church Centre
Wednesday 9 May	5.30pm	Brownies	Church Centre
Thursday 10 May	9.00am	Morning Prayer	St Peter's
ASCENSION DAY			
Thurs 10 May	7.30pm	Holy Communion	St Mark's
Sunday 13 May	5.00pm	L8 (Note time!)	St Peter's

Sunday 13 May - Easter 7

9.30am	<u>All Souls'</u>	Holy Communion (BCP)
10.00am	<u>St Peter's</u>	All-Age Worship
11.00am	<u>St Mark's</u>	Holy Communion (CW)
6.30pm	<u>St Peter's</u>	Holy Communion (BCP)

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Notes & News

Sunday 6 May 2018 Easter 6

"As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Now remain in my love. If you keep my commands, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commands and remain in his love. I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete." John 15: 9-11

* THY KINGDOM COME: THURSDAY 10 – SUNDAY 20 MAY

We are joining in with this national prayer initiative and by running the events below, which we hope many of you will join in with. More information on the handouts in each church or from Jonathan or Bev. In addition there are 'Novena' booklets in each church for personal daily prayer.

Thursday 10 May 7.30pm at St Mark's - Ascension Day Service

Thursday 10 May to Sunday 20 May 9am-9pm at St Peter's -
Prayer stations for creative private prayer

Thursday 17 May 7.45pm at St Mark's - Parish Prayer meeting

Sunday 20 May 11.30am at St Peter's, 12.30pm at Triggs lock -
Pilgrimage Walk to Guildford Cathedral

Sunday 20 May 4.00pm-8.00pm at Guildford Cathedral -
Thy Kingdom Come Prayer Festival

* BEREAVEMENT DROP-IN CAFÉ *

A gentle reminder that the next meeting of the Bereavement Drop-in Café is on **Tuesday 15 May, at 3.00pm** in St Peter's Church Centre.

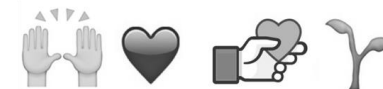


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St Peter's Church Old Woking
St Mark's Church Westfield

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*** ST PETER'S ***

10.00am **HOLY COMMUNION (CW)**
HYMNS 428 619 1157 784
EPISTLE 1 John 5: 1-6 (p1228)
GOSPEL John 15: 9-17 (p1083)
SERMON **Such Love**

3.30pm **BAPTISM of Archie Helyar**
 Theodore James Lant and
 Max Matthew John Treharne

6.30pm **EVENING PRAYER (BCP)**
HYMNS 428 37 619 501
PSALM 98 said from the Bible (p603)
CANTICLE Cantate Domino
FIRST READING 1 John 5: 1-6 (p1228)
SECOND READING John 15: 9-17 (p1083)
SERMON **Such Love**

*** ALL SOULS' ***
9.30am **ALL-AGE WORSHIP**

*** ST MARK'S ***
11.00am **ALL-AGE WORSHIP**

FELLOWSHIP LUNCH

Next Sunday 13 May, we will be having Steak and Ale Pie (no kidney) with mashed potato and seasonal veg, followed by Lemon and ginger cheesecake. Speak to Helen or Martin after the service today if you would like your name added to the list, or contact Helen in the office during the week.

FOSTERING AND ADOPTION INFORMATION EVENT

The Coign Church, together with Surrey County Council, are holding a Fostering and Adoption Information Event on Wednesday 16 May at 7.30pm at the Coign Church, Church Street West, Woking GU21 6DJ. Just go along or speak to Jonathan for more information.

*** WOKING AND SAM BEARE HOSPICES FLOWER FESTIVAL ***

Saturday 19 May at Chobham Village Hall GU24 8AQ – from 10.00am – 2.30pm
Due to popular demand we will again be holding the Flower Festival in May 2018. We look forward to welcoming visitors to enjoy the lovely arrangements and browse the other attractions. This year's theme for the Flower Festival is *Memories*. The event is a much-loved event for the whole community.

On the day visitors can enjoy a raffle of selected of table arrangements, a home-made cake stall, home-made jams & chutneys, plants, Tombola and a silent auction. Why not stay for refreshments whilst deciding on the arrangement you like the most in the 'Public Vote'. All the arrangements are donated by local churches/flower clubs, WI groups and individuals.

We look forward to seeing our regular visitors and hopefully some new faces too. For further details contact Chrissie on 01276 858067 / 07719 274899

*** COMMUNITY AUDIT: RE-IMAGINING OUR CHURCHES ***

As custodians of the gospel of our Lord, Jesus Christ, we are all called by God to respond imaginatively to the challenges to growth in numbers and growth in the Christian faith. Now, imagine our three churches in the year 2025. *Would you like to see them transformed by significant growth both spiritually and numerically?* If so, why not become part of a small team to prayerfully plan the proposed Community Audit, aimed at identifying how we can better engage with our local community. Please contact Rev Bev for further details.

*** CRAFT AND CHAT ***

Craft and Chat is this coming Wednesday 9 May in the Church Centre from 2.00pm to 4.00pm. All are welcome to bring along their craft projects or come for a chat over a cup of tea or coffee. For those that would like to do so there will be an opportunity to prepare knitted crosses for a prayer station for the *Thy Kingdom Come* event. I will provide the materials. More information from Pauline Wilde – 722098.

*** CHILDREN'S AND FAMILIES' MINISTER ***

Following interviews of two candidates on Wednesday 25 April we are delighted to announce that we have appointed Robin Jones as our Children's and Families Minister. Robin is currently a children's and families worker in Cowplain, Hampshire and in his final year of an Applied Theology degree at Moorlands Bible College. Robin is married to Jenny and he will be starting in the parish in August.

VICAR'S VIEW

Studying the book of Ruth in our Connect Group this week we saw the incredible loyalty Ruth shows to her foreign mother-in-law Naomi. Loyalty is one of those many 'old-fashioned' values, that has diminished in recent times. There is no loyalty in the workplace any more for an employer to an employee and vice versa. Profit and ambition are higher values to society than loyalty. Who has shown loyalty to you and how have you shown it back? God has an incredible loyalty to us, his children. How do we show it in return, to him and to his church? Jonathan

*** YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED ***

for the family and friends of St Mark's member Molly Groundsell, aged 87, of Honeypots Road. Molly's funeral will take place at St Andrew's, Goldsworth Park on Tuesday 5 June at 2.30pm.

*** CONNECT GROUP CHANGE ***

The Wednesday evening Connect Group has unfortunately lost several regular members. A small group of us would like the group to continue and would love to have some new people join us. We are happy to meet on either WEDNESDAY or THURSDAY evenings, fortnightly; we will go for the day that suits most people.

If you would like to join a lively group for Bible Study, discussion of topical issues, prayer and fellowship, and of course coffee and chat, please contact Rosemary McCrum on 772735 or rosemary.mccrum@ntlworld.com.

*** SOUTH WOKING FUN DAY – FACE PAINTERS REQUIRED ***

Are you able to do face painting? Do you have a heart for blessing the community? Are you free on Saturday 30 June? If so then we need you. Please let Jonathan or Louise Morales (834289) know if you can help in this way.