



A great turnout of 22 at the lent lunch on Monday. Plenty of food and chatter, a lovely atmosphere throughout. This is a very informal occasion supporting Caring and Sharing, do please come along, everyone welcome.

CHURCH DIARY

Monday 26th February 12.30pm Lent lunch
 Monday 26th February 8pm Bell ringing
 Wednesday 28th February 9am Possums

UPCOMING FUNERALS AT ST MARY'S

March 8th 12 noon Debbie Freeland

CONFIRMATION

Paul is running a confirmation course for candidates wanting to be confirmed. The service will be on 30th June at St Mary's at 5pm, led by Bishop Will.
 If you know anyone who might be interested please let Paul know or get them to contact him.

S A I N T P E T E R C H A I L E Y

NEWS IN THE PEWS

Welcome

SUNDAY 25th February 2024

Second Sunday of Lent

Liturgical Year B ((Purple)

Priest in Charge Revd Paul Mundy (Rector of Newick)

TODAY'S SERVICES

8am Holy Communion (BCP)

10am Parish Communion

Father Martin Morgan



TODAY'S READINGS

8am

1 Thessalonians 4: 11-8

Matthew 15: 21-28

10am

Genesis 17: 1-7, 15-16

Romans 4: 13—end

Mark 8: 31—end

HYMNS

1st Hymn 469

Praise to the holiest

2nd Hymn 830

I, the Lord of sea and sky

3rd Hymn 1724

Behold the lamb

4th Hymn 425

O Lord my God

Anthem 418 O Jesus I have promised

LENT LUNCHESES: donations from Lent lunches will go to support East Sussex Caring and Sharing group. They will run on Mondays at 12.30pm through lent starting on 19th February.

NEXT WEEK'S SERVICES 3rd March

8 am Holy Communion

10.00am Parish Communion

Don't forget that the box for donations to the Family Support Work is still at the back of the Church. The need for support is greater than ever. If you can spare a couple of items a week, it all mounts up.
www.familysupportwork.org.uk.

BIBLE BOOK CLUB are comparing the Easter story account across the four gospels and will therefore be studying Matthew 26-28, Mark 14-16, Luke 22-24 and John 13-20 and will meet to discuss on Mon 25th March at Joy and Stewart's at 2.30pm. New members are welcome to join us when they can.

PRAYER GROUP will next meet on Friday 8th March at 10am at Paula's.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

(Interdenominational)

At ST. JAMES THE LESS, NUTLEY CHURCH

On Friday 1st March 2024 at 2.00 p.m.

The Theme is Written by the Christian Women of Palestine

'I BEG YOU,

BEAR WITH ONE ANOTHER IN LOVE'

Refreshments will be served after the Service.

EASTER LILIES: If you wish to have a lily donated in remembrance of a loved one, and their names read out at the Easter service envelopes are available at the back of the church for your names and donations. The price will be £5 per name. Please complete and hand to Peter or Brenda Martin.

ST GEORGE'S DAY FETE is run by Chailey Bonfire Society and is on 27th April. Once again the church will be running a sweet tombola stall. Any donations will be gratefully received.

CHURCHYARD CLEAR UP, at St Mary's North Chailey will be held on Saturday March 16th from 9am-1pm. Any help would be very much appreciated as there is a lot to do.

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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

Our Safeguarding Recruiter (child protection officer) is Jane Von der Becke She can be contacted on 07740 289802 email jvonderbecke@gmail.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

In your prayers this week please remember those who are ill especially **Julie, Troy, Gemma Peacock, Betty Olbrich, Kerry and Dudley Dean, David and Janet Barnes, Brenda and Ray Ford, Anne Yeats, Anthony Meadows, June Wise, Pat Stepney, Julia Russell, Barbara Scott, Val Thwaites, Keith and Debbie Martin.**

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

If you would like to receive prayers or know someone who would please let Paul Mundy, a churchwarden or church office know.