

The Parish of St George's, Benenden

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

Our Worship – Sunday 4th August

Seventh Sunday after Trinity

Collect: Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; 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 Rosemary Kobus van Wengen

10.00 am ALL AGE COMMUNION
led by Revd David Commander

Bible Readings:
Colossians 3.1-11
Luke 12.13-21

HYMNS	
584	All my hope on God is founded
725	Make me a channel
566	Put peace into each other's hands
Communion hymn - 775	Seek ye first
Communion hymn- 358	Be still for the presence
787	Take my life and let it be

4.00 pm Choir Practice

5.00 pm CHORAL EVENSONG
led by Revd David Commander
Psalm 107.1-12. Readings: Genesis 50.4-end, 1 Corinthians 14.1-19

HYMNS & MUSIC	
Canticles	Chant
Anthem	Hymn study
Responses	Chant
580	Judge eternal
451	Just as I am
648ii	God of grace and God of glory

The Week Ahead

Monday 5 th	8.00 am	Morning Prayer at St George's
Tuesday 6 th	8.00 am	Morning Prayer at Sandhurst Mission Church
	10.00 am	Holy Communion at Sandhurst Mission Church led by Revd David Commander
Wednesday 7 th	10.30 am	U3A Visit to St George's
	8.00 am	Morning Prayer at Sandhurst Mission Church
	10.00 am	Coffee Shop at the Memorial Hall
Friday 9 th	19.45 pm	Bell Ringing Practice
	8.00 am	Morning Prayer at St George's
	9.00 am to 12 noon	Drop in Café / Cakes & Chaos -Toddler Groups'
	12 noon	Summer Meeting at the Rectory
	6.45 pm	Choir Practice
	8.00 pm	Bell Ringing Practice (tbc)

Sunday Next: 11th August – Eighth Sunday after Trinity

Readings: Hebrews 11.1-3,8-16, Luke 12.32-40

8.00 am 1662 BCP Holy Communion led by Revd David Commander

10.00 am Morning Worship led by Rickie Bishop

5.00 pm Evening Prayer at Sandhurst Mission Church led by Revd David Commander

Readings: Sunday 4th August – All Age Communion

Colossians 3.1-11

The New Life in Christ

³So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. ²Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, ³for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. ⁴When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

⁵ Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). ⁶On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. ⁷These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. ⁸But now you must get rid of all such things—anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. ⁹Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices ¹⁰and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. ¹¹In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

Luke 12.13-21

The Parable of the Rich Fool

¹³ Someone in the crowd said to him, 'Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me.' ¹⁴But he said to him, 'Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?' ¹⁵And he said to them, 'Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions.' ¹⁶Then he told them a parable: 'The land of a rich man produced abundantly. ¹⁷And he thought to himself, "What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?" ¹⁸Then he said, "I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. ¹⁹And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry." ²⁰But God said to him, "You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?" ²¹So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich towards God.'

Home Groups: The Tuesday Home Group meets at 8pm in Benenden, usually at Julia and David Collard's. The Wednesday Home Group meets at 7.30pm at Sandhurst Mission Church. Both Home Groups now have a break for the summer holidays. The Tuesday Benenden Group has a break for the next three weeks and will commence again on Tuesday 27th August.

***Cakes & Chaos, Benenden
& The Drop in Café & Toddler Group Sandhurst
Joint Summer Meet Up***

**Friday 9th August
9am – 12 noon**

**Parents, carers, babies & toddlers are welcome to join as in
The Rectory Garden, The Green, Benenden TN17 4DL
(If it is wet we will meet in St George's Church)**

**We do have a very friendly dog, called Barney, who will love meeting
you all!**

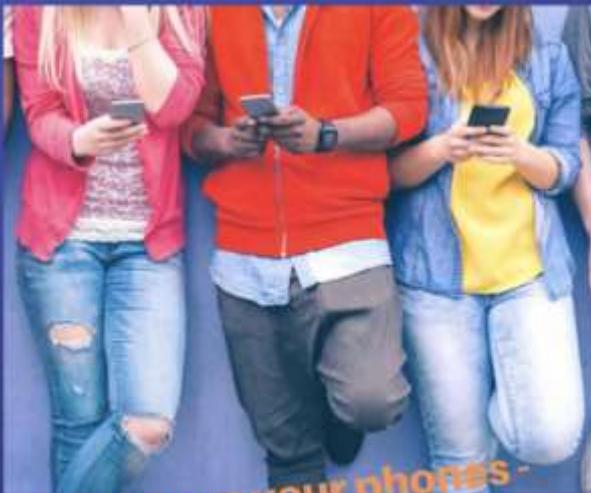
We meet again weekly from:

Wednesday 4th September

Drop in Café & Toddler Group at Sandhurst Mission Church, 9 - 11am in term time

Friday 6th September

Cakes & Chaos at St George's, 9 - 11 am in term time



**Put down your phones -
Come and have some fun
instead!**

**BLEND - TUESDAYS, AFTER
SCHOOL**

Mission Church



 Blend Sandhurst

 #BlendSMC

If your child would like to attend Blend after school on Tuesdays from 4 – 6pm in term time, please fill out this form and send it to vickijyoung40@gmail.com or Vicki Young, 3 Stumblets, Ballards Hill, Northiam, East Sussex TN31 6QT



Child's Name

Parent's Name

Parent's Phone Number

Email

Address

School

I am/am not happy for my details to be kept on St Nicholas' secure database

I am/am not happy for my child's picture to be used for Blend's publicity

Child's medical conditions?.....

Many thanks for returning this. We want to keep your child safe while they are at Blend, and look forward to welcoming them on Tuesday 10th September

**For more information, please contact
vickijyoung40@gmail.com**

Hospice in the Weald Musical Event in Sandhurst

Not even the rain could dampen our spirits when we listened to Daniel Grimwood present a unique recital that included a piano representation of an Indian Sitar, together with Dvorak, Henselt and Liszt. Daniel made a memorial tribute to Hilary Couch, who never missed our events, by playing one of my compositions. The `Nocturne` has never sounded more beautiful. We ended up having tea in the garage, but no one seemed to mind. My grateful thanks go to Maureen Sadler and Hamish and Cynthia Brown who dealt with the catering under difficult circumstances. The end result was a great success, raising £573 for Hospice in the Weald, after expenses. In addition, everyone had a lovely afternoon of music.

The next event is on Tuesday September 17th at 3pm.
 Tickets in advance only from Gillian Davis 01580-850384.

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