

Churches are open for Private Prayer

St James', Elstead, is open for Private Prayer on Thursdays and Sundays from 2.30-4.30 pm.

St Mary's, Shackleford is open for Private Prayer on Fridays 9.30-3pm

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The Parish Churches of Elstead, Thursley, Shackleford and Peper Harow

Christingle at home service



Sunday 7th February 2021

at 10am via Zoom

Please join us from 9.50pm for the 10am service

Join Zoom Meeting <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/78943420469?pwd=UIhlUFQ2bjRlSjVhbjN2dNMzVBbjNzZz09>

Meeting ID: 789 4342 0469

Password: ETSPH

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<https://twitter.com/3parishes>

Cancelled all other services:

As we are now all in lockdown and the virus is very infectious we will not be holding any in person services so there will not be an 8.00am Service this Sunday. We will keep this under review week by week.

Revd Hannah writes:

Christingle is a simple, visual reminder of God's love for the world and each of us. By lighting our Christingle candles, we continue with the theme of light which we started last week with Candlemas. At this time of year when the greyness of the skies persist, it is good to remind ourselves that "Christ is the light of the world", shining his light into the darkest of situations. In our figures of speech we recognise that light brings clarity, hope and generally make us feel better, for example "a light at the end of the tunnel", "soaking up the sun, "in the fresh light of morning. Light can come in many forms, at the moment the "light at the end of the tunnel" is the vaccine. As we embraced the hope that the vaccine gives us for a return to a new normal, we may need to pray for a bit more patience!

Our concerns:

Lord be help us be your light in the world, reflecting your love to friend and stranger.



We pray for countries experiencing unrest in a response to restrictions in place to curb the spread of the virus. For wisdom, patience and understanding.

We give thanks for medical breakthroughs and the role out of the vaccines.

We pray for the those working in the NHS under severe strains.

We pray for your healing and restoration to all those who are suffering in body, mind or spirit.

We pray especially for those who are struggling with their mental health at this time.

We continue to pray for the our schools, colleges and universities and for all staff and students whose teaching and learning has been disrupted.

We also pray for those struggling to cope with financial pressures because of the virus, for those people who have lost their jobs and those needing to use Foodbanks.

For those who are unwell & those who have gone to their rest in you.

Christians far and wide: We pray for Christians across the world who live with the fear of persecution. We pray for all religious leaders as they guide their communities through this pandemic.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer Guildford, St Saviour. Incumbent: Mike Norris and all other clergy.

Anglican Cycle of Prayer The Anglican Church of Burundi.

Our neighbours: All who live in Rutton Hill Road & Emley Farm, Hurtmore, Orchard Close, Back Lane. We thank you for the community spirit and care for our neighbours which is present in our villages.

First Reading: Genesis 1: 1-5

Second Reading Isaiah 9: 2

Gospel Matthew 5: 14-16

Collect

Almighty God, you have created the heavens and the earth and made us in your own image: teach us to discern your hand in all your works and your likeness in all your children; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is with you and the Holy Spirit reigns supreme over all things, now and for ever.

Additional Collect for Christingle

Living Lord, light to the nations,
light of our lives, shine, we pray, into our world,
banishing all darkness and lighting the way which leads to hope,
through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity one God, now and for ever.

Amen

Are you missing the comfort of the traditional words from the **Book of Common Prayer**. Maybe you grew up with those words and enjoy the poetry, or like me you came to it late and found something awesome in the pages. If so pop over to the church porch and find a printed booklet for Morning and Evening prayer to help us through the dark days. The booklet includes the daily readings and Sunday collect.

If you know someone who would appreciate it take one for them too. Delia



A free phone line of hymns,
reflections and prayers

A PRAYER FOR ALL THOSE AFFECTED BY THE CORONAVIRUS

Keep us, good Lord, under the shadow of your mercy.
Sustain and support the anxious, be with those who care for the sick,
and lift up all who are brought low; that we may find comfort knowing
that nothing can separate us from your love. In Christ Jesus our Lord.
Amen

A prayer for those who mourn

*Gracious God,
as we remember before you the thousands who have died,
surround us and all who mourn with your strong compassion.
Be gentle with us in our grief,
protect us from despair,
and give us grace to persevere
and face the future with hope
in Jesus Christ our risen Lord.
Amen.*

Lord Jesus Christ,
reach out through your Spirit
and bring light to whose lives are shadowed by trouble
and turmoil:
the shadow of famine and starvation,
trauma and catastrophe,
sickness and pain
anxiety and fear,
loneliness and rejection,
hatred and violence
death and bereavement.
Though the shadows may lengthen
and the darkness deepen,
may your light finally break through
and shine for evermore.
Amen



Everyday Faith Daily Reflections and other resources

Guildford Cathedral has restarted some of its services. Like the local parish churches, they need to be mindful of the Coronavirus restrictions.

They have a programme of services available on their website: <https://www.guildford-cathedral.org/worship/services>
<https://www.churchofengland.org/about/renewal-reform/setting-gods-people-free/everyday-faith>

<https://www.sacredspace.ie/>

<https://taketime.org.uk/>

<https://www.24-7prayer.com/dailydevotional>

Morning Prayer: Monday – Friday

Live streamed on our YouTube Channel at 8.45am

If you missed the Live stream it is available on our website from 9.30am

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC4f9VwGYIzNyd90CDjtF8eQ/playlists>

Learning more about Prayer during Lent.

If you would like to learn more about prayer,
different types of prayer and why we pray. Why
not join the Lent Group which will take place on
the following Tuesdays from 7pm – 8pm via
Zoom?

February 23rd, March 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88007817559?
pwd=cIN5WDFGQkVzUWg4dzJkYUlldk1Sdz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88007817559?pwd=cIN5WDFGQkVzUWg4dzJkYUlldk1Sdz09)

Meeting ID: 880 0781 7559

Passcode: 599908

How do I give?

Giving are important issues for the church and church members. Our giving should be part of our discipleship, our lifestyle and our motivation to resource mission. As disciples of Jesus we should be encouraged to joyfully give time, of our skills and other resources to fulfil God's mission in the world.

Over the last year our churches finances have been affected by the pandemic. We haven't included the offertory in the service for a long time. We do now have information about ways to give to the life and work of the parishes on our website, <https://parishesofetsph.org.uk/how-can-i-give/> and by scanning the QR code.

In these tough times, I would like to encourage you to reconsider your generous giving.



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ETSPH PCC Meetings

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3509352508?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3509352508?pwd=NDhNK1BRVDNkL25ReWpVazFvR1JFUT09)

[pwd=NDhNK1BRVDNkL25ReWpVazFvR1JFUT09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3509352508?pwd=NDhNK1BRVDNkL25ReWpVazFvR1JFUT09)

All Zoom meetings are: ID 350 935 2508

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February

Joint PCCs - Monday 15th (Ash Wednesday 17th)

March

Elstead PCC 7.30 pm - Tuesday 16th

Churchwardens meeting to plan services rota April to June

HHH CONCERTS

Saturday 13 February 2021 at 7.30pm

JOHN PAUL EKINS—piano

HENRY CHANDLER—violin

Mozart—Sonata in B flat major, K454,
for Piano and Violin

Franck—Sonata in A for Violin and Piano

This concert will be streamed online and on
demand

Go to our website for the link and ticket arrangements

www.hhhconcerts.org.uk World class chamber music
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BASKET



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TEA COSY



BUNTING



WASTE PAPER
BASKET



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