

10th March 2019

1st Sunday of Lent

Welcome to St Andrew's!

If this is the first time you are joining us please do introduce yourself to one of the clergy or someone with a name badge. If you would like more information on anything at St Andrew's please leave your details on the welcome card on the desk. Members of all Christian churches are most welcome to receive Holy Communion. We have an audio loop in the church and large print versions of our service booklet are available. Please use a yellow Gift Aid envelope if you would like to make a donation. There is a WC in the corner of the church, just past the organ. We hope you enjoy the service.

8am Holy Communion

Presiding: Mike Branscombe
Preaching: Charleen Hollington
Intercessor: Joan Bingley
Reader: Dominic Combe

10am Parish Communion

Presiding: Mike Branscombe
Preaching: Charleen Hollington
Intercessor: Robert Brewer
Reader: David Robinson and Cathy Whitnall

6pm Evensong @ St Mary's

Presiding: Godfrey Hilliard

Friday 15th March

10:30am Holy Communion

Presiding & Preaching:
Charleen Hollington

Kids' Church is a time of teaching, fun and worship for children and young people. We have activities available for children from the age of 2 to 13 and up. Please enter through the main door of Church Gate House. Children join their families to worship together for the last part of the service. **Parents should meet their children at the Church's main door at the start of Holy Communion.**

At the back of the Church there is an activity space for very small children.

REFRESHMENTS Tea & Coffee will be served after the 10am family service in Church Gate House by Edna Tipping and Beryl Mooney. Please do join us.



Spiritual Cinema

The Greatest Showman (PG)

Wednesday 13th at 7pm

Refreshments & discussions

Everyone welcome

**2018 Annual Review is now available
via the website or in hardcopy**

This week's prayers and readings:

Service Booklets:

8am:

Eucharistic Prayer E

10am:

Eucharistic Prayer H

Readings:

8am & 10am:

Deuteronomy 26:1-11
(OT 194)

Romans 10:8b-13
(NT 170)

Luke 4:1-13 (NT 65)

Collect for

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Heavenly Father, your
Son battled with the
powers of darkness,
and grew closer to you
in the desert

help us to use these
days to grow in wisdom
and prayer that we may
witness to your saving
love in Jesus Christ our
Lord. Amen

Praying For:

- Charleen and Mike as they lead our services today. Pray that God will speak to us through their words as we worship together.
- For everyone involved in Kids' Church this morning.
- Those reading, playing and singing during our Worship.

Pastoral/Church

- Those in our congregation who are ill, facing treatment, recovering from an operation or who are lonely.
- Remembering Peggy Hyland who is unwell.
- Claudia Hollington still having to copy with her jaw wired.
- Dorothy Mitchell who has broken her hand in a fall.
- The plans and preparations for Holiday Club, *Backpackers* in April. As the news of the club spreads that God will touch the hearts of the families he would like to attend.
- Lent course starting on Wednesday.
- Plans and promotion of the Easter High Tea.
- The residents of Fairbourne, Nightingale Close, Green Lane and Queensgate.
- For the work of Christian Aid, and for a right use of the distribution of the funds raised, and for all who volunteer to collect on behalf of this and other agencies.
- For the work of the 'Outward Giving' committee of the PCC.
- The Brexit vote on Tuesday, that all Christians in Parliament will prayerfully consider their choices.
- Safety for all young people and for wisdom for those seeking to deescalate the knife crime situation.
- The rising tensions and developing humanitarian crisis in Venezuela.
- The ongoing crisis' in war torn Syria and Yemen.

Stations of the Cross

The pictures have been put up around the Church. The title of each picture can be found on the card on the window cill near Station 1, which is on the South Wall next to the Kitchen.

This week's notices:

LENT COURSE The Lent Course will run for 5 weeks, starts on Wednesday mornings between 11:30am – 1pm and then be repeated at 7:30-9pm in the evening. *The Bible Course Explore The Big Story*, no prior Bible knowledge required. Our Lent Group will be accessible and interactive, it will enhance and inform your ongoing Bible study, whether you are new to the Bible or want to go deeper. Using a storyline, the course shows how the key events, books and characters all fit together. You'll get to see the BIG picture and discover how the Bible applies to your life. So don't just give something up for Lent, try something new, come and join the Lent Group at St. Andrew's

CAP DEBT CENTRE MANAGER *Are you a committed Christian looking for a role in helping people become debt free and change their lives for the better?* Christians Against Poverty (CAP) in Mole Valley are looking for a Debt Centre Manager, working 16 hours a week. If you are an organized person and a good administrator, with a passion for working with poor and vulnerable people, and if you are confident in sharing the gospel and praying with people, this job could be for you. If you are interested or would like more information please contact Ian Causebrook (ian@causebrook.co.uk tel 07799 703917). Closing date for applications is 16 April.

HAND WRITING VOLUNTEER NEEDED Robert Brewer has faithfully served for many years, by recording the names of the ashes buried in the Memorial Garden in our memorial book, which is displayed by the Memorial Chapel. Robert would now like a hand with this task, which amounts to approximately 6 entries a year. If you have beautiful hand writing and could help please contact Robert or Elaine in the office.

MOTHERING SUNDAY Would you like to give a gift in thanks for your Mother? The Mothers' Union is an international Christian membership movement, actively supporting families in the UK and around the world. They have a range of inspiring ethical gifts ranging from £6 to £100. When you buy a gift for your mother or in memory of your mother, you will be helping other women around the world learn literacy skills, start a business, gain parenting skills, or support members who are running homework centres. You can choose your gift from the catalogue on the table at the entrance to the church or contact Jenny Vickers on 01932 862497 or jenny.vickers@gmail.com. The MU will send you a gift card to send to your mother or if your Mother is no longer with you they will send you an "in memory" card, or you can ask for your mother's name to be written in the book of remembrance in the Mothers' Union chapel.

2019 Holiday Club, Bible Backpackers, running between 9th – 11th April. Lots of fun activities, crafts, songs and games following some great bible journeys. Spaces will be limited so please book early with Esther or Elaine in the office.

THE FOOD BANK Demand is still high and the team would be most grateful for donations of: Tinned potatoes, Marmalade, Fruit juice (UHT/Long life), Instant coffee (large), Fruit squash, Biscuits, Custard, Men's deodorant, Chocolate spread and Shampoo.

SPRING GARDEN CLEAR UP please save the date for the annual Spring Garden and Church Yard clear up. We will be meeting on the morning of the 30th March. Adults only with power tools between 8:30 – 10:30am. Everyone welcome to help from 10:30am (no power tools to be used after 10:30am). Refreshments will be available.

Sunday 17th March – 2nd Sunday of Lent

8am Holy Communion Presiding: Charleen Hollington Preaching: Mike Branscombe	10am Parish Communion Presiding: Charleen Hollington Preaching: Mike Branscombe	6pm Evensong Presiding: Godfrey Hilliard
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Upcoming Events

Tuesday 12 th	9am	Morning Prayer
Wednesday 13 th	9am 10:30am 11:30-1pm 7pm	Morning Prayer Baby Talk Lent Course (1 of 5) Repeated at 7:30pm Spiritual Cinema – <i>The Greatest Showman (pg)</i>
Thursday 14 th	2:30pm	T4U – Informal afternoon tea & conversation
Friday 15 th	10:30am	Holy Communion
Saturday 16 th	Morning	Visiting Bell Ringers
Sunday 17 th	8am 10am	Holy Communion Parish Communion
Tuesday 19 th	9am 6pm	Morning Prayer Cobham Free School – Spring Concert
Wednesday 20 th	9am 10:30am 11:30-1pm	Morning Prayer Baby Talk Lent Course (2 of 5) Repeated at 7:30pm
Thursday 21 st	10:30am	Cranleigh U3A visiting the Church
Friday 22 nd	10:30am	Holy Communion
Sunday 24 th	8am 10am 12:15pm	Holy Communion Parish Communion Holy Communion
Monday 25 th	8pm	St Andrew's Prayer Meeting