## ST MARY'S OXTED and ST PETER'S TANDRIDGE

**Knowing Christ | Growing Community | Renewing Our Heritage** 

## Update 21st August 2020

For just as each of us has one body with many members, and these members do not all have the same function, so in Christ we, though many, form one body, and each member belongs to all the others *Romans 12:4-5* 

Services for this Sunday, in our church buildings:

St Mary's St Peter's

8.00am Holy Communion 11.00am Family Service

9.30am Service of the Word 6.30pm Evening Prayer

St John's, Hurst Green - have a service of Prayer and Reflection at 9.30am

- The services, and the church, will look and feel different for a while; please bear with us and follow the guidance of the welcome team when you arrive.
- Please wear a face covering, if you are able to.
- There will be no congregational singing, as this is currently not permitted. Services may feature instrumental music or 1 singer.
- Holy Communion will be in one kind only at this stage, and if you come to a communion service, please listen carefully to any guidance.

Changes for August 2020 – Café service and our 11am telephone service will not happen during August. But, we are continuing our **Wednesday 11am** service of Holy Communion at St Mary's during August. All are welcome.

**Face coverings -** handmade, washable, face masks are available from Catherine Hough. All proceeds to St Mary's Church. Recommended donation £5 (or more)

**Alan Norgrove** – Thank you to all those who paid respects to Alan. Please continue to pray for Chris, Matthew and all the family.

**PCCs** – At our annual meetings there is the opportunity to join our PCCs – there are vacancies on St Mary's and St Peter's, please speak to James, or a current member to find out more.

**St Mary's Patronal Picnic -** September 20<sup>th</sup> - please meet at 3pm in Master Park, just through the path from the church.

**Junior Church Zoom Meeting** – Tues 1<sup>st</sup> Sep at 7pm – please come to this Zoom meeting, where we will give an update on junior church, and hopefully work out together a way forward for both churches. We will share some information and time together, and then have a breakout room for each church, to plan specifically. Zoom details: Meeting ID: 865 1160 5737 Passcode: 944506

## Things to pray for and about:



- For all key workers, especially those working in health and social care
- For our neighbours, and those close to us in need
- For our leaders, in the church and in Govt
- For equality and justice for all people
- For our schools, for all teachers, for all pupils, for all parents
- For all those suffering directly, or indirectly due to Covid-19

**7.30pm on Mondays** – an opportunity to join a Bible Study on Zoom, please contact James if you would like to join.

St Peter's APCM - Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> September, after the morning service.

St Mary's APCM - Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> September, after the morning service.

**NEWS!** - Our 9.30am service from St Mary's will be available to watch live on Youtube. Please visit <a href="https://youtube.com/channel/UCviiHYSatgmUOjFK90OjTmw">https://youtube.com/channel/UCviiHYSatgmUOjFK90OjTmw</a> to subscribe to the new St Mary's YouTube channel.

**Giving to the church** – Thank you so much to all those who support our churches financially. Please do consider doing so at this time by standing order, using your online banking.

St. Mary's Oxted PCC:

Account number: 00688746 - Sort code: 20 76 55

PCC of Tandridge:

Account number: 01544847 - Sort code: 30 91 72

**Love your neighbour** – please continue to look out for those around you and phone the Parish Office on 01883 712463 if you need help, know somebody who needs help or can offer help.

With our love and prayers, James and all the ministry team.

