

## **FOR YOUR PRAYERS**

### **The Parish**

Fir Tree Close, Fitchet Close, Fox Close, Framfield Close, Friston Walk, Fulmar Close, Galahad Road

### **The Sick**

Patients of Langley Green Hospital and David Baker, Tina and Roland Fell, Ann Rice, the Budd's, Julia Upton, Yuko McBride, Ryan Patterson

### **The Departed**

### **Years Mind**

John Poulton, Maisie Lewis, Kenneth Gilbert, Peter Berti, Ann Swaine, Mary Elsie Lockhart, Nora Amethey Mansel, Earnest Walsh, John Gilbert, Josephine Smith, Ken Rager, Mary Pedlow

If you would like a name added to the prayer list, please contact the Rector.

## **PARISH CONTACTS**

### **Rector:**

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### **Reader**

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### **Do you need more information?**

Arranging a baptism.  
Arranging your wedding.  
Renewing your marriage vows.  
Funerals.  
Services of Remembrance.  
Children's and Youth activities.  
Men's Group.  
Ladies Group.  
Small group Bible study and prayer.

Please see our website: [www.ifieldparish.org](http://www.ifieldparish.org)



**Third Sunday of Lent**  
**23rd March 2025**

**WELCOME** to our services today, if you are visiting for the first time, please make yourself known to one of the clergy and join us for refreshments after the service.

We are a diverse and vibrant community of Christians who meet on Sunday and throughout the week to worship, grow in faith and serve our local community. Our church is a peaceful sanctuary, surrounded by a beautiful churchyard, which is open most days from 8.30 am to approximately 4pm

Our vision is to be a beacon of joy in the heart of our community. We invite you to join us.

## **SERVICES TODAY**

**9.30am Family Service**

**11 am Parish Communion**

## **NOTICES**

Please ensure notices and dates of events are sent to the Rector by Wednesday morning each week.

## **THIS WEEK IN CHURCH**

**Monday 9 am Little Dragons**

**Wednesday 9.30 am Said Eucharist followed by Lent Course**

**Friday 6.30pm Youth Group**

## **Next Sunday's Services**

**9.30am Scouts Service**

**11.00 am Parish Communion**



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### **EASTER TEAM FOOD BANK:**

Many thanks for your recent donations, much welcomed as always. For next time **TUESDAY 25th MARCH**, we have particularly been asked for: Baby food  
Deodorant

Plus, anything else non-perishable as warehouse stocks are low throughout.

Thank you for your continued support 🙏  
Sue Gilbert ([sue@ifieldparish.org](mailto:sue@ifieldparish.org))

**LENT COURSE** - This year's Diocesan Lent Course focuses on the Nicene.

We are running the course at St. Margaret's on five Wednesday mornings from 10.30 – 12.00 noon. If you would like to take part, please let Jill Bell know.

### **CRAWLEY WRITERS CIRCLE POETRY TRAIL**

We are once again part of this, and we have the banner with the poems on in the south aisle. There are leaflets on the table by the door.

### **PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO CHICHESTER CATHEDRAL**

– We are planning a parish pilgrimage to Chichester Cathedral as a part of the Year of Faith 950 celebrations.

If you are interested in being part of this pilgrimage, please sign up on the sheet near the door – at this stage you are only expressing an interest in going. For additional information, please speak to Kevin.



### **APCM**

This year's APCM will be held after the 11am Parish Communion on 27<sup>th</sup> April – there will be no Family Service at 9.30am that day.

### **ELECTORAL ROLL**

Every six years, we need to prepare a new church electoral roll – 2025 is that year!

Are you baptised?  
Are you aged 16 years+?

If so, we invite you to complete an Electoral Roll form. Application Forms are available in Church or downloadable from website

[www.ifieldparish.org](http://www.ifieldparish.org)

The deadline for this year's return is **Monday 31st March 2025**.

Please return your form to Clare Wilson (PCC Secretary and Parish Electoral Roll Officer) in church, by email: [pccsecretary@ifieldparish.org](mailto:pccsecretary@ifieldparish.org) or via Revd. Christine Spencer.

If you provide an email address on the form, you'll be added to our database. This helps us send you an invitation to choose how you want us to contact you or opt out. Your email will be used only for church matters and will only be used by those who have been given admin rights.

### **LITTLE DRAGONS**

Little Dragons which is run on a Monday morning during term time is very short of helpers. We currently have more than 16 children per week attending this is often the first time many of the children and their parents/carers have been in a church. If we don't get some extra regular volunteers it will have to stop. If you can spare a 1 and a half hours to help, please speak to Revd. Christine Spencer.



**Palm Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> April** - FiiSH 9.30am;  
Parish Communion 11am

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> April** – 7 pm Compline

**Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> April** – 7 pm Compline

**Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> April** – 7 pm Compline.

**Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> April** – 8pm Tenebrae- a service of shadows (at St Albans Church Gossops Green)

**Maundy Thursday (17<sup>th</sup> April)** – 7pm Eucharist with foot washing and watch

**Good Friday (18<sup>th</sup> April)** – 1.30 pm Good Friday Service

**Easter Day (20<sup>th</sup> April)** - 9.20 am Easter vigil with lighting of the new fire

- 10 am Holy Communion followed by refreshments