



The Whitewater Benefice

The Churches of Heckfield, Hook, Mattingley & Rotherwick



Trinity 7 - Sunday 18th July 2021

8.30am - Holy Communion at Mattingley (In Church)

Bookings via Website or phone Shona

<https://whitewaterchurches.co.uk/services/book-places/>

10.00am – Live Morning Worship (Zoom)

The Services page will contain a link to the Zoom meeting

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12 noon - Junior Church Picnic at Hartletts Park

For a church family picnic, children and their brothers and sisters and parents/carers are warmly invited. Meeting near play area for food, fun and games. There will be no Zoom Junior Church this week unless the weather is not appropriate for a picnic. If you wish to come along, please let Jonathan know (jonathan.d.bushman@gmail.com).

6pm Holy Communion at Hook (In Church)
Bookings via Website, phone Shona or just come!

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Readings: Ephesians 2.11-end with Mark 6.30-34, 53-end and Collect Prayer

Generous God, you give us gifts and make them grow: though our faith is small as mustard seed, make it grow to your glory and the flourishing of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Private Prayer

Lady Chapel at St John’s Church is open for Prayer this week

8.30am – 6pm DAILY with Covid restrictions.

Daily & Community Prayer

On Zoom – Mondays and Fridays at 8.30am. Do join with the link on website calendar.

Lady Chapel – every day open from 8.30am to 6pm – with social distancing

WhatsApp – prayer group continues 24/7 for which we are so grateful

Mothers’ Prayers – First Monday of the month (2nd Aug) at 10.30am, in the Lady Chapel. Come to join Carol-Anne Morris, but please might you let her know you are coming? email: carol-annemorris@outlook.com

Wednesday Worship by Zoom – 10am

All are welcome. Zoom code to join. Meeting ID: 825 3872 5640 Passcode: 101010.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82538725640?pwd=OUVnTmxERl9yYjJkVWVWNRlTlhL000dz09>

HMR Churches from 1st August

1st Sunday @ Heckfield 10.30 am with organ

2nd Sunday @ Rotherwick 8.30 am BCP, 10.30 am Family Praise, 6.30 pm Evening Prayer/Evensong

3rd Sunday @ Mattingley 8.30 am BCP, 10.30 am with organ

4th Sunday @ Heckfield 8.30 am BCP, 10.30 am with organ, 6.30 pm Evening Prayer/Evensong

5th Sunday, Benefice services tbc

Please note: Continued measures in place to facilitate good social distancing and covid safe practice - hand sanitiser for those who choose it and we will encourage people to wear facemasks while moving around the church but not while in their pews. We are looking forward to singing as we worship. Holy Communion will continue to be administered in Covid safe way with celebrant bringing the prepared wafers to individuals as they remain in the pews. We understand that while this is welcome news for many people there are others for whom this will be a time of increased anxiety. We do not wish to exclude anyone from attending, so if you have any concerns/particular needs please contact Shona or relevant church warden. We will do everything we can to worship safely in our church buildings.

YCCN relay G7 to COP26

YCCN relay G7 to COP26 The Young Christian Climate Network relay from the G7 summit in Cornwall to COP26 talks in Glasgow (Nov) passes through our diocese Sun 25th - Tues 27th Jul. YCCN is an action-focused community of young Christians, 18-30, who follow Jesus in the pursuit of climate justice. We are all invited to join in, walk part of the route - Sun 25th Winchester to New Alresford; Mon 26th New Alresford to B'stoke; Tue 27th B'stoke to Tadley. See them off: Win (Sun 25th) or B'stoke (Tues 27th)? <http://www.yccn.uk>
Some church family are going.

Worship and Study Themes for July & August

Each Sunday in July and August we continue to look at God's word to us through the letter to the Ephesians.

Small Groups Meeting on Zoom or In person

Weds afternoon KYB - 1-2.30pm, Rebecca (01256) 762980. Study: Ephesians

Weds am Ecumenical Bible Group - 11am-12noon, Jennie 07803 505265. Study: "Following in the footsteps of Jesus", where he went, the miracles he performed and his teaching.

Weds eve Living Flame – 8pm (1st and 3rd Wed of the month): Nikki Wild

07766 004964 for Zoom link. Study: Jonah

Thurs eve – Fellowship Group - 7.30-9.30pm, Study: "Notorious" by Jeff Lucas looking at rogues, scoundrels and scallywags of scripture. All welcome jonathan.d.bushman@gmail.com
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84329748317?pwd=O2lpcHdtRFFOU3hzbGFBMmZCSTdUZz09>

Fri eve – 8pm. St John's Choir, Stephen Davies (01256) 764574

Plastic Free July – now! Join in!

Be part of the solution choosing to refuse single-use plastics! St John's is again supporting this campaign as part of our commitment to be responsible stewards of God's Creation. There will be hints/tips on how to go plastic-less, and the chance to take the Paper Bag challenge. If you are not sure what plastics you can change, why not take the Pesky Plastics Quiz? <http://plasticfreejuly.org>

Hart Food Bank Latest Requests for this Week

Please deliver items to Life Church. Bags of sweets/chocolates, Tinned stews, casseroles, chilli, stewed steak, meatballs etc. and Jars of coffee. <http://www.hart.foodbank.org.uk/>

Friendship Café Every Thursday @ St John's Hook at 10.30am

Do please be invited to join and renew old friendships and make new ones.

Messy Church on Zoom – Fri 16th July from 3.45pm

Families across the benefice are welcome. Please contact Jennie on - 07803 505265 for Zoom code.

Community Garden at St John's – Sat 17th July, 9am-12noon

Herbs, bugs and cake! Come along and help decorate the first bed of our Community Garden.

Thursday Fellowship Group BBQ @ St John's – Sat 24th July 5-9pm

Anyone who wishes to join the group/hear more about the weekly discussions, are very welcome to come along. Please contact Jonathan jonathan.d.bushman@gmail.com

St John's Charities

Each year St John's is proud to support a local/national, charity and an international charity through a financial donation. In July, we start the process of choosing the charities to support for the next 3 years. To nominate a charity/charities that you feel St John's should support, click on "**Name your charity**" on the Benefice website homepage.

Bluebell Café @ Holdshott Farm Opening – Fri 6th Aug, 2-4pm

And every Friday thereafter. Refreshments/ activities provided for people with dementia and their carers and indeed anyone who feels lonely/needs support. Come for the whole time or drop in as you wish. Rosie's Tearoom, Heckfield RG27 0JZ, on the B3011. A sign will be displayed by the road at the end of the drive. For more information please call Rosie Mandry 0118 9326266/ Ron O'Keefe 01252 843472/ David Nodder 01256 211508.

Children's Activity Club at St John's - 2nd & 3rd Sept, 10am-1pm

The Youth and Families team are organising children's activity club on the theme 'Team builders' at the end of the summer holidays. Day 1 - "Joseph and his brothers" and Day 2 - "Jesus and friends". Activities for children of all ages, although we ask an adult to accompany children under 5yrs. If your child is interested/you would be able to offer your time to help please let Jonathan (jonathan.d.bushman@gmail.com) know.

New Wine @ St John's Hartley Wintney & St Peter's Yateley

At St John's HW (in the mornings - with children's groups) and St Peter's Yateley (in the evenings with youth stuff). Details here: <https://www.northhampshirebreaksout.com/>

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Thank you to everyone for your donations and support for our ministry and mission. Please check our website <https://whitewaterchurches.co.uk/giving> for different ways to contribute including online donations to either PCC. We are so grateful. **Treasurers:** please do contact our treasurers: For Hook PCC: Caroline Bushman email: hooktreasurer@whitewaterchurches.co.uk (01256) 959699. For Heckfield, Mattingley and Rotherwick PCC: John Platt, johnplatt1@gmail.com (01256) 762243.

Prayers For Today And The Coming Weeks

See: <https://whitewaterchurches.co.uk/resources/prayers/>

Prayers for Prayers for all who are anxious as the lockdown restrictions ease.

Those in need of prayer: John Clements, Nicky, Ivor and Kathy Williams, Lorna Nodder, Joyce Baldock, Melanie, her niece, Joan Mandry, Rosie Mandry, Trevor Owen, Ron and Gilly O'Keeffe, Alan Instone (had a fall)

Those who recently died Pauline Edmonds (Hook), Ted Hare (Hook), Antony Hunter (Hook), Derek Martin, father in law to Jennie Martin

We love to pray for people who ask for prayer, but please do ask Marion first, so that we understand the situation, and we know that the person in need has given their permission to publish their name here. We shall continue to pray for people in our Years' Mind for 2 years after their passing, and then request that their family confirm with us that you would like us to continue. Thanks so much.

Contact Us

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Benefice Office	Rebecca Ratnasamy: Contact (01256) 760169 at St John's, Hook. office@whitewaterchurches.co.uk Benefice Office hours 9.30 a.m. - 12.30 p.m. Mon - Fri. Although the office itself remains closed to visitors emails will be responded to between these times. Normal opening will resume as and when government guidelines permit.
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