

TRINITY
News
5th & 12th
March
2023

TRINITY
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TRINITY CHURCH
LEWES

A warm
welcome
to everyone at
our services

Sunday 5th March
9.30am Morning Worship at South Malling
10.30am Holy Communion at St John's
11.00am Morning Worship at Southover*
4.00pm Healing Service at St John's
6.30pm Fuel at Church End

Monday 6th March
10.00am Monday Club at Church End
7.30pm Mission Prayer Meeting at Church End

Tuesday 7th March
9.30am Lighthouse at St John's

Wednesday 8th March
9.00am BCP Communion at Southover
9.30am Lighthouse at St John's
3.30pm The Harbour at St John's

Thursday 9th March
10.00am Boogie Bunch at St John's

Friday 10th March
8.00am Open to God Zoom Prayer Meeting
1.00pm Bible in a Year, North Room, St John's
7.30pm The Edge at Southover Hall

Saturday 11th March
8.30am TRINITY Women breakfast, SO
2.00pm Eunice Pope Thanksgiving Service, SO

Sunday 12th March
9.30am Morning Worship at South Malling
10.30am Morning Worship at St John's
11.00am Holy Communion at Southover*
6.30pm Evening Service at Southover*
8.00pm After Hours at Church End

Monday 13th March
10.00am Monday Club at Church End

Tuesday 14th March
9.30am Lighthouse at St John's
10.30am Dementia Support Group, Church End

Wednesday 15th March
9.00am BCP Communion at Southover
9.30am Lighthouse at St John's
3.30pm The Harbour at St John's
7.30pm Prayer Meeting in Chapter House

Thursday 16th March
10.00am Boogie Bunch at St John's
7.00pm Prospects at Chapter House
7.10pm PCC in SO Hall

Friday 17th March
8.00am Open to God Zoom Prayer Meeting
1.00pm Bible in a Year, North Room, St John's
7.30pm The Edge at Southover Hall

Sunday 19th March
8.45am Mothering Sunday breakfast at SJ
10.30am TRINITY Combined service at SJ*
4.00pm Holy Communion at St John's
6.30pm Fuel at Church End

We're so pleased you've joined us today - please introduce yourself to the welcome team if you're new so that we can tell you more about what goes on at TRINITY.

Children's groups run during the service at:
TRINITY South Malling: Sparks (KS1) & Blaze (KS2)
TRINITY St John sub Castro: Sparks (KS1), Blaze (KS2) & Ignite (KS3)



BRING & SHARE LUNCH

Sunday 5th March at 12.20pm in Church End.
Always good food and great topics to chat over!
Hosted by the Creation Care team.



NANCY BRACKEN
died on 22nd February. Please pray for her family.

EUNICE POPE'S THANKSGIVING
The service will be held at TRINITY Southover at 2.00pm on Saturday 11th March. All are welcome. Refreshments in church afterwards.

TRINITY WOMEN'S BREAKFAST Sat 11th March
at TRINITY Southover.
Doors open 8.30, breakfast 8.45. Speaker: Revd Helen Garratt, Dean of Women's Ministry for Chichester Diocese. Email women@trinitywomen.org or call 483307 to reserve a place, let us know any dietary requirements. Bring a friend. Donations welcome.



ONE WAY EXPERIENCE....
...will be open to the public at TRINITY St John sub Castro from Saturday 1st April through to Good Friday. The ONE WAY experience is a journey through the life of Jesus. Using all your senses, you taste, touch, smell, feel and see scenes from His birth to resurrection. ONE WAY is great for everyone – you could use it as a reflective space in Holy Week to prepare for Easter; you could bring children or grandchildren to learn about Jesus; you could bring a non-Christian friend and invite them on the journey to find out about Jesus.



We will be needing people to help at ONE WAY and welcome people as they arrive and chat with them afterwards. We will also need story-tellers to help the week before, 27th – 30th March, when we have a number of schools coming through ONE WAY. If you offered to be a story-teller, you would sit within ONE WAY and open up that scene from Jesus' life to the children (in small groups) as they journeyed ONE WAY. Whether you could give an hour or two or a whole morning / afternoon, that would be great. Please email Anita or Richard if you would like to know more or get involved.

FULL IMMERSION BAPTISM OR RENEWAL OF ...
On Easter Day, we hope to do some full immersion baptisms at the evening service and some renewal of baptism/confirmation promises, also by full immersion. If you have not been baptised, or if your faith has grown significantly (particularly if you were baptised as a baby and confirmed when you were young) and you want to mark your faith, please speak to Anita.

THANK YOU to all those members of TRINITY Southover who worked so hard to make the thanksgiving service for my husband John such a joyful occasion. It was wonderful to see so many people there to celebrate John's life. He did love a good party.
Jane Vokins

Bell ringers at Southover every Tuesday evening
*This service is live-streamed & can be found on our YouTube channel
Café 12/31 at St John's is open Tuesday to Friday 10.00am - 4.00pm, Saturday 9.00am - 1.00pm

Let us pray....



For those who are sick & suffering....

Susie Arlett, Rosemary Brown, Maureen Daughtery, Emma Dyer, Norman Edwards, Shirley Edwards, Eve Empringham, John Ffitch-Heyes, Amanda Gilmour, Stella Hull

The family and friends of those mourning the loss of a loved one...

Nancy Bracken, Eunice Pope, Cath Ellis's Dad, Brenda Almond, John Vokins

Ideas to guide your prayers this fortnight....

- ◆ Praise for all the beauty of creation that we see around us in the Lewes area, and opportunities to enjoy it
- ◆ Wisdom for the PCC as they meet on 16th March, and future plans for Café 12/31
- ◆ The Open the Book teams going into Southover School on Wed 8th March and South Malling School on Tues 14th March
- ◆ Rob Hoy and colleagues, travelling on from Rwanda to Uganda (see Mission News) and visiting beneficiaries of water filters
- ◆ Praise and pray for the work of Life in Abundance in Africa and the Caribbean (see Mission News)
- ◆ Those made homeless following the earthquakes in Turkey and Syria - many of them Kurds, who feel neglected by the world
- ◆ Teachers and head teachers in the pressures they face, and children whose education has been disrupted in recent years
- ◆ Those caring for loved ones suffering from dementia and other long-term health conditions, physical or mental
- ◆ The Lewes Food Banks, the House of Friendship and other local charities serving our community
- ◆ That we will draw closer to the Lord this Lent, and learn to be better stewards of the gifts He has given us

... though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that you through his poverty might become rich (2 Corinthians 8:9)

LAST SUPPER MEAL - Thursday 6th April

We will share a 'Last Supper Meal', incorporating some of the Jewish traditions and words. Our meal will include Lamb Stew (vegetarian & children's option available) with bread, red wine & Last Supper taster foods. This will be at Southover starting at 6.00pm and finishing by about 7.30pm. Pre-booking is required on this link: trinitylewes.org/lastsupper There is a cost for Adults of £10 and Children 5-14yrs £5.



Following our Last Supper, the church will stay open until 10.00pm for silent prayer.

Churchyard Working Party Sat 11th March

Our monthly working party will be at South Malling and all are very welcome. Any time from 9am, refreshments provided. Come and enjoy spring while you help keep this churchyard beautiful. Please join us!



TRINITY for Men & TRINITY Women sailing trip Sep '23



We have a tremendous opportunity to take out 3 yachts through Morning Star Trust, with spaces for 12 men and 5 women, to cruise around the Solent and westwards towards Poole over the weekend of 22-25 September. For more information and to book:

Men - <https://trinitylewes.churchsuite.com/events/wi8pbdmt>

Women - <https://trinitylewes.churchsuite.com/events/doiwxhjc>

FUTURE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY.....

Sun 26th March	6.30pm	Evening Service at SO
Sat 1st April	7.00pm	Joy's leaving do at SJ
Wed 5th April	12.30pm	Prayer Meeting at SJ
Thur 6th April	6.00pm	Last Supper Celebration
Fri 7th April	10.30am	Good Friday Service
Sun 9th April	6.30pm	Evening Service at SO
Wed 19th April	7.30pm	Prayer Meeting in CH
Sun 23rd April	6.30pm	Evening Service at SO
Thur 27th April	7.10pm	PCC
Wed 3rd May	12.30pm	Prayer Meeting at SJ
Mon 8th May	3.00pm	Coronation tea party
Thur 11th May	7.30pm	APCM at SO
Wed 17th May	7.30pm	Prayer Meeting CH
Thur 25th May	7.10pm	PCC
Sun 4th June	10.30am	Combined Service SO

REFRESHMENTS AT ST JOHN'S

Who is willing to step forward to do the refreshments after the morning service at St John's about once a month? 4 volunteers would enable us to carry on serving refreshments weekly. Please contact Carol Taplin on carolctaplin@aol.com or 483307 to offer help!



MOTHERING SUNDAY BREAKFAST

19th March at 8.45am at St John's (last order 9.45am). Porridge or cereal and toast, tea and coffee. No cost, donations on the day. Please book via this link:

<https://trinitylewes.churchsuite.com/events/uimjihj2>



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Please send items for next TRINITY News to Christine via the office email by 9am on Wednesday 29th March

Safeguarding

We take the safeguarding of children and vulnerable adults seriously. If you have any concerns, please speak to any of our Lead or Deputy Safeguarding Representatives:

Jane Lee - Lead representative
 07825 576936
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 Amanda Burgess (Children)
 Jenni Taylor (Vulnerable Adults)
 or speak to Anita our Rector