

the LOOKOUT

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The weekly bulletin of the Parish Church of Saint Margaret Rottingdean

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Sunday 28 February 2016 Third Sunday in Lent

Music for the Parish Eucharist

Lilac Service Books

No Gloria	
Entrance	141
Offertory	482
1. Comm	262
2. Comm	368
Final	300

This Week beginning 28 February 2016

Tuesday

10.30am Singing Kettle in Cottage

Wednesday

8.00am Meditation in Cottage
7.30pm Knit, Natter & Sew

Friday

10.00am Holy Eucharist

Saturday

08.30am Posie Making in Cottage

Next Sunday **Mothering Sunday – Church Parade**

8.00am Holy Communion (1662)
9.30am Sung Parish Eucharist

Readings for the Parish Eucharist

First Reading: Exodus 17: 3-7

Responsorial Psalm:

Response: If today you hear his voice, harden
not your hearts

Come, let us sing joyfully to the LORD;
let us acclaim the Rock of our salvation.
Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving;
let us joyfully sing psalms to him®

Come, let us bow down in worship;
let us kneel before the LORD who made us.
For he is our God,
and we are the people he shepherds, the flock he

guides.®

Oh, that today you would hear his voice:
“Harden not your hearts as at Meribah,
as in the day of Massah in the desert,
Where your fathers tempted me;
they tested me though they had seen my works.”.®

Second Reading: Romans 5:1-2, 5-8

Gospel: John 4:5-42

Please pray for all who have asked for our prayers; and for those who care for them

Nick Alwyn, Trevor Biggs, Betty Binder, Betty Bishop,
Ron Bristow, Jill Crossland, Jill Dogherty, Gill
Galloway, Chloe Grenier, Muriel Harrow, Sergio Hoyo,
Mick Hughes, Josie Kemp, Cath McLean, Iris Money,
Bertha Morgan, Nick Oldham, Katy Ross, Hazel
Ruane, Alan Simpson, Anne Smith, Dudley Tee, Len
Tucker, Rupert Webb, Beryl, Sheila, Alun Richards,
Alan, Jill

*Please keep us informed if people are to be placed on
the prayer list and equally importantly please tell us
when their names should be removed.*

Please remember those whose anniversary of death occurs during this week

Sir Jack Hughes, Norman Schooling, Derek Oldham,
Michael Couzens

And those who have died recently

May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

The Parish Eucharist – Quiet Time at 9.25am

A bell will be rung at 9.25am, this signals the time for
us all to be quiet and to contemplate and pray before
the Eucharist starts at 9.30am.

Thank You to Visiting Clergy this Sunday

8.00am Fr. Colin Lawler, 9.30am Fr. John Joyce

Notices

Events at The Church on The Green

May Fair – Monday 2 May

If you have any unwanted gifts, please take them into the Church Office, so they can be used for the May Fair.

If you can run a stall or help in anyway, please see Sue Leaney.

Tombola stall

If you have any bottles, small gifts, chocolates etc suitable as a tombola prize please let Duncan and Gerry have them. Thank you

Childrens Tombola

If you have any items suitable for a childrens tombola ie sweets, small toys, books, crisps etc please can you please pass them onto Marie. Thank you

Walsingham Pilgrimage 2016

Friday 16 to Sunday 18 September. Cost to be advised, please see Jackie Williams.

The Singing Kettle

The Singing Kettle is open every Tuesday at 10.30am in St Margaret's Cottage. Come and join us for coffee and chat. Transport can be arranged. If you can help, please see Joyce or phone her on 01273 307144 to choose a date.

Gift Aid – New Notice

HMRC advise that if anybody who gift aid their donations pay less Income Tax or Capital Gains Tax than the amount of Gift Aid claimed by charities on all their donations, it is the donor's responsibility to pay any difference.

Please contact the church treasurer Peter Wright if you no longer wish to gift aid your donations. If you have already completed a gift aid declaration but have changed you address in the past 2 years please ask Peter for a new declaration form. Thank you

The Lookout

Please take any notes for The Lookout into the Church Office by 1pm on a Thursday. If you prefer to send your notes by email then please use the lookout@stmargaret.org.uk email address which will automatically forward your emails to the Church Office. Many thanks.

Collections

No collection is taken at the 8.00am Service on Sundays. Please place your offerings in the basket provided. If you make your offering by bankers order then please place one of the blue cards in the basket when the collection is taken at the Parish Eucharist. Gift Aid envelopes are on the table near the entrance for the use of visitors who wish to help God's mission here in this place

Spring Clean

Volunteers needed for 14-19 March to spring clean church before Easter. Please state day and time available on notice board. Thank you

Junior Church – Sunday School Dates 2016

6 th Mar	Mothering Sunday – Scouts/Beaver
20 th Mar	Easter Story
3 rd Apr	Half term (will run if children in church)
17 th Apr	Jesus Disciples – Follow me!
1 st May	Ascension/Pentecost
15 th May	Trinity Sunday
5 th Jun	Half term (will run if children in church)
19 th Jun	Joseph and his brothers
3 rd Jul	Jesus miracles
17 th Jul	Moses

Summer Holidays – back in September

If you are a parent or grand parent with children of any age, all welcome. Please let us know if you are able to help as well, thank-you. Contact Paula Taylor 01273 517857.

Food Bank Collection Point

Thank you for the marvelous response to this request for food donations. The food Bank have advised us that they are currently low of:

Milk (UHT or powdered)
Sugar (500g)
Long Life Fruit juice (carton)
Tomatoes (tinned)
Tinned Vegetables
Tinned Fruit
Tinned meat or fish

Easter Lilies

If you wish to remember a loved one at Easter and would like to contribute £4.00 for a lily, please give money with his/her name to Sarah in the Church Office by Sunday 13th March. Thank you

Easter Raffle

Please purchase tickets from Pamela Wright. Draw to take place during coffee in the Cottage on Palm Sunday