



St John's with Holy Trinity, Ryde

Where All are Welcome

12th MAY 2019

Easter 4

Welcome Please join us for tea /coffee in the hall after the 10am service.



SERVICES AND EVENTS THIS WEEK

Sunday 12th

8.30am Holy Communion

10am: Family Service

Hymns: 31, 815, sheet, screen, 853

Monday 13th

9am Cleaning and Maintenance

Wed 15th

10.30am Oakfield Class led Assembly

Thursday 16th

10am Holy Communion

Sunday 19th

NB NO 8.30am: Holy Communion

10am: Holy Communion

For further information visit:

stjohnsryde.org.uk

There is a play area at the back of the church. Please feel free to use it with your children or bring the toys/books into the pews.

Alternatively, there is a group for pre-school and primary age children in the church hall during Communion Services, with fun Bible based stories and activities.



Toilets and baby changing facilities are in the church hall (through the panel door in the wooden war memorial)



Gluten free

If you require gluten free wafers or non- alcoholic wine please ask the people who greeted you at the door.



The hearing loop system is situated in the front section of pews, to the left of the central aisle facing the Altar.



Fire alarm

If the fire alarm sounds please leave the church and gather in the driveway of the care home behind the church. Children in the Hall will be evacuated by the leaders.

For a large print version of this leaflet please ask the person who greeted you.

St John's News

We **welcome** Stephen Dominy, Christian Aid Regional Co-ordinator, Hants/IOW to speak at our 10am service this morning.

Thank you to Doreen Kent, Ken and Debbie Stone and David Marshall for all their work in organising the History Exhibition and talk last weekend. Also to everyone who contributed documents and pictures etc. and to Nick Minns for a very informative talk. We had a steady stream of visitors to the church over the two days and discovered some fascinating things about the history of St John's.

Thank you to everyone who helped or supported the Plant and Bake Sale yesterday. Any leftovers are available in the Hall.

The children of Oakfield School hold their **Class led assemblies** in St John's each Wednesday morning at 10.30am. If you are able to help make tea and coffee after the service for the parents as they stay to chat please sign up on the list by the South door.

Bevaly Rackett will be licenced in the Cathedral on Saturday 13th July at 5pm in the Evensong service. If you would like to go and support her please let her know as the Cathedral would like rough numbers.

Please note there will be **no 8.30am** Holy Communion on Sunday 19th May.

PCC We meet on 23rd May at 7.10pm.

Timeout Café. In the Hall from 1pm on Wed 22nd May starting with a light lunch followed by an organised activity for anyone who would like to meet up with other people for company.

The **CTRA Quiz for Christian Aid** is again being held at the URC on May 18th at 7pm. Teams of 4 will be £4. All profits to Christian Aid. Get your teams sorted now!

CTRA Safari Supper – if you would like to join us for dinner at Ryde Methodist church and pudding at All Saints on 8th June from 6pm please reserve tickets from Val. The cost is £8 per head (payable on the night) and all profits will go to Street and School Pastors.

Bishop Christopher will be holding a **Confirmation Service** at Newport Minster on 14th July. We will be holding confirmation classes for 7 weeks on Wednesday evenings at 7pm from 22nd May. If you would like to join us and explore or prepare for Confirmation please let Rev Sue know

Barry Wade, the promoter of the **Revamp Family Festival** being held in the grounds of Oakfield School on Saturday 29th June will be here on Tuesday 21st May from 3.30pm to tell us about the festival and answer any questions you may have. Tickets to the festival are available from Oakfield School - the school will receive a donation from Revamp for any tickets purchased via the school office.

.Collect: Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the resurrection and the life: raise us, who trust in him, from the death of sin to the life of righteousness, that we may seek those things which are above, where he reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Acts 9.36–43

³⁶ In Joppa there was a disciple whose name was Tabitha, which in Greek is Dorcas. She was devoted to good works and acts of charity. ³⁷ At that time she became ill and died. When they had washed her, they laid her in a room upstairs. ³⁸ Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, who heard that Peter was there, sent two men to him with the request, ‘Please come to us without delay.’ ³⁹ So Peter got up and went with them; and when he arrived, they took him to the room upstairs. All the widows stood beside him, weeping and showing tunics and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was with them. ⁴⁰ Peter put all of them outside, and then he knelt down and prayed. He turned to the body and said, ‘Tabitha, get up.’ Then she opened her eyes, and seeing Peter, she sat up. ⁴¹ He gave her his hand and helped her up. Then calling the saints and widows, he showed her to be alive. ⁴² This became known throughout Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. ⁴³ Meanwhile he stayed in

Joppa for some time with a certain Simon, a tanner.

John 10.22–30

²² At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter, ²³ and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. ²⁴ So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, ‘How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly.’ ²⁵ Jesus answered, ‘I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father’s name testify to me; ²⁶ but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. ²⁷ My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. ²⁸ I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. ²⁹ What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father’s hand. ³⁰ The Father and I are one.’

Post Communion: Merciful Father, you gave your Son Jesus Christ to be the good shepherd, and in his love for us to lay down his life and rise again: keep us always under his protection, and give us grace to follow in his steps; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Genesis 1:26-31 (The Message)

God spoke: "Let us make human beings in our image, make them reflecting our nature so they can be responsible for the fish in the sea, the birds in the air, the cattle, and, yes, Earth itself, and every animal that moves on the face of Earth."

God created human beings; he created them godlike, reflecting God's nature.

He created them male and female.

God blessed them: "Prosper!

Reproduce! Fill Earth! Take charge!

Be responsible for fish in the sea and birds in the air, for every living thing that moves on the face of Earth."

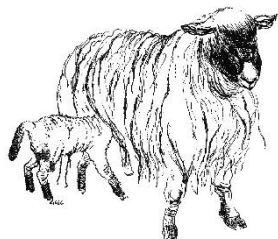
Then God said, "I've given you every sort of seed-bearing plant on Earth and every kind of fruit-bearing tree, given them to you for food. To all animals and all birds, everything that moves and breathes, I give whatever grows out of the ground for food."

And there it was.

God looked over everything he had made; it was so good, so very good!

It was evening, it was morning—

Day Six.



Prayer Lists: Please add the names of those you would like us to pray for to the list in the South Transept.

Please pray for The Duke and Duchess of Sussex and their new baby boy. Christian Aid and all the work they do., including all their partners. All those Walking the Wight and the Hospice.

RIP: Rosemary Beales, Angela Rivers, Jean Frampton, Lieslelotte Greenhalgh, Janice Lane, Pauline Brooke and Peter Corney.

RIP Anniversaries: Margret Pike, Valerie Finnis (Tue) Gordon Southcott (Fri), Marie Pennington (Sat)

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The office is usually open

Tuesday 9am - 10am

Wednesday 9am - 11am,

Thursday 11am - 1pm,

Friday 2pm - 4pm.

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