

# WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

(Interdenominational)

at

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH, HERONS GHYLL

on

Friday 3rd March 2023 at 2.00 p.m.

The Theme is Written by the Christian Woman of Taiwan

**‘I HAVE HEARD ABOUT YOUR FAITH’**

Welcome to the 2023 World Day of Prayer Service. As we participate in the Service, we are part of a great wave of prayer encircling the globe, which begins as the sun rises over Samoa and ends 36 hours later back in the Pacific as the sun sets over American Samoa. We will be joining with people in over 120 Countries and Islands around the world.

The Taiwan women first participated in the World Day of Prayer in 1935. Each year the service is translated into 13 languages including Mandarin-Chinese, Taiwanese and indigenous languages. Whilst diverse opinions remain among the different dominations in terms of politics and social issues, the Christian faith in Taiwan has gone beyond the chasm of ethnicity, historical wounds and disagreements.

Refreshments will be served after the service.

## CHURCH DIARY THIS WEEK

Monday 20th February 12noon...Funeral

Weds 22nd February 9am Possums

Friday 24th 12noon-3pm Funeral (Walter Wise)

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## NEWS IN THE PEWS

# Welcome

**SUNDAY 19th February 2023**

*The Sunday next before Lent*

*Liturgical Year A (Green)*

*Priest in Charge* Revd Paul Mundy (Rector of Newick)

8am Holy Communion (BCP)

10am Morning Worship

Alan Young



## TODAY'S READINGS

**8am**

1 Corinthians 13

Luke 18: 31—end

**10am**

Exodus 24: 12-18

Matthew 17: 1-9

## CAROLS

**1st Hymn 482 Rejoice the Lord is King**

**2nd Hymn 2246 Christ is the world's true light**

**3rd Hymn 1202 Come down, O love divine**

**4th Hymn 525 The church's one foundation**

**NEXT WEEK'S SERVICES 26th February**

8am Holy Communion (BCP)

10am Parish Communion

In your prayers this week please remember those who are ill especially **Julie, Julian and Troy, Gemma Peacock, Betty Olbrich, Kerry and Dudley Dean, David and Janet Barnes, Suzi Novis, Brenda and Ray Ford, Chris Ruane, James, Jo, Janet Hunt, Stuart Guerard, Chris and Anne Yeats, Andrew Morgan, Anthony Meadows, Val and Hugh Thwaites.**

We pray too for the recently departed especially Walter and Stephen Wise and for all those whose anniversaries fall at this time, may they rest in peace and rise in glory.

### CHURCH UNLOCKING/LOCKING ROTA

Week beginning

Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup> February	Chris Peskett
Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup> February	Peter Martin
Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> March	MaryJane Corver
Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> March	Olga Jeffs
Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup> March	Anthony Meadows

### Thank You For Your Generosity

Over this last Christmas season St Peter's Chailey embarked on two fund raising missions. The first was in conjunction with our sister parish in Newick where we both aimed to achieve £5,000 each to contribute towards youth work in the parishes. We are delighted that due to the generosity of you and your neighbours both parishes exceeded their targets. This will provide valuable resource to work with children and youths in the parish through the local schools and the church itself.

Providing support and introducing Christian values can never start too early and children of today endure considerable pressure and influence from a variety of media and external sources that can disrupt and confuse. St Peter's youth work provides support and assistance in these challenging times.

The other thank you is to all those that donated some or all of their £400 Energy Bills Support Scheme subsidies to the Chailey Pastoral Care Fund. More details concerning this important fund can be found below and we would encourage further generosity from the Chailey parishioners to this worthwhile cause. It has really helped some people of this Parish survive through desperate times.

Thank you to all of Chailey for your generosity.

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WEBSITE: There is a lot of information on our website, which we keep updated. It can be found on [www.stpeterschailey.org](http://www.stpeterschailey.org)

Our Safeguarding Recruiter (child protection officer) is MaryJane Corver. She can be contacted on 01825 724687 / 07802 524313 / email [maryjane.corver@btinternet.com](mailto:maryjane.corver@btinternet.com)

### Pastoral Care Fund

Donations can be made at any time to the Treasurer or directly to the bank. (Chailey P C C, Sort Code 09-01-55 Account 06923088. Please state '**Pastoral Care Fund**'). Cheques can be posted in the letterbox outside St Peter's bell tower or handed to a Church Warden.

If you are able to gift aid your donation, please include a note with your name, address and postcode, or you can email a note to the Treasurer, to [stpeterschurch12@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:stpeterschurch12@hotmail.co.uk)

### LENT LUNCH

We will be doing lent lunches again from 27th Feb to 3rd April on Monday lunchtimes at 12.30pm. This consists of soup/roll, cheese and fruit followed by tea/coffee. If you are able to make soup and/or help serve please let the churchwardens know so that we can make up a rota. Donations will be for St Peter and St James Hospice, East Sussex caring and Sharing and St James's Mission in Zimbabwe. Please support this, everyone welcome

WALTER WISE 's funeral will take place at St Peter's at 12noon on Friday 24th February

BIBLE BOOK CLUB: Reading Joshua Chapters 1-8 Meeting on Monday 6th March at Joy and Stewart's at 2.15pm