

Details of Funeral Service for t/l Revd Timothy Thornton

All are most welcome to attend. A funeral service for The Rev'd Timothy C G Thornton will take place on Wednesday 29th May at 2pm in St. Mary's Parish Church, Prestbury, near Cheltenham, Gloucestershire GL52 3BG. Timothy will be cremated at Cheltenham Crematorium following the service. The family would appreciate to learn from people wishing to attend the service in person or who would wish to watch the service online.

Please email details to Charles Thornton : CFThornton1@aol.com

All good wishes Charles Thornton
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CHURCH FUND-RAISING STRING QUARTET CONCERT FRIDAY 28 JUNE AT 7.30PM

The Dolina String Quartet will be performing a concert of light classics, including Pachelbel's Canon, Handel's Arrival of the Queen of Sheba; Bach's Jesu, joy of Man's Desiring; Folk music and Tangos as well as Beatles songs: Here comes the Sun and Eleanor Rigby; and other favourites: Summertime and Somewhere over the Rainbow. Refreshments will be served in the church hall after the concert. **You can now purchase tickets from our SumUp machine.** Please see Sandra Rigby-Barrett for Cash or Cheque payments. Ticket prices: £18 per adult and £5 per child.

Dates for your Diaries from the Surrey Heath Deanery Synod Lay Chair:

Swearing in of Churchwardens - 20th June at St Mary's

Next Diocesan Synod: 25th June

Next Deanery Synod: 3rd July

Deanery Choral Evensong at St Lawrence 5.15pm on 13th July

Confirmation Service on 24 November at St Paul's

Hear Here Clinic

The post of Project Lead for the Hear Here Clinic is being advertised. For further details please visit this website: <https://www.cofeguildford.org.uk/xdb/diocesanjobs/show/community-project-lead-hear-here>

Food Bank Donations Update—most needed items for May 2024:

Tinned tomatoes, long life fruit juice, shampoo, kitchen/bathroom surface cleaner spray, shaving gel & foam, hair conditioner, laundry detergent, disposable razors toilet cleaner liquid, hot chocolate, tinned tuna, honey, tinned salmon, chocolate spread, sponge puddings, tomato ketchup, peanut butter, long life milk, tinned custard, marmite, instant mashed potato, egg and rice noodles.

St Lawrence Chobham Handbell Ringers Summer Concert at St Lawrence Church

Friday 5th July at 7.30pm: 'Always Look on the Bright Side'

Tickets £10 (concessions £5, children free)

Refreshments (by donation) will be served after the concert in the church hall.

For more information and tickets: Tim Willetts (tim@hrgb.org.uk)
or any team member or on the door.

You are most welcome to join us for coffee and biscuits in the church hall after the 10.15am service this morning.

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26 May 2024

Here to Celebrate, Worship and Serve

Sunday 26 May Trinity Sunday

Reading: Isaiah 6.1-8
Psalm: Psalm 29
Epistle: Romans 8.12-17
Gospel: John 3.1-17

The Psalm and Readings can be found on pages 206-208.

8.00am Holy Communion Service at St Lawrence led by Revd Dan

9.00am Holy Communion Service at St Saviour led by Revd Dan

Hymns: 273 Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty
673 Thou whose almighty word
86 Christ is made the sure foundation

10.15am Holy Communion Service at St Lawrence led by Revd Dan

Hymns: 273 Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty
452 My God, how wonderful Thou art
67 Blessed Assurance
36 Angel voices ever-singing

Tue 28 May

6.30pm-7.30pm St Lawrence choir rehearsal in the church

Wed 29 May

No Mid-week Holy Communion Service (see Thursday 30 May)

Thu 30 May

No St Lawrence Toddlers in the church hall
12noon Mid-week Holy Communion Service (Corpus Christi)

Sun 2 June

8.00am Holy Communion Service at St Lawrence led by Revd Dan
9.00am Holy Communion Service at St Saviour led by Revd Dan
10.15am Holy Communion Service at St Lawrence led by Revd Dan

Thu 6 June

6.30pm Service at the Chobham War Memorial to commemorate 80th D-Day anniversary with Mayoress Pat Tedder in attendance

Collect

Almighty and everlasting God,
you have given us your servants grace,
by the confession of a true faith,
to acknowledge the glory of the eternal
Trinity
and in the power of the divine majesty to
worship the Unity;
keep us steadfast in this faith,
that we may evermore be defended from all
adversities;
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.

Post Communion Prayer

Almighty and eternal God,
you have revealed yourself as Father, Son
and Holy Spirit,
and live and reign in the perfect unity of
love;
hold us firm in this faith,
that we may know you in all your ways
and evermore rejoice in your eternal glory,
who are three Persons yet one God,
now and for ever.

Seasonal Eucharistic Preface and Blessing from the day after Ascension Day until the Day of Pentecost

Preface:

And now we give you thanks
because you have revealed the glory of your
eternal fellowship of love with your
Son and with the Holy Spirit,
three persons equal in majesty, undivided in
splendour.
yet one God,
ever to be worshipped and adored.

Blessing:

God the Holy Trinity make your strong in faith
and love,
defend you on every side, and guide you in truth
and peace;
and the blessing of God Almighty,
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be among you and remain with you always.
Amen.

THIS WEEK WE ARE PRAYING FOR THE FOLLOWING MISSIONS AND MATTERS:

- ◆ **In our Missionary Support: Overseas Mission:** The Barnabas Fund (supporting persecuted Christians); The Bible Society for Mission
- ◆ **The Anglican Cycle of Prayer:** The Church of the Province of Central Africa
- ◆ **In our Guildford Diocese:** Please pray for the Parish of Woodham and incumbent Roland Olliff and other clergy Bev Hunt, Dianna Gwilliams and Janet Allen and LLM Carole Gusson. Also pray for the Halstead and St Andrew's Preparatory School and continue to encourage growth in the congregation; develop mission planning and discipleship growth through the health and viability process; and thankfulness that the vicarage is finally finished.
- ◆ We pray that our numbers may grow at all our services and that the Lord will bless us
as we minister in this parish.
 - ◇ We pray that our faith and belief in the resurrection of Jesus Christ be strengthened and deepened through our understanding of the scriptures
- ◆ **Children and Schools**
 - ◇ Please pray for the future of Mission in the parish, particularly with regard to children and young people.
 - ◇ Please pray for the teachers, support staff, children, governors and parents at St Lawrence Primary School and Valley End School during this summer term.
- ◆ **Pray for our Vicar, Revd Dan and for our Assistant Priest, Revd Chris.** Pray for the work of the Chobham Poor Allotment and Smiths Charity, for the homeless and those who are reliant on Food Banks and for all those who help them. We give thanks to Paula who collects food donations from St Saviour and St Lawrence on a weekly basis. We give thanks for the generosity and compassion of many volunteers.
- ◆ **Pray for those facing sickness,** those who are housebound and those who are facing other needs: Christopher Delacombe, John Parry, Ian Stewart, Caroline, Gloria, and Jessie Jones.
- ◆ **We pray for those recently bereaved** and especially at this time the families and friends of the late Revd Timothy Thornton, Babette Bumstead, Matthew Heaton, Lady Rosalie Trefgarne and all those known personally to us.
- ◆ **Pray for our congregations that we may grow in daily prayer and knowledge of scripture.** Pray for all who help others: The Samaritans, Mind, The Royal British Legion and for the charity Age UK. Pray for the bereaved and for all who are lonely and isolated.
- ◆ **The Year's Mind:** we remember Gay Fuller and all those known personally to us at this time.
- ◆ **Residents of:** Steep Hill, Stonehill, The Avenue, the Grange, Thompsons Lane, Turf House Lane, Valley End Road, Waterperry Lane, Windlesham Road, Windsor Road, Windsor Court Road, Woodcock Drive, Alpha Road, Bagshot Road and Barnmead.