Parish of Seale, Puttenham & Wanborough **SUNDAY** www.spw.org.uk rector@spw.org.uk



Sunday 13th August – Trinity 10

Today's Services		
9.00 am	Holy Communion at The Good Shepherd, The Sands	
10.30 am	Holy Communion and Baptism at St John the Baptist, Puttenham	
10.30 am	Morning Prayer at St Laurence, Seale	
6.00 pm	Virtual Evening Prayer, by Zoom	
For all zoom services please use this link: <u>Church Services</u> , then enter Passcode: 2022 Or by phone - dial one of the following: 0203 901 7895 ; 0208 080 6591 Meeting ID: 81259506242 – then enter Passcode 2022, followed by # when asked (you may need to repeat the last step) Download Order of Service here: <u>Virtual Evening Prayer</u>		

Today's Readings

Morning	HC:	Romans 10.5-15 ; Matthew 14.22-33
	MP:	Psalm 85.8-13 ; Song of Solomon 8.5-7 ; 2 Peter 3.8-13
Evening:	EP:	1 Kings 11.41 - 12.20 ; Acts 14.8-20

Prayer for this week

Let your merciful ears, O Lord, be open to the prayers of your humble servants; and that they may obtain their petitions make them to ask such things as shall please you; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FROM THE RECTORY DESK

Dear Friends,

We warmly congratulate Lily Cloughley on the publication of a new book "The Good News Nobody Talks About" The title gives a clue to the contents and It promises to be an insightful read so do order a copy off Amazon. Lily has kindly left a few copies



at Seale church donations of £10 in the wall box please, first come basis not repeated.

Next Sunday we meet at Wanborough church to say farewell to Phil, he will preach at the 3pm service of Holy Communion. Any contributions towards eats please contact Anne Concanen.

The Alpha training team is making good progress and we shall soon be ready to host the guest lunches at the Church of the Good Shepherd Sands. The first lunch is on Friday 22nd at 12:30. Alpha is for all who want to explore the Christian faith in the context of a delicious three course meal and with other enquirers. There will be booking sheets in the churches, to join the lunches and you can also book online at our church website. The course is run over 15 weeks with a different topic for each session. Do join us if you can but pray for the success of the course in any case.

Blessings,

Rector

THANKS AND APPRECIATIONS

Have you noticed the transformation of Seale Churchyard from jungle yo billiard table. Our new Gardner MW has done a splendid job and we much appreciate all his hard work. If you would like to donate anything towards the churchyard fund then that would be appreciated. The Churchyard is a place where we all may be put to rest and it costs to keep it in good shape.



Civil unrest in Israel

Alpha preparations and September Launch Generous giving and stewardship in the parish Christian book writers

Under GDPR rules we need permission to name verbally or in print anyone who is ill and needs our prayers, so please let us know if we can pray for you.

DIARY FOR THE WEEK

Tue 15 Aug12.00 - 2.00 pmShepherd's Rest Café at The Good Shepherd, TheSands (and every Tuesday)

Services next Sunday – 20 th August Trinity 11		
9.00 am	Morning Prayer at St Bartholomew, Wanborough	
10.30 am	Holy Communion at St Laurence, Seale	
10.30 am	Morning Prayer at St John the Baptist, Puttenham	
3.00 pm	Valedictory service for Revd Phil Roche at St. Bartholomew, Wanborough	
6.00 pm	Virtual Compline, by Zoom	

FUTURE EVENTS

Thu 24 Aug	6.00 pm	Patronal Service at St Bartholomew, Wanborough
Wed 30 Aug	2.00 pm	Bible Hub at The Good Shepherd, The Sands

GIFTING TO THE CHURCH

BY BANK TRANSFER OR STANDING ORDER: to the SPWPCC bank account, which is at Lloyds Bank, Farnham, sort code 30 93 20, account number 02210758, (do include your name for reference).

BY CHEQUE: Send to the Treasurer, c/o The



Rectory, Elstead Road, Seale, Farnham, GU10 1JA. Contact the Churchwardens for Gift Aid forms and increase the value of your giving.

CONTACTLESS: now available at Seale, Puttenham and Wanborough. **ONLINE**: once or monthly by following this link, where you will find a Gift Aid option. **PARISH GIVING SCHEME** To change your regular Parish Giving Scheme (PGS) donation, please write to: Parish Giving Scheme, 76 Kingsholm Road, Gloucester GL1 3BD, email to info@parishgiving.org.uk or phone 0333 002 1260. It helps to include the PGS reference number, which can be found below your address on PGS correspondence. If you would like to start a regular PGS donation, or have any questions, please contact Mike Cloughley, our PGS coordinator: Telephone number: 01252 793639 Email: cloughley@btinternet.com



Please contact the Rector if you are unable to attend church and would like to receive Communion at home. Also, contact the Rector if you would like a visit from our Lay Pastoral Visitors.



Please contact any member of the Ministry or Pastoral team if you are anxious, lonely or would like a spiritual or social chat.

THE RECTOR: 01252 783057 or <u>Rector@spw.org.uk</u> CHRISTOPHER TUCKWELL LLM: 01252 718676 HELEN ROCHE LLM: 07538 482384 PASTORAL TEAM: Linda Thatcher & Kathleen Smith



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