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'THE LOOKOUT'

SUNDAY 9TH JUNE 2019 – THE DAY OF PENTECOST



Pentecôte – Jean II Restout (1692-1768)

Many thanks to C-Side for sponsoring The Lookout this week

HYMNS THIS MORNING

ENTRANCE	105
GRADUAL	60
OFFERTORY	647
COMMUNION	524 & 467
FINAL	416

BEFORE THE PARISH EUCHARIST

Quiet, please, from 0955 *(a bell will be rung)*

"Talk to God before the service, and to one another afterwards"

The Collect (Opening Prayer) for the Day of Pentecost

God, who as at this time taught the hearts of your faithful people
by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit:

grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgement in all things
and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort;

through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour, who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Reading from the New Testament – Acts of the Apostles 2:1-21

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, 'Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power.' All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, 'What does this mean?' But others sneered and said, 'They are filled with new wine.' But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: 'Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

"In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh,
and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions,
and your old men shall dream dreams.

Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit;
and they shall prophesy.

And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below,
blood, and fire, and smoky mist.

The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood,
before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day.

Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

The Gospel Reading – John 14:8-17

Philip said to Jesus, 'Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.' Jesus said to him, 'Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, "Show us the Father"? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

'If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you for ever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.'

Prayers of Intercession

The sick and those who care for them: John Leech, Esmé von Habsburg, Andrew West, Susan, Jenny Edwards, Margaret Montagu, Deirdre West, Barbara Webb, Beryl Scott, Elizabeth Perkis, Pippa, Jill Crossland, Susan Wiltshire, David Sawyer, Jim Heath, Ian Aslett, Issam Geib, Phil Gervait, Anne Smith, Gwendoline Lee, Chloe Grenier, Sarah Neve, Jean Talbot

The recently departed: Thelma Bailes, Lily, Jean Johnson

Anniversaries of death this week: Florence Gibbs (9th); Harold Leigh (12th); Dudley Wells (13th); Stuart Birch (13th); John Blackman (14th); Jim Hayes (15th); Phyl Belbin (15th)

Post-communion Prayer

Faithful God, who fulfilled the promises of Easter by sending us your Holy Spirit and opening to every race and nation the way of life eternal:
open our lips by your Spirit, that every tongue may tell of your glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS – TRINITY SUNDAY

Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31; John 16:12-15

Related readings – Psalm 8; Romans 5:1-5



Urgently needed this week: Tinned fruit, tinned custard, Prince's tinned ham, toilet roll, chocolate, coffee, UHT milk, tinned spaghetti, jams/spreads, long life juice. Many thanks for your ongoing support of the Foodbank. Please pray for its work and volunteers, and for the increasing number of people who rely on its services and our donations.

C-Side Coffee Morning – Saturday 22nd June at 1100

Musical coffee and cakes morning in St Margaret's Cottage in aid of C-Side bowel cancer support group serving Brighton & Hove and East Sussex Areas. All are welcome!

School News Please pray for our children, staff and governors. www.stmargaretscofeprimary.co.uk

Village Fair – Saturday 3rd August

Prizes are needed, please, for the Children's Tombola. Please see Joyce Bourne or Marie Wilcockson.

Open Garden

The beautiful gardens of Challoners, The Green, Rottingdean will again be opened on Sunday 7th July from 1130-1600. Admission will be by donation to Martlets Hospice. There will be a plant sale, refreshments, portrait drawing and light Columbian music at 1400.

Open Garden in aid of National Garden Scheme

Duncan & Gerard welcome you to their open garden for the National Garden Scheme on Saturday 20 and Sunday 21 July 2019, 12 noon to 5pm, at Boxworth, 21 Tor Road, Peacehaven BN10 7SX. We are part of the Rodmel & Peacehaven Trail (three gardens in total) combined entry £5 Children free. Teas, coffees and homemade cakes available. We look forward to seeing you. More information at www.ngs.org.uk and www.boxworthflowers.com

The Great Harvest Village Show

Schedules are now available at the back of the Church and in Rottingdean Library, The Whiteway Centre & Café Dean on Marine Drive at the cost of £1 each (or on our website). Please encourage friends, relatives, neighbours and any groups that you belong to to purchase a schedule and start sowing, sewing, growing, drawing, practising baking skills and/or taking photographs for this fun and exciting competition. All information is in the schedule.

Floodlighting – suggested donation £32.50 for a month

The church is being floodlit at night in the month of June by Jean Hughes in loving memory of her husband Michael RIP; also by Susan Gregory in loving memory of Connie and Alf Piper from their daughters, Susan, Sarah and family; also by John and Jackie Blackman in loving memory of John and Lillas Blackman.

GIVING TO ST MARGARET'S

If you are new to our church and are planning to become a regular worshipper with us – welcome! Please consider signing up to the **Parish Giving Scheme**. Forms are available at the back of church. Please also consider leaving a **legacy** to St Margaret's when writing your Will, and help to secure the building and our resources for future generations.

SAVE THE DATE!

Monday 17th June at 1900 – Mthr Lucy's First Mass *followed by a party*

Saturday 13th July at 1900 – 'New Men' – 'from Byrd to the Bee Gees' *Tickets £10*

The Academical Clerks of New College, Oxford

Sacred music by Victoria, Tallis and White, alongside madrigals by Byrd, Monteverdi, Arcadelt, Passereau, de Rore and Isaac. Then music by Billy Joel, ELO, The Carpenters, Gershwin, The Bee Gees, 'The girl from Ipanema', 'Mister Sandman' and 'Africa' by Toto.

Saturday 20th/Sunday 21st July – St Margaret's Day celebrations

Saturday 27th July at 1900 – Piano Recital by Dan Phelps *Tickets £8*

Saturday 3rd August – Village Fair

Saturday 17th August at 1930 – The Hanover Band

Haydn String Quartet Brahms Clarinet Quintet

Sunday 18th August (probably at 1500) – Strawberry Tea

by kind invitation to their garden by John and Jackie Blackman

Friday 20th – Saturday 21st September – The Great Harvest Village Show

Saturday 19th October at 1900 – English Music for Two Violas

Music by Dowland, Bridge and Rubbra

Peter Mallinson and Matthias Wiesner, both from the BBC Symphony Orchestra

Saturday 9th November – Quiz Night at the Village Hall

CHURCH SERVICES & EVENTS THIS WEEK

Sunday 9th	0730	Morning Prayer	0800	Holy Communion
PENTECOST	1000	Parish Eucharist	1130	D-Day (The Green)
	1800	Ecumenical Vespers at Our Lady of Lourdes		
Monday 10th	0910	Morning Prayer	1830	Eucharist/Discussion
Tuesday 11th	0910	Morning Prayer	1000	Eucharist
ST BARNABAS THE APOSTLE	1030	Singing Kettle	1800	Evening Prayer
Wednesday 12th	0910	Morning Prayer		
	(1000	School Service in School)	1800	Evening Prayer
	1930	Knit & Natter in St Margaret's Cottage		
Thursday 13th	0910	Morning Prayer	1000	Eucharist
	1800	Evening Prayer		
Friday 14th	<i>No public services today</i>			
Saturday 15th	1000	Morning Prayer		
	1400	Marriage of Robert Dipper & Wendi Mae Fisher		
Sunday 16th	0730	Morning Prayer	0800	Holy Communion
TRINITY SUNDAY	1000	Parish Eucharist		
	1430	Mthr Lucy's Ordination at All Saints, Hove		