

Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> July, 2025



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## St Luke's on WhatsApp

There is a new "Community" on WhatsApp for St Luke's.

If you use WhatsApp, use the QR code (right) to add yourself.



You'll find channels available from general chat to announcements, prayer requests, information for parents, and more.

If you run a group and need a channel for your activity or organisers, please speak to Rev David to get set-up.

## Church Giving Information

If you would like to give online please note the following BACS details.

Account number 01395516 (PCC St Luke's)

Sort code: 30-98-77

Please reference your donation with your name/planned giving. You can also donate using our card reader in church with either a credit or debit card. THANK YOU

## Pew Sheet

If you have something you want added to the weekly Pew Sheet please email details to me before 5pm on a Wednesday. Thank you, Christine (Parish Administrator) Email: [parish.admin@stlukestw.co.uk](mailto:parish.admin@stlukestw.co.uk)

## St. Luke's Church, Tunbridge Wells Welcome to Holy Communion

### We welcome Bishop Simon Bishop of Tonbridge!

Today is the sixth Sunday of Trinity

### THE COLLECT

*for Today and every day this week*

**Creator God,  
you made us all in your image:  
may we discern you  
in all that we see,  
and serve you in all that we do;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen**

**Hymns: 29, 462, 332 &  
'Hope of our calling'**

### Next week at St Luke's



**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August, 10am  
All-Age Communion  
with Rev David**

*Please note there is no Explorers  
or Coffee Club during August.*

### **Please remember in your daily prayers**

***Those who are unwell or housebound  
including Kirsty Waugh and Janet Jenner***

***All those in hospital***

***Anyone struggling with grief.***

***The residents of Queripal Close and  
Rankine Road***

***The following members of our  
electoral roll and their family***

***Malcolm Gough, Madeline Gough-Richards  
and Kerry Green***

### **Today's First reading is from**

*Colossians 3.20-end*

<sup>20</sup>Children, obey your parents in everything, for this is your acceptable duty in the Lord. <sup>21</sup>Fathers, do not provoke your children, or they may lose heart. <sup>22</sup>Slaves, obey your earthly masters in everything, not only while being watched and in order to please them, but wholeheartedly, fearing the Lord. <sup>23</sup>Whatever your task, put yourselves into it, as done for the Lord and not for your masters, <sup>24</sup>since you know that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward; you serve the Lord Christ. <sup>25</sup>For the wrongdoer will be paid back for whatever wrong has been done, and there is no partiality.

*This is the word of the Lord*  
**Thanks be to God**

### **Today's Gospel reading is from**

Mark 4.35-end

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ  
according to Mark

**All: Glory to you O Lord**

<sup>35</sup>On that day, when evening had come, Jesus said to them, "Let us go across to the other side." <sup>36</sup>And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. <sup>37</sup>Other boats were with him. A great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped.

<sup>38</sup>But Jesus was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" <sup>39</sup>He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. <sup>40</sup>He said to them, "Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?" <sup>41</sup>And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?"

This is the Gospel of the Lord

**All: Praise to you O Christ**

### **Thank you to the Beavers!**

12<sup>th</sup> St John's Beavers (who meet at St Luke's) recently completed two sponsored walks to raise money for our 'Warm and Toasty' fund. £160 was raised.

A huge thank you to the Beavers and their leaders for their efforts, especially since one of the walks was completed in 30°C heat a few weeks ago. Not many laps were completed but they certainly worked hard!

### **Dates for the diary**

**Kidzone and Blend**  
are now finished for Summer.

**Back to School Sunday**  
Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> August, 10.00 a.m.

**Harvest Festival**  
Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> September

**School form signing**  
Sat 4<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> October  
(details to follow)

**Confirmation Service 2025**  
Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> October, 4pm  
(details of confirmation classes to follow)

### **Church Cleaning**

**Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> August**  
**Please come to help**  
**clean the church**  
**from 9:30am**

The more helpers,  
the less time it will take!



At the [Gatehouse](#) in the Market Square, Tunbridge Wells, from 1–7 September as we come together as Churches for Tunbridge Wells to pray for our town. More information will be shared over the next few weeks -

### **Car parking**

**Help St Luke's be a good neighbour**

It really matters that St Luke's Church is a good neighbour to the people who live near our church buildings.

A polite reminder, therefore, to be considerate if you bring a car to church.

Wherever possible, please use the church drive and car park area by the church hall and park off the street. This is always first priority since parking on the street takes a space to which a neighbour has no alternative (because they won't park in the church drive without permission).

If our drive is full and you have to park on the road, please don't park across a neighbour's drive and thus either block them in or out!