

Regular church activities - Dates for your diary

CONNECT (Maureen Jones) **Monday September 21** - Meet at 10.30am in Ripley Green car park (GU23 6AY) near the swings for a level walk of 2.5 miles led by Alison. Lunch will be at 1pm at Pinnock's in Ripley High Street.

Monday October 5 - Heathland Artworks

Monday October 26 - Walk at Ripley

FUSION children's group (School years 3 – 6) Wednesdays during school term 5:30pm - 6:45pm (See Trinity Trust website for details)

ART Space Meeting once a month usually on the first Saturday of the month. We meet from 9.30 am – mid day. Feel free to join us at any time during the morning. Bring any materials you would like to work with. Next ART space **Saturday October 3rd**

COFFEE STOP – Once a month usually on the first Saturday of the month. The foyer area is open for anyone to drop by for a hot drink & slice of cake raising money for local charities. 10am – mid day. Next Coffee Stop **Saturday October 3rd**

Board Games Afternoon at the church 2.00 – 4.00pm. (Sally Pollard) Monthly on the first Friday of the month. Next Board games afternoon on **Friday October 2nd**

Short Mat Bowls Restarts **September 25th** 7.00 - 10.00pm (Sept – April)

SENIOR MOMENTS - (Eric Jarman) 2.30pm alternating Wednesdays at the Church. **ALL ARE VERY WELCOME. Sept 30th – Zimbabwe, October 14th, 28th, Nov 11th, 25th, Dec 9th.**

MEN'S group – **Men's breakfast** at Wetherspoons 8.30am **10th Oct – 9.00am!** 7th Nov & 12th Dec. **Ian Taylor** – iantaylor2206@outlook.com

Men's walk – last Friday of the month. Next walk **Friday 25th September** Contact **Mike Richardson** - mobile 0765-290-8543 email mickydickson1945@gmail.com

Knitting group – **Alternate weeks to Friendship Lunch on a Thursday** in the church hall 10 - 12.00pm Next session – **24th September** (Contact Michele Taylor)

PRAYER - Please join us to pray before the service at 9:35 am in the Oasis room upstairs each Sunday.

1st & 3rd Wed - 10 am **Prayer Meeting** in the library. 3rd Wed will now also include the **Mission team prayer meeting** in the library to pray for those in the mission field. **(No Mission prayer meetings in August or December)**

Pastoral support Sally Pollard pollard3@hotmail.co.uk 01483428646

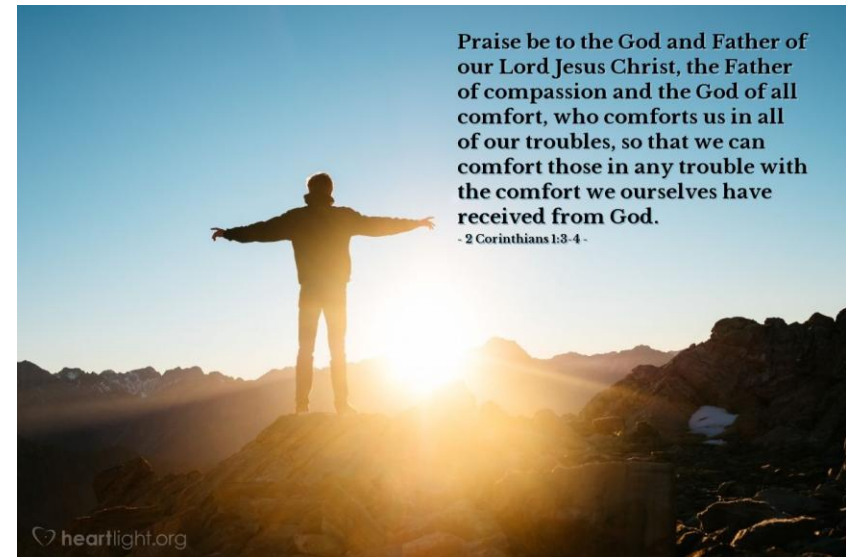
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A people who relate to God, together and to the world

Sunday 20th September News Sheet



Leading: Peter

Prayers: led by Steph

Reading: John 5: 16 – 30 read by Peter L

Sermon: Portraits of Jesus – Jack

If you are visiting for the first time, we offer you a very warm welcome to our church

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Men's Walks will take place on the last Friday of the month. They will be four to five miles long, which might be approximately two hours walking and will conclude with lunch in a suitable venue. Mike Richardson will set up a Whatsapp group for those interested, who should contact him to be added to the group by phone, email or Whatsapp. The next walk will be **Friday 25th September at Hascombe**. Meet in the parking lot across the road from the White Horse at **10.30am**. Mike Richardson - mobile 0765-290-8543 email mickydickson1945@gmail.com

Upcoming dates to put in your diary

Tuesday September 22nd - Church Quarterly meeting 7.30pm

There will be a **Committal and Thanksgiving Service for the life of dear Elizabeth Pinchen on Friday 25th September at 1.30pm** at Guildford Crematorium. All are welcome. Refreshments afterwards at GBC.

Churches Together Prayer Breakfast at GBC - Saturday 26th September.
8.30am – 10.00am For catering purposes please let Sally or Barbara or Eric know if you are coming

Harvest Service - Sunday 27th September at GBC 10.00am. See flyer/ poster in Reception for items needed at St Mark's Foodbank and Godalming Community Store

Saturday 10th October – Ladies breakfast 9 - 11.00 am Speaker Linda Chamberlain - Be encouraged on your faith journey. Linda who would love to meet you. Please let Sally know if you are attending for catering purposes. £3 per person

Saturday 10th October – Men's breakfast at Wetherspoons, 9.00am. Come and spend time with Jono Chamberlain. Please let Ian Taylor know if you are coming.

Saturday 31st October- at GBC 10.00 -12.30 (coffee from 9.30am) Dr Brunet, from Binscombe Practice is coming to lead our Life Issue on **'Sleep-How can we find it so hard when we spend a third of our lives doing it?'** Please book NOW as places are filling very very fast! Contact Sally - 01483-428646 or e-mail-pollard3@hotmail.co.uk

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REFLECTION –

Dear Lord,

A most wonderful thing happened to me this week. I glimpsed an old truth with greater clarity. I was “born again.”

I crossed over from this world to “Your world.”

Jesus said in John 17: 13-19 that He was not of this world and then said that I was not of this world either. I had crossed over to His world when I said, “Jesus remember me when you come into your kingdom.”

He took me at my word and breathes new Holy Spirit life into me and washed away my sins.

I said “ Lord let me stay with you, but He sent me back to your world with His joy, saying that I needed faith, hope and His love to operate in my old world.

It's very difficult Lord to live in two kingdoms at the same time.

Now I am a new creation living in an old world. Lord you're your constant presence, Word, strength, wisdom, compassion, restoration, I completely believe it is possible.

I feel as though I have been awakened and I have become responsive to the risen life of Christ already moving within me.

Christ in me – The hope of Glory. Amen

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