

SUNDAY 17 MARCH - Second Sunday of Lent

0800 Holy Communion at St Mary's
 0930 Parish Communion at St Mary's
 1100 Family Service at St Peter's
 1600 Café service at St Mary's
 1830 Choral Evensong (BCP) at St Peter's with Reigate School Choir

WELCOME TO ST MARY'S

Please feel at home and join in with as little or as much as you like. There are Welcome Cards - please complete and give to a sidesperson/welcomer. Join us in Oxted Community Hall (OCH) after 0930 service for refreshments.

CHILDREN AT ST MARY'S

Children are very much part of the church. Junior Church is for those aged 11 and under- please sign in by the main door. Junior Church at 0930 service leaves for the OCH during the service & returns for Communion.

MONDAY 18

1015 Tic Toc at Willowdene, Oxted Road, Godstone

THURSDAY 21

1130 Holy Communion at Tandridge Heights
 2000 Youth home group - see Mark for details

TODAY'S READINGS

Genesis 15.1-12, 17-18
 Philippians 3.17-4.1
 Luke 13.31-35

JUNIOR CHURCH

God is near

TUESDAY 19

1400 Holy Communion at Sycamore Court

FRIDAY 22

0830 Holy Communion at St Mary's
 0930 St Mary's Monkeys in OCH
 0930 Meeting Place in OCH

WIFI PASSWORD: see noticeboard

WEBSITE AND FACEBOOK

stmarysoxted.uk
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SAFEGUARDING

Everyone should feel safe at St Mary's. If you have any concerns, our safeguarding officer is Katharine Nockles (07778 539664).

WEDNESDAY 20

1100 Holy Communion at St Mary's

SATURDAY 23

Sunday 24 March

0800 Holy Communion at St Mary's
 0930 Parish Communion at St Mary's
 1100 Family Service at St Peter's

1230 Baptism of Esme Magnus at St Mary's
 1600 Café service at St Mary's
 1830 Wholeness & Healing Service at St Mary's
 1830 Holy Communion at St Peter's

Next week's readings:

Isaiah 55.1-9
 1 Corinthians 10.1-13
 Luke 13.1-9

TODAY we welcome Carolyn Thom from local charity 'Their Voice'. Carolyn will be at the 0930 service to speak about the work of the charity. She will stay behind afterwards for people to speak with her about the work of the charity.

Thursday 21 March 1930 to 2100 - "Southwark Vision - making it happen" meeting for Reigate Archdeaconry at Holy Trinity church, Redhill. All are welcome - please contact susan.wheeler@southwark.anglican.org if you would like to attend. Refreshments will be available from half an hour before the meeting.

Sunday 24 March 1830 - **St Mary's annual Service of Wholeness & Healing**. All are welcome to this low-key service. The Prayer Ministry team are available for individual prayer & anointing with oil for yourself or others for whom you pray.

Brian Draper's Lent Reflections - both our churches are now signed up to receive these thoughtful daily reflections. Simply go to briandraper.org/sign-up-to-lent and complete steps 1 & 2 but skip step 3, as we have already paid.

Today - Real Easter Eggs: Mary Cook will have these available to buy at the reduced price of £3.60 after the 0930 and Cafe services. The eggs each come with a booklet telling the real Easter story.

Easter Cards are on sale in the OCH after the 0930 service for the next few weeks. Proceeds to church funds.

"Faith & Life" Lent Talks and discussion - hosted by St John's, Hurst Green & St George's, Crowhurst. See posters for info.

St Mary's Electoral Roll 2019 - Enrolment onto the new roll has now closed in preparation for the Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM), which will be held on Sunday 7 April in the Oxted Community Hall (after the 0930 service).

APCM elections: Nominations are welcome for 2 Churchwardens, 4 members of our Parochial Church Council and one representative to the Tandridge Deanery Synod. Please speak with Mark Anderson should you wish to stand for election.

The May Fayre programme (distributed to over 3000 homes locally) is being prepared. If you have a company or business that would like to advertise (black and white or colour) contact Valerie: val.adamson@btinternet.com/01883 714859.

CHURCH WIFI - the password has changed. Please see the noticeboard by the south door for the new password.

For events to be included in the bulletin: email oxtedcomms@gmail.com - deadline: **Wednesdays 1200**

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working with St Peter's Tandridge

It costs over £2,000 a week to run our ancient parish church. Voluntary giving pays for most of this, so your gift is vital to us - and very gratefully received. Visit our website and click on give.net to donate.