

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sun	8.00am	Holy Communion
	10.00am	Morning Worship
	11.30am	Holy Communion
	6.30pm	United Service at Hawes Lane Methodist Church
Mon	9.30 – noon	Coffee Morning at SJ's
	8.00pm	Prayer Meeting at SJ's
Tue	6.15pm	Cru 2 (Urban Saints) (7-11s) at the Assembly Rooms
	7.30pm	Club 2000 (11– 13s) meet at Coney Hill Baptist Church
Wed	9.30am	Open Door for mothers & children at SJ's
	1:00-7:00pm	CareerCafe at SJ's
Thur	7.30pm	14 Plus – Venue as advised
Fri	10am – noon	Craft Club at SJ's

NEXT SUNDAY – 2nd April

8.00am	Holy Communion
10.00am	Family Service
6.30pm	Prayer Meeting

THIS WEEK'S QUESTION

Three months after the Israelites left Egypt they came to the desert of Sinai and camped in front of the mountain. On the morning of the third day there was thunder and lightning and the mountain was covered in smoke because the Lord descended on it in fire. The Lord descended to the top of Mount Sinai and told Moses to bring Aaron up to the top. Then, with the Israelites at the foot of the mountain listening, the Lord started to speak.

What was he telling them?

Read Exodus 20: 1 - 17

MONDAY EVENING PRAYER MEETINGS

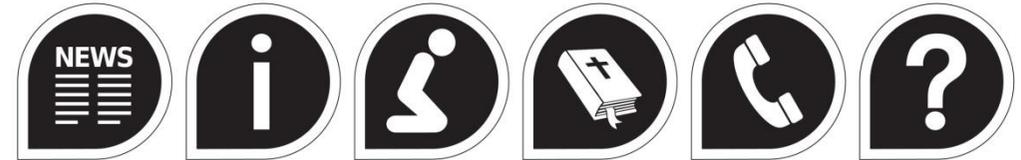
8-9PM @ SJ'S

Next meeting 27th March. Meetings in April on 10th & 24th.

Monday 27th March: Specific prayer focus for Liz and Mike Jeggo and their family working with OMF in Japan.

St John's
west wickham

26th March, 2017
4th Sunday of Lent
Mothering Sunday



ROLL UP, ROLL UP!

Excuse the awful pun, but today is the last day for returning application forms to be included on St John's electoral roll. You can either drop your form in the box, or return it to Paul Kingman or Geoff Batten.

That's part of the preparations for our APCM which will be held on **23 April @ 11:30am**. Another element is for people to put themselves forward for one of the various posts that are up for election. These include:

- **PCC Members** – helping shape the direction of St John's.
- **Deanery Synod Member** (which gives you an automatic right to sit on the PCC) – see the leaflet on the new noticeboards for further details;
- **Welcomers** – we refresh our welcome rota annually, and if you want to become part of the welcome team, we will provide training.

Nomination Sheets will be available in church from this Sunday. If you want to find out a little more about any of these then chat to Jon, or the wardens.

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WELCOME

If you're a visitor this morning and wish to find out more about what goes on then do introduce yourself to one of our leadership team. They can connect you with people and groups in our church family. You can also find out more from our website.



THIS MONTH'S PRAYER FOCUS

Our neighbours and local community:

- *For any local needs and for God's blessing on those outside the church;*
- *That our neighbours would come to recognise the love Jesus has for them.*

Do grab the prayer flier for full details.



HOME GROUPS

Oversight of Home Groups is now in the hands of Peter. If you would like to be involved in a group, or need any help relating to Home Groups then please approach him. Many thanks to Nick for his service in this area up until now.



WEEKLY NEWS

On our new website Weekly News can be found under the BLOG tab. If you would like

to be added to the list of people who receive it each week by email please let Margaret know.



EASTER SERVICES

Maundy Thursday 13th April 8pm Joint service with Coney Hill Baptist Church at St John's.

Good Friday 14th April

10am Walk of Witness from St Mark's Church to The Swan.

11am United Service at St Francis' Church with separate activities for children.

Easter Sunday 16th April 8am & 10am Holy Communion (at St John's).



PALM SUNDAY

Our 10am service on 9 April will include the distribution of palms and a collection for the Bishop's Lent Call, which is supporting projects in Southwark and Zimbabwe.



GOOD FRIDAY SPECIAL

For children up to 11 years old

St Francis Church hall 11am – 12.30pm. Fun, games, crafts, activities and much more at the same time as the service in the church.



FROM THE CHURCHWARDENS

WANTED: do you have the skills to mend broken loops in about a dozen kneelers so we can hang them where there are gaps in the pews? It would be great to have a complete set. Please contact Richard Cieniala if you can help. Thank you!

LOST PROPERTY: we have another pile of lost property in the porch. Please claim anything that is yours over the next two Sundays. Anything unclaimed after that will find a new home via the local charity shop. Thank you!



SHINE

6th April 1.30 – 3pm in church.

Lots of fun things to make & do for children of primary school age and below, and their parents/ carers.



JOYCE SEWELL

Some of you will remember Joyce and will be sorry to hear that she has passed away. We give thanks for her life and remember her family and friends, especially Ann Beard, at this time.



MONDAY EVENING SPECIAL PRAYER FOCUS

Monday Evenings 8pm @ SJ's

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PRAYERS

Please pray for:

Liz & Mike Jeggo working with OMF in Japan & the Bishop's

Lent Call – our Mission Focus;

- Those suddenly bereaved because of events in Westminster on Wednesday, and for all those who influence people's response to such an incident;
- All mums, that they would be equipped for motherhood, and any who find Mothering Sunday a difficult day;
- The Turner and Clements families following their recent bereavements;
- The discussions we are trying to arrange with Vision Homes Ltd regarding the All Saints Land;
- Our friends and neighbours that they would recognize the glory and good news of Easter this season;