

St John the Evangelist, Preston, Brighton

WELCOME



Sunday 18th June 2017
FIRST SUNDAY after TRINITY

Arrival of a Curate

With your pewsheet this morning you will find a leaflet about Stephen's arrival at St John's together with two prayer cards - one for Stephen as he prepares for his ordination on 1st July and one for the members of the PCC. Please take these home with you and remember them in your prayers during the coming weeks.

Please stay and join us for FairTrade refreshments at the back of the church after the 10 am service

Please give generously to support the work here at St John's. There are collection plates at the back and side doors of the church. Please help us by using a white Gift Aid envelope if you are a taxpayer. We do not take a collection during the service. *St John's has a space with activities, books & soft toys for parents with young children to enjoy.* Also little Acorns on the first Sunday of the month during the 10 am service and Messy Church on the second Sunday of the month at 4 pm. Large print versions of the service books, hymn and pew sheets are available - please ask.

READINGS

18th June Trinity 1

1st reading *Pamela Cross*
Exodus 19 : 2 - 8a

2nd reading
Romans 5 : 1 - 8

Gospel
Matthew 9 : 35 - 10 : 8 [9 - 23]

Intercessions *Pat Gaunt*

25th June Trinity 2

1st reading
Jeremiah 20 : 7 - 13

2nd reading
Romans 6 : 1b - 11

Gospel
Matthew 10 : 24 - 39

Intercessions *Naomi Dyker*

PRAYERS

This week your prayers are asked for those who are sick in body, mind or spirit

the departed

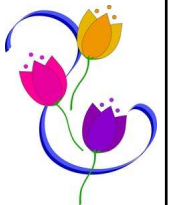
those living and working in
Lucerne Road

the clergy & congregation of
St Luke, Prestonville

ANTHEM

O pray for the peace of Jerusalem
Herbert Howells

The flowers today
are in memory of
Alan Burt



COLLECT for the FIRST SUNDAY after TRINITY

O God,
the strength of all those who put their trust in you,
mercifully accept our prayers
and, because through the weakness of our mortal nature
we can do no good thing without you,
grant us the help of your grace,
that in the keeping of your commandments
we may please you both in well and deed;
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.

**Visit to the Keep
Followed by an early evening meal**

TOMORROW

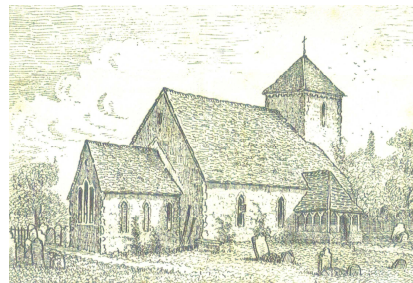
Monday 19 June meeting at the Keep at 3.30pm.



Our local event this year is a visit to The Keep, East Sussex Records Office, and then a meal at the Miller & Carter Steakhouse (Black Lion) Patcham. Numbers for the visit will be strictly limited to 15. Cost is £3.50 per person for the tour. Transport can be shared if required. Please speak to Simon Smith **today** to book a place, first come, first served! *(Please note Stanmer House now not available as it has last orders at 4pm)*

CHURCH OFFICE

Please note that the church office will be closed from Tuesday 20th June to Thursday 29th June as Alex will be away.



St Peter's Church, Preston Park

SERVICE of EVENSONG

with the clergy and choir of St John's

This evening, Sunday 18th June 2017
at 6.00 pm

Retiring collection for the Churches Conservation Trust which maintains the church building

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CALENDAR

Sunday 18th June ~ Trinity 1

10.00 am Sung Communion

Wednesday 21st June

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

10.00 am Said Communion

10.45 am Preston Coffee Pot

Friday 23rd June

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

2.00 pm Preston Friday Club in the Crowhurst Community Centre

Elizabethan Sussex [talk/slides] ~ Helen Poole

7.30 pm Choir Practice

Saturday 24th June

10.00 am Confirmation Course

Sunday 25th June ~ Trinity 2

10.00 am Sung Communion

Saturday 1st July

3.00 pm Stephen Mills' ordination at Chichester Cathedral

Sunday 2nd July ~ Trinity 3

10.00 am Sung Communion with Ministry of Healing

Little Acorns

The Ministry of Healing with the laying on of hands

is offered on the first Sunday of each month

Little Acorns meet on the 1st Sunday of the month during the 10 am service

Messy Church is on the second Sunday of the month from 4 to 6 pm

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