

DIARY DATES

Event	Date and time	Venue
Church Mice Praise and Play for Babies and Pre-schooler and their Families. Contact Jenny Stothard / Sarah Cann (kindergymjenny@gmail.com)	Wednesdays, 2:00 pm (Excluding School Holidays)	St. John's Church 
All Souls Commemoration. During the main Sunday service.	Sunday 3 rd November (10:00 am)	St. John's Church
Meeting of the Standing Committee of the Parochial Church Council	5 th November 2019 (7:45 pm)	Old Stocks, 1, Hets Orchard
The St. John's Church Christmas Fayre. Come and meet Father Christmas. Wide selection of stalls. Teas and lunches available.	16 th November 2019 (10:00 am to 2:00 pm)	Lacey Green Village Hall
Annual Bereavement Service. For those who have recently lost loved ones.	17 th November 2019 (3:30 pm)	St. John's Church



CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

This year St. John's Church will be holding its first Christmas Tree Festival between 5th and 8th December 2019. Organisations and Individuals can enter a decorated tree to this event. Further details to follow or please speak to Margaret Gray if you are thinking about entering a tree. Funds raised will be split between St. John's and a number of Charities.

PAST FUNDRAISING EVENTS UPDATES

The Dinner Dance on 19th October was well attended and a great success, being enjoyed by all who were there. Thanks to Ann Eden and all who helped in any way.

REQUEST FOR DONATIONS OF LEGO

St. John's is looking for donations of spare Lego (or similar plastic bricks) which you no longer have a use for. This is to be used for Children's activities during Junior Church and what they have built can be shown to the congregation at the end of the service.

PARISH CHURCH OF ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST

Coming to Faith, Growing in Faith

WELCOME TO TODAY'S WORSHIP

SUNDAY 3rd November 2019

All Saints & All Souls



St. John's is a member Church of the Risborough Team Ministry. We seek to be very much a family church and to be known as being very welcoming to people of all ages and backgrounds; and actively supportive of our two Parish Schools.

Our Team Vicar for St. John's is the Reverend Canon Tony Bundock.

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Worship in St John's Church

Weekly Services:

SUNDAY

8:00 am

Said Communion (Book of Common Prayer)

10:00 am

Parish Communion with (**Junior Church** term times, *except 1st Sunday of each month for All Age Worship*)

TUESDAY

9:30 am

Said Communion (Common Worship)

Vicar

Rev. Canon Tony Bundock

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Team Rector

Rev. David Williams

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Churchwardens

Mrs Pat Rushmere

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Mrs Margaret Gray

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COLLECT FOR TODAY

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that we may come to those inexpressible joys that you have prepared for those who truly love 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*.

READINGS FOR TODAY

Luke Ch. 6 VV. 20 – 31.



POST COMMUNION PRAYER

God, the source of all holiness and giver of all good things: may we who have shared at this table as strangers and pilgrims here on earth be welcomed with all your saints to the heavenly feast on the day of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord, *Amen*.

PRAYER NOTES

- For those in the parish and further afield who are sick or in need that they receive peace and healing, including: Irene Foord, Ruth Barclay, Mary Mines, Helena Oecken, Ian Wilson, Colin Rushmere and Ron Goodearl.
- For the recently departed, notably Vera May. May their souls rest in peace. Also, we pray for their families at this difficult time.
- For Peace and Resolution for the peoples of those countries where there is conflict or tension including countries in the Middle East, Ukraine, Nigeria, Venezuela, the Democratic Republic of Congo, Sri Lanka, Hong Kong and Turkey.
- For Comfort and mercy for the peoples of those countries, where there have been natural disasters, and for the aid agencies bringing relief.
- For our own Country, Government and Parliament at this time of uncertainty, that that MP's will come together in the National Interest.

- For migrants that they may receive justice and mercy. Particularly at this time we pray for the souls of the 39 migrants found dead in a trailer at Grays in Essex.
- Safety for Christians and peoples of all faiths in danger that there may be a spirit of peace and understanding.
- For our mission and ministry in this community.
- For our Linked Parish of St. Mary's Kuruman.
- Thanks for our church community and our shared faith
- Thanks for all who help, in any way, in our Church.
- For our fundraising events this year.

 <p>ST JOHN'S CHURCH AT LACEY GREEN WELCOMES YOU, YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS TO OUR ANNUAL BEREAVEMENT SERVICE ON SUNDAY 17TH NOVEMBER 2019 AT 3:30PM THERE WILL BE REFRESHMENTS FOLLOWING THE SERVICE TO REMEMBER FRIENDS AND RELATIVES WHO HAVE DIED THERE WILL BE LOVELY MUSIC FROM OUR CHOR AND A BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE EVERYONE WILL BE MADE WELCOME!</p>	<p>Christmas Fayre and Coffee Morning Saturday 16th November 2019 10:00 am - 2:00pm</p>  <p>Lacey Green Millennium Hall Main Road, Lacey Green</p> <p>Come and join us for Coffee or Mulled Wine with mince pies. Lunches will also be served.</p> <p>Stalls to include Christmas craft items, Cakes, jams and chutneys etc, Cards, Tombola and Raffle, Jewellery, good quality second-hand toys, and many more stalls PLUS FATHER CHRISTMAS AND HIS GROTTO!</p> <p>Proceeds to St John's Church, Lacey Green</p>
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REQUEST FOR DONATIONS FOR THE CHRISTMAS FAYRE

To support this event we need donations of raffle / tombola prizes, preserves and chutneys, second hand children's toy, second hand books, handicrafts etc., please.

Boxes to receive these have been put at the back of St. John's Church or please contact Pat / Margaret. *Thank you.*