

# The Parish of St George's, Benenden

*Our Mission: "To know and love Jesus and make his love known to all"*

## Our Worship – Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June

### Trinity Sunday

**Collect:** Almighty and everlasting God, you have given us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity and in the power of the divine majesty to worship the Unity: keep us steadfast in this faith, that we may evermore be defended from all adversities; 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.

**8.00 am HOLY COMMUNION**  
led by Revd David Commander

**10.00 am SUNG EUCHARIST**  
led by Revd David Commander, Revd Craig Huxley & Vicki Young

**Bible Readings:**  
Romans 5.1-5  
John 16.12-15

HYMNS	
637	From all that dwell below the skies
791	The God of Abraham praise
364	Jesus lead us to the Father
Communion anthem	Holy Holy Holy Holy - Schubert
Communion hymn - 630	Father Lord of all creation
276	Holy Holy Holy

**4.00 pm MESSY CHURCH BBQ AT THE RECTORY**

#### The Week Ahead

Monday 17 <sup>th</sup>	8.00 am	Morning Prayer
	9.00 am	BPS Assembly
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup>	8.00 am	Morning Prayer at Sandhurst Mission Church
	10.00 am	Holy Communion at Sandhurst Mission Church led by Revd David Commander <i>No Benenden Home Group today</i>
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup>	8.00 am	Morning Prayer at Sandhurst Mission Church
	7.30 pm	Home Group at Sandhurst Mission Church
	7.45 pm	Bell Ringing Practice
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup>	9.30-11.30 am	BPS Music Lessons
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup>	8.00 am	Morning Prayer
	9.00 am	Cakes & Chaos
	3.00 pm	BPS Assembly
	5.30 pm	Wedding Rehearsal
	6.45 pm	Choir Practice
	8.00 pm	Monthly Bell Ringing Practice
Saturday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	2.00 pm	Wedding of Jordan Bingham & Ellen Fletcher

**Sunday Next: 23<sup>rd</sup> June – First Sunday after Trinity**

*Readings: Galatians 3.23-29, Luke 8.26-39*

**8.00 am Holy Communion** led by Revd David Commander

**10.00 am Morning Worship** led by Jacqueline Hewitt & Karen Booth-Clibborn

**Readings: Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June**

**Romans 5.1-5**

**Results of Justification**

<sup>5</sup>Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>2</sup>through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. <sup>3</sup>And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, <sup>4</sup>and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, <sup>5</sup>and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

**John 16.12-15**

<sup>12</sup> 'I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. <sup>13</sup>When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. <sup>14</sup>He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. <sup>15</sup>All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

**Home Groups:** The Tuesday Home Group meets at 8pm at David and Julia Collard's. **NB: There will be no meeting this week, Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June.** The Wednesday Home Group meets at 7.30pm at Sandhurst Mission Church. All are welcome to both Home Groups.

**Prayers: It is with sadness** that I have to pass on the news that our dear Joy (Bates) passed away, at her home in Tenterden, on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June. Please hold Joy, her nieces Diana and Joanna, and the church family who will be affected by Joy's passing in your prayers. Joy had evidently spoken to Barbara Royle earlier in the day, had a small lunch, and a walk along the corridor at home with a carer, before returning and settling into her chair. A little while later she had passed quietly away. Arrangements have still to be made regarding the funeral; all I can pass on at the moment is that the funeral service will take place at St George's. As soon as the date and time of the funeral has been agreed I will, of course, make this known. Revd David.

**Benefice Services: Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June**

**8am Benefice Communion at St Nicholas, Sandhurst**  
**10am All Age Communion at St George's, Benenden**

**'Raising Faith' – Conference at St Mary's Church, Goudhurst**  
**Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2019 from 9.30am to 4.15pm**

This conference is aimed at church leaders, youth workers, parents, grandparents, teachers - everyone with a concern for the future faith of our children and young people.

Speakers include Ali Campbell, from The Resource,

Jo Squires from Youth for Christ and Gareth Hillier from Care for the Family.

Tickets are £20 each, including lunch and refreshments.

See <http://bit.ly/raisingfaith> for details and to book. Booklets & posters in church.

## Proposed Relocation of Memorial Plaque



The above plaque is on the wall at the west end of St George's Church. The PCC are discussing with the Archdeacon the possibility of having this plaque moved to the north wall of the bellringing chamber as it concerns the rehung of the bells in 1971. In order to do this we have been asked to contact any known descendants of the Vicar and Churchwardens as shown on the plaque. Obviously, we know about Robert Reynolds' family, but does anyone in the village know of any family members of Lionel Man and Revd Jessop Price? We do have some information but no contact details. If anyone can help us please contact Julia Collard on 01580 241944.

## Flower Festival at St Peter's Church, Newenden Friday 28<sup>th</sup> – Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June Opening Times and Programme

### Friday

7.00 pm Welcome by Rev Chris Hodgkins and refreshments  
7.30 pm Talk by Åke Nilson on the history of Saint Peter's Church  
Tickets £5 to include a welcoming drink and canapés

### Saturday *Church open 10.30 am - 5.30 pm*

Stalls in the church yard

10.30 - 11.30 am Morning coffee  
11.00 am Coffee with Jane Ashton, the former High Sheriff of Kent  
1.00 & 3.00 pm Guided tours of the flower themes and readings by Ellen Hannavy-Cousen  
3.00 - 5.00 pm Cream teas  
7.30 pm An evening of musical entertainment with the Andy Ferguson Jazz Trio, and young singers performing songs from the West End  
Tickets £7.50 to include a welcoming drink and canapés

### Sunday *Church open 10.30 am - 5.30 pm*

Stalls in the church yard

10.30 - 11.30 am Morning coffee  
3.00 - 5.00 pm Cream teas and music



**11<sup>th</sup> Annual Richard Beattie Davis Sandhurst Musical Events  
for Hospice in the Weald... On SATURDAY JULY 27<sup>th</sup> at 3pm**

Daniel Grimwood will be performing at this year`s garden party event.

The interesting programme will consist of Dvorak, Brahms, Henselt and a Kent premiere of a special piece where the piano resembles a sitar, composed by Daniel`s mentor, Peter Feuchtwanger.

Tickets by donation (minimum £17)

Reservations in advance only from Gillian Davis 01580-850384

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